# **MARK TAN**

Environmental Engineering EIT with a passion in stormwater and land development engineering.

Proven experience in teaching, construction, municipal, and conservation authority coops w/ outstanding coop evaluations.

BASc Environmental Engineering – University of Waterloo

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### **SUMMARY OF SKILLS**

- Project Management: project scheduling and coordination, public engagement/open houses, conflict resolution
- **Construction**: site supervision and inspection, engineering drawing review, technical report writing; working experience with development processes (site plans, subdivisions, zoning by-law amendments, etc.)
- Stormwater Modelling and Data Analysis: water balance calculations with EPA SWMM and LID TTT, watershed modelling with HEC-RAS, data analysis with Python (pandas, numpy, matplotlib)
- Air, Water, and Soil Sampling: borehole logging, sieve analysis, compaction testing, water quality testing
- **AutoCAD**: taught a university-level course to 235 students on drafting engineering drawings (site plans, grading plans, site servicing plans, stormwater management plans, etc.)
- Other Software: Microsoft Office Suite, Bluebeam, Photoshop; quick learner with unfamiliar software

#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

#### **Engineering Plan Review Assistant**

Credit Valley Conservation Authority

May 2020 – Aug 2020 Mississauga, Ontario

- Performed water balance calculations with EPA SWMM and watershed modelling of subwatersheds in the Credit River Watershed with HEC-RAS.
- Calculated peak flows using Modified Rational Method, Modified Index Flood Method, and Unified Ontario
  Flood Method. Constructed a stormwater calculation spreadsheet for the project team that referred to multiple
  stormwater manuals (e.g. MTO Drainage Manual, US DOT Highway Design Manual, NRCS TR-55, Virginia
  SWM Manual).
- Sized stormwater ponds using MS Excel and EPA SWMM in accordance to MECP standards and other technical references.
- Estimated LID features to obtain water balance using LID TTT for applicant sites.

#### **Capital Engineering Coop**

Sep 2019 – Dec 2019

Town of Innisfil

Innisfil, Ontario

- Managed road reconstruction and rehabilitation projects ranging from small- to large-scale (\$10M) by coordinating with different parties to meet project timelines.
- Reviewed engineering drawings in accordance with the Town of Innisfil Engineering Standards, MTO, TAC, and other technical references.
- Performed inspections for roads, culverts, and stormwater management (SWM) ponds to ensure construction is built to specifications. Prepared detailed deficiency lists.
- Supervised construction processes (grading, paving, hydrovac, tree clearing, etc.) for roads, parks, and beaches while utilizing proper PPE and safety guidelines.
- Prepared contract documents (change order, request for tender, etc.) for capital projects.

May 2018 – Aug 2018 Town of Innisfil Innisfil, Ontario

Exhibited excellent attention to detail by reviewing engineering drawings (site plans, grading plans, stormwater management plans, pre- and post-development drainage plans, etc.) and reports based on the Town of Innisfil Engineering Standards and sound engineering judgement.

- Prepared legal agreements and other correspondence between the Town and developers.
- Coordinated with engineers and technologists to facilitate Environmental Compliance Approval (ECA) applications. Trained my supervisor and other Professional Engineers in the ECA review process.
- Served as the point person for the Town's ECA Transfer of Review. Communicated with the MECP and engineering consultants for a streamlined approval process.
- Represented the municipality in pre-consultation meetings with consultants and residents.

#### Civil/Environmental Engineering Fundamentals Teaching Assistant University of Waterloo

Sep 2017 – Dec 2017 Waterloo, Ontario

- Trained and mobilized 12 survey groups for a 4-week surveying course. 100+ hours surveying experience with the Sokkia Total Station and Sokkia Differential GPS.
- Developed a term project regarding an LID parking lot which covered proper functional servicing report guidelines, bioretention cell design, and hydrologic calculations.
- Assisted first-year engineering students in excelling academically through lectures, tutorials, and office hours.

#### **Engineering Outreach Activity Developer**

Jan 2017 - Apr 2017 Waterloo, Ontario

University of Waterloo

- Demonstrated communication skills by effectively conveying complex science and engineering concepts to middle and secondary school students.
- Exhibited leadership skills by managing a team of 10+ volunteers in running the UW Engineering Outreach Senior March Break Camp.
- Displayed a strong work ethic and excellent time management skills by meeting multiple deadlines for the UW Engineering Outreach.

## RELATED COURSEWORK

- Hydrology and Open Channel Flow
- Advanced Hydrology & Hydraulics
- Urban Stormwater Management
- Design of Urban Water Systems
- **Environmental Modelling**
- Fluvial Geomorphology

#### EXTRACURRICULARS

- Warrior Home Student Design Team Water Subteam
- **UW Energy Club**

#### INTERESTS

- Cooking
- Learning about filmmaking and film history
- Horology and watch collecting
- Scuba diving