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EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY Goldman School of Public Policy, <i>Master of Public Policy</i> Energy and Resources Group, <i>Master of Arts</i>	Berkeley, CA Expected May, 2020
BROWN UNIVERSITY Department of Anthropology, <i>Bachelor of Arts with Honors</i>	Providence, RI May, 2010

AWARDS

John M. Quigley Graduate Student Support Award, 2017-18, University of California, Berkeley

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- UC Berkeley Labor Center Green Economy Program, *Graduate Student Researcher*** Jan, 2018—Present
- Lead author on a report analyzing the employment impacts of Cap-and-Trade in California, and suggesting improvements to the formulas determining free-allocations of carbon emissions allowances
 - Analyze workforce development needs to meet carbon reductions goals of the California Global Warming Solutions Act, AB 398
- United Auto Workers, *Political Organizer*** California—State-wide, April, 2017—Present
- Lead campaign with University of California Postdoctoral Researchers to promote science and research funding in the federal budget, protect immigrants and visa holders, and defend climate protections
 - Craft plans to help elect pro-science, pro-worker candidates to public office
- Graton Day Labor Center, *Interim Program Director*** Graton, CA, Jan—Aug, 2017
- Oversaw the day-to-day operations of one of the strongest immigrant day labor centers in the nation
 - Assisted the executive staff to reorganize staffing structure and implement hiring process
 - Served as lead organizer and engaged the center's membership in political activities
- Self Employed, *Consultant, Social Justice Organizations*** Various Locations, Jan. 2016 — March, 2017
- Provided guidance on the development of new programs and campaign strategies at grassroots organizations like San Francisco Jobs With Justice and the North Bay Organizing Project
 - Facilitated strategic planning processes and assist in the development of organizational capacities
 - Wrote content for grant applications and help organizations cultivate new foundation funders
- Local Clean Energy Alliance, *Policy Researcher*** Oakland, CA June—Dec, 2016
- Researched and wrote position paper on topics related to decentralized renewable energy infrastructure within Community Choice Aggregation programs
- UC Hastings Center for Work-Life Law, *Research Assistant*** San Francisco, CA Jan—Dec, 2016
- Supported retail employers to implement stable schedule interventions, monitor, record and evaluate their effectiveness in order to inform public policy related to scheduling practices for low-wage workers
 - Helped develop a coding scheme in Dedoose to prepare project data for analysis and reporting
- Rhode Island Jobs With Justice, *Executive Director*** Providence, RI, 2012 — Nov. 2015
- Developed campaign strategies & work plans that won six legislative campaigns, three new worker organizing campaigns, and many successful contract renegotiation and wage-theft campaigns
 - Built consensus on common goals across a broad-based coalition of nearly 50 labor unions, community, faith-based, environmental and student organizations
 - Grew budget to expand permanent staff for the first time in the organization's 20-year history
 - Supervised and trained a team of staff organizers, full-time and part-time interns and volunteers
 - Executed communications plan attracted consistent local coverage, an article in *The Nation*, and a mention in *The New York Times*