Iowa Western Community College Alumni Association

The Iowa Western Community College Alumni Association encourages lifelong interest in Iowa Western Community College by its alumni and friends. All former students are alumni regardless of degree completion.

We are pleased to introduce you to one of the Iowa Western Community College Alumni Association Executive Committee members!

Getting to know..... Rhea Eitmann '00

What is your name and what are you doing professionally? Family? Married? Kids?

Rhea Eitmann, Marketing Manager at Doll Distributing (Budweiser wholesaler in Council Bluffs). Married to Kris Eitmann and have two children Lila (girl 10) and Kale (boy 7).

When did you attend and/or graduate from Iowa Western? What is your degree in? 1998-2000 Electronic Publishing and Printing.

Did you go on to earn your bachelor's and/or master's degrees (or higher)? Where? When?

Bellevue University – Bachelor Degree in Marketing Management 2004-2006

Do you volunteer anywhere? What are your interests/activities?

I'm involved in Junior Treynor Women, IWCC Alumni Association Board and the IWCC Black Tie Ladies Night Event

How would you characterize the value of your Iowa Western education?

I got my start at Doll Distributing because of the internship I needed to graduate, and I got the internship because of the things I learned at IWCC. I'm very thankful for my teacher from IWCC setting me up with an interview at Doll Distributing. After 18 years at Doll Distributing I've been able to gain so much experience and knowledge that might not have been if I didn't have the education from IWCC that got me started at Doll Distributing.

What do you do for fun? Hobbies? Interests?

Watching my kids play sports and doing portrait photography.



If you could have dinner with one person from history, who would it be and what would you ask them?

Marie Antoinette – what's your favorite kind of cake? Lol just kidding. I would ask her what her regrets are and what she wished she would have done differently. Also, if she realizes how much good she could have done for her country and why didn't she?

How have you seen Iowa Western change/ evolve since you were student?

It has grown so much since I was there! All of the changes are amazing and to see the school grow as much as it has is just awesome. It's such a great asset to have in Southwest Iowa.

