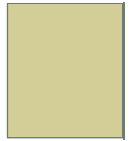


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Education

Northern Arizona University, Flagstaff, AZ
2004 ▪ **M.Ed., Education**

Indiana University, Bloomington, IN
1996 ▪ **B.S., Public Policy**

Fellowships/Honors

Governor's Fellow ▪ July 2018-July 2019
QF Colorado Governor's Fellowship, Denver, CO

US Senate Rural Economic Summit, 2017, Washington, DC

Awards

Economic Development Council of Colorado Company of the Year, 2017

Colorado Companies To Watch Winner, 2017

Wright Award Finalist, 2016

Colorado Mesa University Entrepreneur of the Year, 2015

Speaking Engagements

Outdoor Economy Conference Keynote Speaker ▪ October 2019
Asheville, NC

Breakfast of Champions ▪ September 2019
Conservation Colorado, Denver, CO

US Congress, House Natural Resources Committee ▪ February 2019
Witness and gave testimony for Energy and Minerals Subcommittee, Denver, CO

Economic Development Summit Keynote Speaker ▪ September 2018
Steamboat Springs, CO

Boards and Committees

Founder and Leadership Council President ▪ 2015- present
Outdoor Recreation Coalition of the Grand Valley, Grand Junction, CO

Advisory Council Executive Team ▪ 2015- present
Colorado Office of Outdoor Recreation, Denver, CO

Board Member ▪ 2019- present
Conservation Colorado, Denver, CO

Vice President ▪ 2017- present
D51 Foundation Board, Grand Junction, CO

Board Member ▪ 2017- 2020
Grand Junction Economic Partnership Board, Grand Junction, CO

Transition Team member ▪ 2018
Polis Administration, Denver, CO

Committee Member and Chair ▪ 2013- 2019
D51 Safety Committee, D51 Calendar Committee, D51 Schools Ballot Initiative, Mesa County Valley District 51, Grand Junction, CO

Advisory Council Member ▪ 2015- present
Colorado Mesa University Office of the President, Grand Junction, CO

Fundraising Committee Member ▪ 2015- 2018
Math and Science Center, Grand Junction, CO

Founder and Board Member ▪ 2008-2013
River Canyon School ▪, Grand Junction, CO

Founder and Member ▪ 2012- 2015
Save Our Students, Grand Junction, CO

Experience

Owner, and Co-Founder ▪ 2004 - present
Bonsai Design ▪ 201 South Ave, Grand Junction, CO 81501

Director, Office of Advising ▪ 2002-2004
Prescott College ▪ 220 Grove Ave, Prescott, AZ 86301