

# TARA D. MUELLER

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## BEHAVIORAL STATEMENT:

Hardworking, highly competitive, self-motivated Division I student-athlete with exception interpersonal and organizational skills committed to excellence at the highest level.

## EDUCATION:

Bachelor of Arts Degree, **COMMUNICATION STUDIES**, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Graduation: August 2011.  
Minor: Ethnic Studies

## TRANSFERABLE ATHLETIC SKILLS:

- Team-Oriented
- Leadership
- Passionate
- Coachable
- Perform Under Pressure
- Focus

## EXPERIENCE:

Student-Athlete, University of Nebraska Volleyball, Lincoln, NE; 2007 to Present.

- Earned scholarship to compete for nationally recognized Nebraska Volleyball program.
- Ability to balance Division I athletics with academics.
- Demonstrate accountability and time management on a daily basis.
- Recognized as positive community role-model.

Camp Instructor, Nebraska Volleyball, Summers of 2007-2010.

- Instructed fundamental volleyball skills to youth.
- Demonstrated specialized techniques to aspiring student-athletes.
- Share insights about the demands of being a college student-athlete.
- Provide encouragement and motivation to further develop volleyball and life skills to youth.
- Instill values and philosophy of Nebraska Coaching staff to campers.

## ACTIVITIES/HONORS:

- Student-Athlete, University of Nebraska Volleyball 2007 to Present.
- Scholarship Recipient, Nebraska Volleyball, 2007 to Present.
- 2008 AVCA 2<sup>nd</sup> Team AVCA All-American.
- 2008 1<sup>st</sup> Team All Big 12.
- Big 12 Commissioners Academic Honor Roll, Spring 2008.
- Volunteer, Special Olympics Clinic, Summer 2010.
- Volunteer, Northeast Family Fun Festival, Fall 2010.
- Volunteer, Peoples City Mission, Fall 2010.
- Volunteer, Dance Marathon to benefit Omaha Children's Hospital, 2008-2010.
- Volunteer, Madonna Proactive Fitness, 2008.

- Motivational Speaker, School is Cool Celebration, 2008.
- Volunteer, Village Manor Retirement Center, 2007.
- Volunteer Visitor, St. Elizabeth's Regional Medical Center.
- Recipient, 2008 Life Skills Award of Excellence, 2008.

**REFERENCES:** Available upon request.