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B.B.A. in International Business, Belmont University, Nashville TN. May 2008.

## **Professional Experience**

Conservation Coordinator, Southeastern Grasslands Initiative, Austin Peay State University, Clarksville TN. Aug 2018 – Present

Conservation Coordinator, Tennessee Plant Conservation Alliance, Austin Peay State University, Clarksville TN. Aug 2018 – Present

Assistant Herbarium Collections Manager, Austin Peay State University Herbarium, Clarksville TN. Aug 2016-Aug 2018

Watershed Restoration and Outreach Coordinator, Harpeth Conservancy, Nashville TN. Dec 2013 –Aug 2016

Field Crew, California Trout, Coleville CA. Jul 2013-Nov 2013

Stewardship Intern, Anacostia Watershed Society, Bladensburg MD. Mar 3013-Jun 2013

Senior Partner Services Associate, GlobalGiving Foundation, Washington DC. Aug 2009-Dec 2012.

## **Publications (Peer Reviewed)**

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