

# Kate Chausson

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Detail-oriented Civil Engineer and PE with a zest for solving complex problems. Seeking to use proven project management and design skills to improve quality, cost and time metrics for NEP Engineering. At B. Smith, completed 8 \$3 million+ projects 10% under budget and within specs.



## EXPERIENCE

- ◆ 2014-07 - **Civil Engineer**  
2018-08 *Barthold Smith Engineering*
  - Managed 8 projects with average budgets of \$3 million.
  - Completed all projects on time and at least 10% under budget.
  - Found three design flaws in ongoing projects, preventing catastrophic failure.
- ◆ 2014-01 - **Civil Engineer**  
2014-06 *Asher Wolff Group*
  - Conducted 10 forensic investigations into damaged commercial buildings.
  - Worked with independent adjusters to fix reimbursements 15% above average.
  - Identified 8 major hidden design defects with failed constructions.
- ◆ 2013-09 - **Civil Engineering Experience**  
2014-01 *Various*
  - Consulted on a bridge for a volunteer project to connect a small town in Guatemala to a hospital and other basic services, helping 143 residents.
  - Headed local playground design and project management for \$60,000 project.



## EDUCATION

- ◆ 2009 - **B.S. Civil Engineering, University of Idaho**  
2013
  - Scored top of the class in Structural Performance
  - Independent study project in AutoCAD was featured in The Constructor blog.



## SOFT SKILLS

- ◆ Problem Solving ◆◆◆◆◆  
Expert
- ◆ Interpersonal Skills ◆◆◆◆◆  
Expert
- ◆ Detail Oriented ◆◆◆◆◆  
Expert



## HARD SKILLS

- ◆ AutoCAD ◆◆◆◆◆  
Expert
- ◆ Structural Design ◆◆◆◆◆  
Expert