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Work Experience

Capital Crossroads and Discovery Special Improvement Districts **Columbus, Ohio**
Deputy Director of Research, Planning and Facilities 2012-Present
Research Director 2007-2012

- Provide research services and GIS mapping on downtown topics for property owners, media, developers and the public.
- Write grants to support organization's priorities resulting in nine grants totaling \$140,000 over four years.
- Assist with planning and implementation of the Downtown Public Realm Enhancement Plan.
- Assist with human resource functions including payroll, health benefit evaluation and employee reviews.
- Work with property owners to renew each district's funding and plan for services.
- Manage physical facilities.

Columbus Downtown Development Corporation & Capitol South **Columbus, Ohio**
Director of Research and Information 2002-2007
Parking Enterprise Manager 2006-2007

- Facilitated private investment in downtown through creation and dissemination of market research information for use by developers, realtors, and financiers.
- Implemented an efficient data management system using GIS and Microsoft Access to track and analyze data on housing, office space, transportation, parking, safety, and hotels.
- Built relationships with downtown stakeholders such as real estate professionals, elected officials, and community groups through one-on-one meetings and group presentations.
- Provided research services for Capitol South, Columbus Downtown Development Corporation, Capital Crossroads Special Improvement District, and the City of Columbus Downtown Development Office.

Sierra Club **Columbus, Ohio**
State Legislative Coordinator 1997-2002

- Developed and implemented legislative strategies on environmental policy in collaboration with volunteers and other environmental organizations.
- Lobbied state officials and delivered testimony at legislative hearings.
- Trained and supervised staff for regional growth campaign.

OSU School of Public Policy and Management **Columbus, Ohio**
Workshop Leader and Research Assistant 1996-1997

- Developed innovative prevention and marketing strategies.
- Assisted with HIV prevention strategic planning efforts for Ohio Department of Health.
- Facilitated meetings of Ohio HIV Prevention Community Planning Group.

Service Activities

Victorian Village Historic Architecture Review Commission, Chair 2002-Present
Downtown Residents' Association of Columbus, Board Member 2003-Present
United Way Neighborhood Partnership Grant Review Committee 2006-Present
Transit Columbus, Board Member 2010-Present

Education

Ohio State University, John Glenn School of Public Affairs **Columbus, Ohio**
Master of Public Administration, 1996

Ohio State University **Columbus, Ohio**
Bachelor of Arts with Honors in Critical Cultural Studies, 1993