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Curriculum Vitae

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Graduate Research Assistant
Department of Agricultural and Applied Economics
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EDUCATION	DEGREE	DATE	FIELD
Virginia Tech Blacksburg, VA 24061	M.S.	May 2009 ^(expected)	Agricultural and Applied Economics
West Virginia University Morgantown, WV 25606	B.S.	2007	Agribusiness Management and Rural Development
Keene High School Keene, NH 03431	Diploma	2003	

RELEVANT COURSEWORK AND COMPUTER SKILLS

Course

Applied Microeconomics
Econometrics
Linear Programming
Geographic Information Systems
Water Resource Planning

Programming Skills

Econometrics: STATA, SAS
Linear Programming: GAMS, LINDO, QM
GIS: ArcView, ArcMap, ArcCatalog

PUBLICATIONS

Bosch, Darrell J., Nicolai V. Kuminoff, Anna Harris, Jaren Pope, and Kurt Stephenson, *Economic Implications of Alternative Management Strategies for Virginia Oysters and Clams*. Final Report, Virginia Department of Environmental Quality, Coastal Zone Management Program, 2008.

WORKING PAPERS

Bosch, Darrell J., Nicolai V. Kuminoff, Anna Harris, Jaren Pope, and Kurt Stephenson, "Policy Options for Expanding Oyster Aquaculture in Virginia," February, 2009.

THESIS RESEARCH

Agriculture, Aquaculture, Wastewater: Measuring the Benefits from Alternative Strategies to Decrease Nutrient Delivery to the Chesapeake Bay (with Nick Kuminoff).

WORK EXPERIENCE

Research

Graduate Research Assistant

Virginia Tech, May 2008-present

Duties: Compiling a literature review, designing an attribute based choice experiment survey and conducting pilot groups to test the validity of the survey design.

Salary: ~\$28,000/year, 20 hours per week

Supervisor: Nick Kuminoff (540) 231-5382 (*Permission to contact*)

Graduate Research Assistant

Virginia Tech, September 2007-2008

Duties: Helped prepare the report: *Economic Implications of Alternative Management Strategies for Virginia Oysters and Clams* for the Virginia Coastal Zone Management Program at the Department of Environmental Quality through Grant #NA07NOS41978.

Salary: ~\$28,000/year, 20 hours per week

Supervisor: Nick Kuminoff, Darrell Bosch, Jaren Pope, and Kurt Stephenson (*Permission to Contact*)

Teaching

Student Leader

Virginia Tech, Fall 2008

Course: Graduate Student Society Reinventing Conservation Easements

Duties: Leading discussions, preparing materials and notes for discussions

Salary: Unpaid, 3 hours per week

Supervisor: Jesse Richardson (540) 231-7508 (*Permission to contact*)

Teaching Assistant

West Virginia University, Fall 2005 and 2006

Course: Introduction to Microeconomics

Duties: Assist with grading and assignments

Salary: Unpaid, 3 hours per week

Supervisor: Gerard D'Souza (304) 293-4832 ext. 4471 (*Permission to contact*)

Additional Experience

Summer Intern

LEAD Maryland Foundation, Inc., Summer 2007

Duties: Worked directly with Executive Director in daily operations. Completed an alumni directory.

Extensive use of Access and Excel to formulate spreadsheets for Annual report.

Salary: \$11/hour; 40 hours per week

Supervisor: Susan Harrison (410) 827-8056 (*Permission to contact*)

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Honors

Gamma Sigma Delta (2007-Present)

National Exemplary Scholars in Service (2007)

President's List (2007)

Dean's List (2005-2007)

WVU Davis College Alumni Association

Student Representative (2006-2007)

Service

Virginia Tech Agricultural and Applied Economics Graduate Student Association (2007-present)

WVU Davis College Student Council President (2007)

WVU Collegiate Farm Bureau Charter Member (2006-Present)

WVU Davis College Student Ambassador (2005-2007)

WVU Relay for Life Team Captain (2006)

WVU Davis College Block and Bridle Club Treasurer (2006)

Sigma Alpha Sorority (2006-Present)

REFERENCES

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