

# Christin Badylak-Reals

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## PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

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- Entrepreneurially-spirited young professional with five internships in the field of engineering and business
- Initiated a change of major from environmental conservation & sustainability to engineering while entering the third year of college
- Stanford-trained design thinker & team player known for a genuinely positive and impassioned approach to problem-solving
- Open to relocation to Austin, Boston, Chicago, Denver, Washington D. C., New York, Philadelphia, San Diego, San Francisco & other areas

## EDUCATION

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**University of New Hampshire**  
*B.S. Mechanical Engineering, 3.23 GPA*

Expected Graduation: May 2019  
Durham, NH

## RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

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### Rines Angel Fund

*Associate*

August 2018 – Present  
Durham, NH

- Actively manage a donor-created fund which focuses on private equity and angel investments in entrepreneurial ventures and start-ups
- Perform complex due diligence and pre-screening duties as a value-add for angel groups in New England
- Display knowledge of angel and venture capital investment strategies in partnership with the UNH Center for Venture Research

### National Grid

*Customer Energy Integration – Business Support Intern*

May – August 2018  
Boston, MA

- Streamlined the annual process review to better understand risk, gaps, and control issues related to distributed generation (DG) projects
- Cold-called and built relationships with 30+ customers regarding their DG projects to ensure accurate reporting
- Concisely communicated project outcomes to peers and senior management in the Ignite presentation format

### National Grid

*Liquified Natural Gas Intern*

June – August 2017  
Boston, MA

- Automated the lock-out, tag-out labeling system to increase safety and scaled the effectiveness by training staff at two additional facilities
- Supported a calculation of the correlation between tank height and stress on the tank foundation to benefit a modernization project

### Mechanical Engineering Department, UNH

*Research Assistant*

May – August 2016  
Durham, NH

- Studied the effects of biofouling and debris accumulation on wingtips of tidal turbines
- Designed multiple tow tank systems to test the effect of biofouling on wingtip function

### U.S. Department of Energy

*Policy Intern*

June – August 2015  
Washington D.C.

- Analyzed the significance of comprehensive state energy planning for national policy
- Coordinated stakeholder input sessions to inform analysis and policy recommendations under the Quadrennial Energy Review
- Ghost-wrote talking points on climate initiatives for President Barack Obama's speech to the U.S. Conference of Mayors

### Paul College of Business and Economics, UNH

*Research Apprentice*

June – August 2014  
Plum Island, MA

- Facilitated the creation and execution of a non-market valuation research study of beach erosion control under a National Science Foundation grant
- Wrote a literature review of the effects of beach erosion control on barrier island ecosystem services
- Conducted an in-person survey meeting the goal of 1500 respondents

## LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

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### Hasso Plattner Institute of Design, Stanford University

*University Innovation Fellow*

October 2016 – Present  
Durham, NH

- Counsel UNH students and administration in innovation and design thinking

### New Hampshire Legislative Youth Advisory Council

*Councilor*

August 2013 – August 2015  
Concord, NH

- Developed recommendations for State Energy Strategy and changes to existing legislation
- Served as liaison to State Energy Committee, Energy Efficiency Sustainable Energy Board
- Advised the NH Legislature on issues of concern to NH youth

## TECHNICAL SKILLS & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

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*Software Programs:* Salesforce, Matlab, R, Solidworks, ArcGIS, Microsoft Office

*Professional Development:* Society of Women Engineers, MIT Energy Hackathon

*Hobbies:* Certified Spinning Instructor, Podcaster