RUBIERE RAMIREZ

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EDUCATION

BSc. in Natural Resource Management **University of Belize**

≡ 2012 − 2014

Q Belmopan, Belize

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Proficient in R programming language and R Studio for Spatial Data Analysis;
- Working Knowledge of writing and reading Python Scripts;
- Geographic Information Systems: ArcMap 10.8, ArcGIS Pro 2.5, QGIS 3
- Handling spatial databases: PostgreSQL with PostGIS Extension:
- GeoServer Deployment: GeoServer deployed with Apache Tomcat on Web Server;
- Geovisualization and geocommunication with WebGIS: ArcGIS Online for Organization, Portal for ArcGIS, PostGIS-GeoServer-Leaflet Web Application;
- Environmental Education Advocacy and Outreach.

SOFT SKILLS

Organizational Skills Time Management Team Player Leadership Skills Quick Learner Problem Solving Skills

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- Caribbean Geospatial Webinar End User Training, Facilitated by the Caribbean Community Climate Change Centre and Caribbean Development Bank, September 2021.
- Advance Spatial Data Analysis Using ArcGIS, Facilitated by the Belize National Spatial Data Infrastructure, Ministry of Natural Resources and Total Business Solutions Ltd. October 2018.
- Creative Communications Training, Facilitated by ArcCorps, May 2015.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Geographic Information Systems Technician **Systems Development and Data Processing Statistical Institute of Belize**

≡ 2018 − Present

O Belmopan, Belize

- Heads-up digitizes building footprints in ArcGIS suite of products and QGIS from Google Earth Pro and Environmental Systems Research Institute's World Imagery, Bing Maps, Open Street Maps, Satellite for Observation of Earth 7.
- Provide both digital web maps as well as hard copy maps for different departments at the Statistical Institute upon request.
- Perform Earth Observation Remote Sensing Techniques to detect changes in urban areas.
- Process ariel photos from drone imagery in QGIS and ArcGIS Pro.
- Assist with the preparation of Enumeration District Maps for the 2022 Population and Housing Census.
- Assist with the creation of maps in the SIB Census Dashboard with r 4.0.5 and rstudio 1.3.1073.
- Deployed and maintain GeoServer on SIB's GIS Server.
- Geovisualize Census Progress Coverage by creating a web app using open standards: Leaflet web app created using QGIS, GeoServer, PostgreSQL PostGIS and HTML5.

Geographic Information Systems Technician **Coastal and Marine Data Centre Coastal Zone Management Authority and Institute of Belize**

- May 2017 June 2017 Pelize City, Belize
- Updated building footprints for Caye Caulker using Google Earth Pro and existing building footprint data.
- Prepared maps for ground-truthing in Caye Caulker using updated building footprints and parcel data provided by the Land

 Leadership Training for Social and Environmental Justice, Facilitated by the Belize Institute of Environmental Law and Policy, August 2014.

LANGUAGES

English Spanish



REFERENCES

Provided upon request.

- Information Center from the Ministry of Natural Resources.
- Assisted with the collection of land use and buildings information in Caye Caulker using the Open Data Kit for android devices.
- Processed data obtained from the Open Data Kit for Caye Caulker using the building footprints Urban Land Use Data Processing Manual standardized by the Land Information Center at the Ministry of Natural Resource.

Stann Creek Field Representative **Oceana in Belize**

2015 – 2016

- **9** Stann Creek, Belize
- Represented Oceana Belize in the Stann Creek district with the public, community-based organizations, non-governmental organizations, and the business sector.
- Conducted presentations about Oceana in Belize at the Primary, Secondary and Tertiary level as well as to the community and business sector in the district.
- Canvassed neighborhood in the district with regards to their opinion on offshore oil exploration and exploitation in Belize as well as collect signatures against offshore oil.
- Recruited wavemakers (volunteers) in the district.
- Maintain and update a wavemaker database for the district.
- Organized public events in the district such as beach cleanups, mural unveiling, people's referendum anniversary event, among others.
- Procured venders for projects, provide logistics and reached out to the community for the events.