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Objective

An accomplished and dedicated activist with over 5 years of experience in grassroots climate, energy and environmental organizing. An experienced programmer, specializing in the implementation of open-source software solutions for mobilizing grassroots activism and penetrating new and traditional media markets. Seeking project based employment with non-profit and pro-social profit organizations.

Experience

Co-founder/Steering Committee Member, Energy Action Coalition, 2004-2007

Played facilitating role in bringing together youth leaders from 16 organizations to found the Energy Action Coalition. Worked closely with coalition partners, staff, funders and volunteers to grow the coalition to 37 organizations, 540 local groups and an annual budget of over 2.2 million dollars.

Digital Organizer, Energy Action Coalition, 2005-2007

Built and maintained 18,000 member email list, online petitioning, event coordination and action registration in support of ongoing grassroots organizing. Built an online new media presence with over 3,000 daily readers (site visitors).

Sustainable Transportation Policy Analyst, University of California, 2004-2005

In conjunction with staff at 10 UC campuses and the University of California Office of the President, worked to conduct research on the feasibility of a systemwide sustainable transportation policy. Duties included public presentation, data gathering, research and analysis.

Co-founder/Coordinator, California Student Sustainability Coalition, 2002-2004

Organized students throughout the state of California as part of a campaign for the passage of a renewable energy and green building policy in the University of California. A comprehensive policy was passed and the campaign developed into a statewide coalition of students working on many aspects of sustainability. Today the coalition is a

leading force in on campus environmental organizing in California.

Co-owner/Book Buyer, Slug Books Co-op, Santa Cruz, CA, 2002-2004

Oversaw textbook department with over \$300,000 in quarterly sales. Worked closely with professors, students and co-workers to insure customer satisfaction and financial security for the cooperative.

Education

University of California Santa Cruz, 2003 - Bachelor of Philosophy

References available upon request.