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Objective

Obtain a full-time extension related position demonstrating my abilities as an educator, researcher, and leader for the progress of natural resource conservation, sustainability, and community service.

Education

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| Environmental Horticulture, Ph.D.
University of Florida :: Gainesville, Florida | May 2017 |
| Landscape Architecture, M.L.A
Urban and Regional Planning, Graduate Minor
University of Florida :: Gainesville, Florida | May 2013 |
| Landscape Architecture, B.S.L.A.
University of Kentucky :: Lexington, Kentucky | May 2011 |
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Experience

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| Environmental & Community Horticulture Agent II & Master Gardener Volunteer Coordinator
UF/IFAS Extension Alachua County | July 2018 - Present |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Lead county's Master Gardener Volunteer program• Manages and provides outreach and education for county's Florida-Friendly Landscaping program and sustainable home food production program• Researches environmental behavior and program evaluation for monitoring program effectiveness• Collaborates with policy makers, specialist, and community stakeholders towards county policy and code development | |
| Parks Planner
Parks, Recreation, and Cultural Affairs Department, <i>City of Farmington, NM</i> | April 2017 to June 2018 |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Planned and administered capital improvement projects and other projects incorporated into Parks and Recreation Masterplan and Regional Transportation Plan• Led community participatory events for strategic planning and development of parks• Collaborated between departments, non-profit organizations, and community stakeholders in planning and development of outdoor recreation opportunities and environmental stewardship• Served as Technical Committee Alternate for Farmington Metropolitan Planning Organization | |
| Graduate Teaching and Research Assistant
University of Florida, <i>Gainesville, FL</i> | July 2013 to April 2017 |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Designed and developed projects for University of Florida's Center for Landscape Conservation and Ecology with utilization of principles and components of the Florida Friendly Landscape Program• Researched landscape efficiencies in Florida Friendly Landscaping typologies and environmental perceptions towards pro-environmental behavioral change• Assisted in teaching Residential Design and Advanced Residential Design courses to Landscape Architecture and Horticulture students by introducing sustainable landscape technologies, various design principles, and planting design strategies | |
| Landscape Designer
The Max Gooding Company, <i>Naples, FL</i> | Jan 2015 to April 2017 |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Actively participated in design and development of project concepts for high-end residential design• Worked directly with clientele by participating in site visits and design charrettes• Developed and lead planting plan design through project development and working with appropriate landscape contractors | |