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EDUCATION

Facilitator Certification
National Association for
Climate Resilience Planners
Jan - Sept 2024

M.S. Educational Leadership & Policy Portland State University 2015-2018

Graduate Certificate in Sustainable Food Systems Portland State University 2016-2018

300hr Yoga Teacher Training Bhakti Yoga Movement Center 2018-2019

E42 Leadership
Program
Center for Diversity & the
Environment
Jan-June 2017

Sustainability Program

Danish Institute for Study

Abroad

Summer 2013

B.A. Environmental Studies & Sociology Rhodes College 2010-2014

Danielle Marie Jones

Facilitator - Collaborator - Emergent Strategist

Creative leader and sustainability professional with a decade of experience in community engagement and program development, seeking to advance climate justice, resilience and healing.

EXPERIENCE

2016-pres 6 years

Education & Facilitation Contractor Self-Employed

I contract with organizations centering racial equity, healing practices and/or environmental justice such as the Portland Clean Energy Fund, People of Color Outdoors, Camp ELSO, US Fish & Wildlife Services and Wisdom Earth Keepers. Offerings include: equity trainings, trauma-informed yoga and meditation, culturally-specific curriculum design and value-led process facilitation. All of my contract work emphasizes care and social-emotional learning.

Portland, OR

Feb-Dec 2023

Environmental Health Supervisor Multnomah County Government

11 months
40 hr/wk

Supervising staff who provide information and resources to the public on a range of environmental health topics. I oversee services including regulatory authority, assessment, surveillance, intervention, information/ referral, evaluation, policy and rules development, community organizing and education/ outreach.

Spring 2022

Adjunct Faculty | Portland State University

4 months

Senior Capstone course. This course focuses on how we can create sustainable and just change in our food system and beyond. Topics include: concepts of sustainability, sustainability leadership, food justice, and food sovereignty through community-based learning with the PSU Learning Gardens Lab. Facilitation includes virtual and in-personal learning.

Co-teaching the Learning Gardens and Food Justice

3 hr/wk

COURSEWORK

- Livability in the Modern City
- Health & Social **Inequalities**
- Research Design
- Qualitative & Quantitative Methods
- Foundations of Trauma Informed Services
- Global Environmental History
- GIS
- Food Justice
- Ecological and Social Foundations of Learning

KNOWLEDGE **SKILLS & ABILITIES**

- Written and verbal communication
- Personal and professional commitment to DEI and anti-racism development
- Cultural competency
- Building collaborative, empowering and inclusive working environments
- Project management practices: emergent, relationship-centered, accountable & transparent
- Community engagement
- Cultural competency
- Climate Change and **Environmental Justice** topics
- Sustainability principles
- Just Transition Framework
- Ecological Design
- Critical analysis

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EXPERIENCE CONTINUED

2019-2022

3 vears 40 hr/wk

Middle School Program Coordinator **Oregon Health & Science University (OHSU)**

Coordinating On Track OHSU!'s (STEM pathways program) middle school program, engaging over 2,000 racially diverse 6-8th grade students through: curriculum design, event coordination, teaching, volunteer management, staff training, hiring and supervising interns, grant writing, program evaluation, and partnership support.

2018-2019

Outdoor Education Coordinator | KairosPDX

1 vear 28 hr/wk Collaborating with teachers, staff, and community partners to design and implement culturallyresponsive earth science lessons; connecting classroom learning to the community, neighborhood and land; collecting and tracking data; creating pathways for students, families, and community members to the environmental field.

2016-2018

Graduate Assistant | Portland State University

2 vears 15 hr/wk As a Peer Mentor for University Studies courses, I was responsible for planning and facilitating three 12-student sessions per week, per course; facilitating discussion and skill building to deepen students academic understanding of content from the main class session, as well as the personal connections to their lives; supporting their Social Emotional Learning, sense of community, and connections to campus resources.

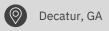
2015-2016

Governance & Development Intern | Lloyd Ecodistrict

12 hr/wk

1 vear

Assisting with board activities, grant development, operational and communications support, leading creation of a resident and employee committee focused on livability and community development; provided blueprint for successful City Repair placemaking project in 2017.







HONORS & AWARDS

2021 - Published in Journal of Health Science and Education, "Measures for Novel STEM Pathway Program," 2021, vol 5, issue 1

2018 - Professional Development **Award**, Institute for Sustainable Solutions, PSU

2017 - Social Justice Scholars Award providing support to attend the Association for Contemplative Mind in Higher Ed Conference in Santa Cruz, CA

2017 - Scholarship to attend the Community Engaged Research Institute at UC Santa Cruz

2014 - Joye Fourmy Cobb Romeiser Award in **Education**, Rhodes College

PRESENTATIONS

2018 - 2nd place at Portland State University's **3-Minute Thesis** Competition

2018 - Soil to Soul original research at Environmental Ed. Association of OR Conference

2017 - Soil to Soul original research at the Association for the Study of African American Life & History conference in Cincinnati, OH

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EXPERIENCE CONTINUED

2016

DEI Intern | West Multnomah Soil & Water

4 months Conservation District

20 hr/wk

Identifying existing and potential community partners, attending events and meetings, facilitating staff meetings to co-construct an authentic vision for racial equity, debriefing on hiring practices. (Limited Duration position)

2015

W.I.L.D. Camp Co-Director | Portland Parks & Recreation

5 months & Re

Co-designing and directing the first environmentally -focused summer camp at PP&R. Developing curriculum, managing budget, supervising three camp counselors, and leading daily activities for the camp's 11-week duration for up to 30 4th-6th graders. (Seasonal position)

Memphis, TN

2014

Marketing & Support Coordinator | New Ballet Ensemble & School (Memphis, TN)

8 months 40 hr/wk

Writing newsletters and press releases, managed social media and website, managing

City Dance camp, mentoring youth

2010-2014

Student Fellow | Rhodes College

4 years 15 hr/wk Supporting community-based organizations: event planning and support, research, giving workshops. Organizations included Midtown North Community Association, Vollintine Evergreen Community Association, Overton Park Conservancy and New Ballet Ensemble & School in Memphis, TN.

Volunteer Exerience Sankofa Village AR 2021-present, weaver/founder Portland Metro Regional Gov 2023 Metro Community Partnership review

Portland Af Am Leadership Forum 2016-2019, EJ Working Group Urban Nature
Partners PDX
2016-2018
board member

