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Advocacy-driven, strategic program manager with a background in environmental policy, offering expertise in enabling cross-functional teams to hit delivery deadlines and outcomes.

Senior Strategist, Advancement @ XPRIZE Foundation

Mar 2020 - Jul 2021

- Led industry research on potential donors to secure tens of millions of dollars in programmatic funding for the foundation's large-scale incentive competitions
- Collaborated with design, marketing, and operations teams to develop robust strategies for donor prospecting and coordinate organizational alignment on current environmental, energy, pandemic and racial equity initiatives

Account Supervisor @ Ogilvy

Jun 2018 - Jan 2020

- Developed and managed scope, schedule, budget, and staff resourcing for over 90 cities with the U.S. Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)
- Developed outreach, communications, and technical collateral with the goal of improving flood management education and climate change mitigation
- Oversaw team execution of client deliverables and collaborated directly with senior and client leadership on tracking and prioritizing competing deliverables and resources

Project Manager, Asia-Pacific Fisheries @ Environmental Defense Fund

Oct 2015 - Jun 2018

- Implemented international operations programs focused on robust science, policy, and partnerships to solve the world's toughest food security issues
- Collaborated with operations, leadership, and finance departments to streamline communications, mitigate risks and manage deliverables across global teams in vastly different regulatory, cultural and socio-economic policy landscapes

Technical Skills

HTML :: CSS :: Bootstrap :: JavaScript :: jQuery

Programming projects / homework

- [Job Search](#) (developed with HTML, CSS, Bootstrap, Figma, JavaScript and UIKit) helps the user to search for open job listings based on the industry they're interested in. This application utilizes two APIs (The Muse and Learning Objects) to display relevant job listings and corresponding learning resources that can support the user in further understanding the specific skill(s) that a particular role may need; the goal of this application is to guide the user's employment process and become industry-competitive.
- [Secure Password Generator](#) (supported by HTML, CSS and JavaScript) generates a secure, random password based on the user's preferences for types of characters and total length.
- [Weather Dashboard](#) (created with HTML, CSS, Bootstrap, JavaScript and jQuery) allows the user to easily search for a US city and see its current weather as well as a five-day forecast. Additionally, previously-searched cities are saved on the homepage and accessible for quick retrieval of that city's information.

Project Management Professional
Project Management Institute

Certified ScrumMaster
Scrum Alliance

The George Washington University, Washington, D.C.
Trachtenberg School of Public Policy & Public Administration
Master of Public Policy

University of California, San Diego
Bachelor of Arts, Political Science