



BROOKE HARDING

Geographic Information Specialist

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EDUCATION

University of Wisconsin (2011-2014)
B.A. Cartography & GIS
Certificate in Russian, Eastern European,
& Central Asian Studies

University of Minnesota Duluth (2010-2011)

KEY SKILLS

Cartographic Design

Geospatial Thinking

Web Mapping

Training Peers

Creative Problem Solving

Working Level Spanish

AFFILIATIONS & AWARDS

North American Cartographic
Information Society Board Member

National Press Club Member

USAID/OTI Certificate of
Appreciation

Barbara Bartz Petchenik Memorial:
Undergraduate Award in Cartographic
Design

Great People - International Studies
Scholarship: Study Abroad Award

RELEVANT WORK EXPERIENCE

The Office of Transition Initiatives at USAID

October 2014

Geographic Information Specialist for Europe & Asia

- Present

Contracted by MacFadden and Associates, Washington DC

- Product development and data analysis to help country programs collect, analyze, and visualize information to better inform program strategy and engagement
- Lead in country and remote technical training for local staff on technology tools and systems
- Supervisor for Virtual Student Foreign Service internship with 35 participants
- Coordination of Mappy Hour event, bringing in outside expertise to talk about relevant topics to OTI

The University of Wisconsin Cartography Lab

September 2013

Cartographer

- September 2014

Madison WI

- Created maps for clients using spatial data sets
- Collaborated with others to maintain the cartographic standards of the products produced by the lab
- Participated in the Cart Lab Education Series, a short class teaching peers a new skill

KidVentures

June 2011

Site Instructor, Site Assistant, Substitute

- August 2014

Northfield Public School District, Northfield MN

- Worked in multiple capacities with students age infant to 8th grade
- Attended training sessions, developed curriculum and group activities, organized and chaperoned field trips, and provided childcare

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

District Arts Collaborative

2015

Web Developer/Consultant

Washington DC

- Helped a non-profit community theatre group conceptualize, design, and develop their first website to create a strong and polished online presence.

Schools of Hope

2012

Volunteer Tutor

Wright Middle School, Madison WI

- Mentored students in grade 7 to develop their science and reading skills