

H. Lee Brann

SUMMARY

Guided by rigorous Environmental Studies graduate education, ample professional experience in a range of nonprofit settings (including environmental projects), knowledge of conservation and wildlife issues and policy, and solid performance in research, analysis, and project development roles, I am abundantly prepared for research, analysis, and issue engagement projects related to a variety of environmental and social interests and can strongly serve the strategy, planning, design, and implementation components of nonprofit and government programs.

EDUCATION

Master of Science, Environmental Studies, University of Colorado **Expected May 2017**
Boulder, CO Policy Emphasis 4.0 GPA

Bachelor of Arts, International Affairs, University of Colorado **May 2014**
Boulder, CO Summa Cum Laude 4.0 GPA Phi Beta Kappa

Internship Abroad, Barra Honda National Park (Projects Abroad) **Summer 2013**
Nicoya, CR Student Volunteer and Researcher

Bachelor of Science, Business, North Carolina State University **December 2002**
Raleigh, NC Sociology Minor Spanish Minor

Study Abroad, Universidad Internacional, Centro Bilingüe **Summer 2001**
Cuernavaca, MX

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

Environment, Conservation, Wildlife

- As Intern for IES, provided analysis, project development, and research services for Chemical Footprint Project, focusing on the issue of Contaminants of Emerging Concern.
- As Intern for GGF, provided research, analysis, and writing services for GGF programs and grants efforts, including women and environment programs and clean water projects.
- As Conservation Volunteer, collected scientific data on species residing within protected areas overseas; duties included trap installation and maintenance, species identification and inventory, and behavior monitoring.
- Assisted public health awareness campaigns, environmental education projects, reforestation and nursery management, and park infrastructure development.
- As Researcher, identified and reported Colorado Division of Wildlife deficiencies in wildlife emergency procedures and policies; measured opportunities for citizen involvement in wildlife emergency response.

Strategic Planning, Program Design, Process Improvement, Nonprofit Operations

- For several nonprofit organizations and businesses, regularly advised executive officers and team members on project goals, design, direction, and implementation.
- As Intern for IES, advised and developed preparations for stakeholder engagement.
- Supported planning of Chemical Footprint Project efforts at weekly team gatherings.
- Explored and evaluated grant opportunities and prepared multiple forms of communication with potential grant providers; assisted promotional efforts.
- As Research Analyst, collaborated with project leaders to establish and refine research objectives, strategies, project design, and industry sources.
- As Assistant Facility Security Officer, assisted Chief Operations Officer in developing standard procedures for managing security clearances and security concerns.
- As Recruiter, identified and corrected problems affecting the recruitment processes of international nonprofit committed to advancing human rights interests abroad.
- Served as key resource for organization's recruitment needs throughout all stages of recruitment process for domestic, overseas, program, and operations positions.

Research, Reporting, Analysis

- As Intern for IES, designed protocols for stakeholder analyses and conducted analyses of key Chemical Footprint Project stakeholders.
- Researched candidate communities to help measure suitability for pilot programs.
- Reported on policy developments and program evaluation methods of relevance to contaminants of emerging concern and the Chemical Footprint Project.
- As Intern for GGF, conducted audience analysis for Women and Environment Programs.
- Researched and provided scientific backing for projects' capacity for enhancing clean water provision in developing nations and elsewhere.
- As Researcher, provided quality reports on human threats to Colorado animal species and Division of Wildlife deficiencies in wildlife emergency procedures and policies.
- As Research Analyst, conducted primary and secondary research for small business intelligence firm. Participated in team research projects covering a variety of industries.
- Composed interim and final reports presenting research methods, project overviews, primary and secondary research findings, detail on sources, analyses, and conclusions. Assisted project leaders in drafting, editing, and finalizing client deliverables.

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

INTERN , <i>Global Greengrants Fund (GGF)</i> , Boulder, CO	2016-2016
INTERN , <i>Institute for Environmental Solutions (IES)</i> , Denver, CO	2016-2016
CONSERVATION VOLUNTEER , <i>Annapurna Conservation Area</i> , Kaski, NP	2014-2014
CONSERVATION VOLUNTEER , <i>Barra Honda National Park</i> , Nicoya, CR	2013-2013
RESEARCHER , <i>Animal Watch Colorado</i> , Boulder, CO	2010-2011
RECRUITER , <i>Freedom House</i> , Washington, DC	2007-2009
RESEARCH ANALYST , <i>Signia Partners</i> , Washington, DC	2006-2007
RECRUITMENT ASSISTANT , <i>Hilb, Rogal, & Hobbs</i> , Richmond, VA	2005-2006
ASST FACILITY SECURITY OFFICER , <i>The Milestone Group</i> , Washington, DC	2003-2004
HUMAN RESOURCES ASSISTANT , <i>The Milestone Group</i> , Washington, DC	2003-2004

KEY AREAS OF INTEREST

Policy Analysis, Policy Design, Policy Advocacy, Policy Evaluation, Conservation Policy, Endangered Species Policy, Science-Policy Interactions, Biodiversity, Critical Habitat

RELEVANT COURSEWORK

Science and Technology Policy; Policy, Politics, and Management; Natural Resource Governance; Policy, Science, and Environment; Environmental Philosophy; Quantitative Methods of Policy Analysis; Science, Technology, and Society; Global Human Ecology; Environmental Systems; International Affairs; Energy and the Environment; International Communication; Advanced Writing for Environmental Studies; Sociological Research Methods; International Organization; World Global Geography