

# Mackenzie J. Kane

Email: [mjkane1192@gmail.com](mailto:mjkane1192@gmail.com) | Telephone: 719-331-9796

## EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

11/2020 - Present

**GIS Technician, Black Hills Energy - Nebraska**

- Review & adjust gas distribution assets in GIS database
- Utilize Python scripting for process automation
- Map creation and utility analysis
- Promote safety & integrity of GIS data

5/2019 – 11/2020

**GIS Technician, Aerotek (Contract for Black Hills Energy) - Nebraska**

- Review & adjust gas distribution assets in GIS database
- Perform GIS tracking of digital solution & paper as-builts
- Collaborate with field on gas distribution logic for GIS web mapping
- Promote safety & integrity of GIS data

09/2018 – 4/2019

**Imaging Technician II, Sanborn Map Company - Colorado**

- Perform aerial telemetry, orthorectification, & review high-resolution aerial imagery
- Script code to streamline/automate GPS tolerance evaluation recording
- Facilitate drone imagery DEM modeling, mosaics, & orthorectification processes
- Track/update GIS databases with mission/imagery competition

06/2018 – 07/2018

**Research Fellowship, Spatialtemporal Thinking, Computing & Applications at George Mason University (National Science Foundation Funded) REU Summer - Virginia**

- Assisted in the development of a Deep Learning (AI) model to identify/predict tropical cyclone movement
- Utilized Python scripting to collect & preprocess data for AI training & experiments
- Performed geo-visualization & big data analysis

09/2017 – 05/2018

**GIS Student Lab Assistant, Geography & Environmental Studies (GES) Department UCCS – Colorado**

- Assist students to perform & execute GIS lab/course work
- Tutored students on upper division course work (Digital Earth, Remote Sensing, Image Processing, Internet GIS, Spatial Database, Intro to GIS, Advanced GIS)
- Graded upper division lab/course work (Spatial Database, Intro to GIS, Digital Earth)

## SOFTWARE EXPERIENCE

Python & R scripting • ESRI (ArcGIS/Pro) • Locus View • Global Mapper • Inpho • SimActive • Adobe Photoshop • Ultramap • Tableau • Panoply • Terrset • GeoDa • Google Earth • Excel • Word • OneNote • Notepad ++ • Power BI

# Mackenzie J. Kane

Email: [mjkane1192@gmail.com](mailto:mjkane1192@gmail.com) | Telephone: 719-331-9796

## EDUCATION

09/2021 – Present

University of Wisconsin, Madison

***Cartography and GIS - Online GIS  
Development Program***

08/2015 – 05/2018

University of Colorado at Colorado Springs,  
Colorado Springs, CO

***B.A. Geography & Environmental  
Studies*** GIS Certificate, Departmental  
Honors with Highest Distinction, Magna  
Cum Laude, Outstanding Undergraduate  
Student Award

08/2012 – 12/2012

Metropolitan State University, Denver, CO

***Industrial Designs***

08/2011 – 05/2012

Colorado State University, Fort Collins, CO

***Undeclared***