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CV of Failures

Many things have helped me grow as a person, but not all of them are on my CV. My CV only lists my accomplishments. What it does not show are the numerous times I have had to experience failure. Failure is an important part of my life. I believe that failure is one of our greatest learning opportunities and it would be foolish to ignore it, which is why I include it.

On that note, here is a list of my failures:

**Colleges I was not accepted to**

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- o University of Pennsylvania
- o Bucknell University
- o University of Virginia

**Jobs/Internships I did not receive**

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- o IBM UX Intern
- o Spotify Intern
- o Google UX Designer
- o Booz Allen Hamilton Consultant
- o Splunk Business Developer
- o UX Researcher Tonsser

**Scholarships I did not get**

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- o William and Mary Monroe scholar
- o Entrepreneurship Pitch Winner

**Essay contests I did not win**

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- o TEDx William and Mary