

# JANINE PARRY



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## PROFILE

I am a 53-year old, recently retired professor with excellent people skills, a commitment to service, and a strong work ethic. Friendly and eager to learn, I enjoy making concrete contributions to a team.

## SKILLS

- WA Food Worker Card (2026)
- Red Cross first aid certified
- Quick to Learn
- Problem Solving
- Good under Pressure
- Computer Savvy
- Attention to Detail
- Team Player
- Elementary Spanish

## EXPERIENCE

### CLEAN AND GREEN TEAM MEMBER

Downtown Spokane Partnership, August 2024-present

- Graffiti removal, litter pick-up, plant care, and more
- Complete unsupervised walking routes of 8-12 miles a day.
- Serve as a friendly, helpful presence for residents and visitors

### MASTER GARDENER

Arkansas Cooperative Extension Service, Washington County, 2020-present

- Plant identification, cultivation, and maintenance,
- A focus on perennials and natives
- 40 hrs initial coursework; 20 hrs annually of continuing education

### SUSTAINABILITY TEAM LEADER

Soup Sunday, Arkansas Advocates for Children and Families, 2012-2024

- Operated compost/recycling station for event of 800 guests
- Managed 15-20 volunteers

### PROFESSOR OF POLITICAL SCIENCE (EMERITA)

University of Arkansas, 1998-2024

- Award winning teacher of more than 6,000 students at all levels
- Expert commentator for print, radio, and TV media outlets
- Author of 50+ scholarly publications

## EDUCATION

### BACHELOR DEGREE

Western Washington University  
1989-1992

### MASTER AND DOCTORATE DEGREES

Washington State University  
1992-1998

## REFERENCES

Laura Kellams, NWA Director, AR Advocates for Children and Families, 479-445-8750, lkellams@aradvocates.org

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