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Education

University of Pennsylvania

Master of City Planning Graduated Spring 2020 Master of Urban Spatial Analytics Graduating Spring 2021

Franklin & Marshall College

Graduated Spring 2012
Cum Laude
Honors in Government

Professional Roles

Annenberg Public Policy Center

Spring 2019 Present Research Assistant

- + Lead spatial analysis for a team studying the 2020 presidential election, informing survey questions on local issues; maintain a database for geospatial information relevant to electoral decisions—industrial decline, climate risk.
- + Analyze the geography of compaign communications in the 2016 presidential contest, developing a paper exploring the effects of rallies during that election (presented at PaCSS 2020).

Wharton Geospatial Initiative

Spring 2017 Present Research Assistant

- + Collaborate with a team of faculty and students to produce peer-reviewed research, contributing to the economics and politics of housing; gather data for projects with the Federal Reserve, Brookings Institution, among others.
- + Lead research with spatial analytical, statistical and graphical tools; write and edit research summaries for the Penn Institute for Urban Research's quarterly newsletter UrbanLink.

Skills

Python + R + JavaScript
PostgreSQL + PostGIS
Adobe CS + Microsoft Office
QGIS + Earth Engine + ArcGIS
CartoDB + MapBox + D3
AutoCAD + Rhino + SketchUP

Pilot Projects Design Collective

Winter 2013 Spring 2017

- + Managed and staffed planning for an annual conference, Wood at Work, that brings together 150 professionals and academics to discuss sustainable strategies in urban planning and design.
- + Promoted from grantwriter to establish a research group within the firm for informing design. Advised on projects ranging in scale—local (parklets) and global (hardwood procurement).

Course Experience

Processing big data in Google BigQuery & Amazon Redshift Developing machine learning techniques for civic analytics Research in geodemography, land use and land cover change, and mobility

University College London

Spring 2013 Fall 2013 Research Assistant

Urban Planner

- + Selected to work cooperatively with a team of professors in research: 'Evaluating the Governance of Design' (published in two peer-reviewed papers).
- + Independently researched the Royal Fine Art Commission from its inception in 1924 to its end in 1999. Collated minutes, memoranda, and correspondences for use in a future book.

Teaching Experience

Teaching Assistant
Urban Real Estate Economics
(Spring 2018/2019/2020/2021)
International Real Estate
(Spring 2018/2019/2020/2021)

The City of Lancaster

Fall 2011 Spring 2012 Research Assistant

+ Worked with City Council to create a searchable database of all changes to the urban fabric since 1900, informing heritage and historic preservation policy.