

# MARIA STYRON

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## Education

Missouri University of Science and Technology  
B.S. English and Technical Communication, minor in general psychology      May 2025  
GPA: 3.15/4.00

## Relevant Course Work

### Research Methods

- Learned and applied research methods
- Created and performed a pilot study focused on a local coffee shop's customer base to improve marketing and increase business

### Business Communication

- Learned and applied communication styles appropriate for businesses
- Worked with a local small business to create and improve branding and marketing

## Experience

### Professional Involvement

#### Made. By Lia Baker and Barista – Florissant, Missouri

Oct. 2025 – Present

- Bake large batches of various recipes
- Make drinks to order
- Handle customer transactions

#### Independently Contracted Baker – Rolla, Missouri

Dec. 2023 – Feb. 2025

- Filled weekly orders for baked goods
- Calculated ingredient cost analysis
- Researched varying market trends

#### Nationwide Eclipse Ballooning Project (NEBP) Research Intern – Rolla, Missouri

Jan. 2023 – Apr. 2024

- Assembled, monitored, and deconstructed the ground station with a team during the Fall 2023 and Spring 2024 solar eclipses
- Designed and built data collection apparatuses (payloads) with a team
- Collaborated with NASA through data sharing

#### Walgreens Employee – Rolla, Missouri

Jul. 2023 – Nov. 2023

- Handled customer transactions
- Organized and stocked shelves
- Developed and assembled photos, posters, and canvas prints

## Skills

### Software Experience

- Adobe InDesign
- WordPress
- Canva
- Microsoft Office Suite
- Autodesk – AutoCAD, Inventor, Revit
- Audacity

*All sample work can be found on my professional portfolio website: [www.sites.mst.edu/mstyron/](http://www.sites.mst.edu/mstyron/)*