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Full Name:

Steve Doorly

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I am a project manager/hospital educator and have been actively involved in Costa Mesa Parks and Fields. I had also been an AYSO Coach and Referee for region 120 for 10 years, as well as grown up around all the parks. I understand as a CM resident how important our parks are to our residents.

I am also very interested in Planning Commission and how the city will grow and thrive. I've seen some project commence, and often times the outcome the opposite of what the city of Costa Mesa was headed for.

Q4

As a Commission member, what ideas or projects are of interest to you?

The projects that are of interest to me:

Getting more residents out to our parks ad enjoying nature. I would like to see some kind of campaign for a community get together. I recently went to 2 Chili Cookoffs and thoroughly enjoyed meeting neighbors, but these are only 2 times a year. Concerts in the park is also only in the summer times. If we could get some kind of campaign to get more community events going, and increasing awareness, it would improve our community.

I was very pleased that Triangle Square was recently cleaned up and it is nice to visit regularly. I would like to see more areas change for the better to increase foot traffic. There are areas on Harbor Blvd that are dark and appear dilapidated. I would also like to brighten up those shopping areas. I am hoping by having a reduction of the price of permits, and other incentives will encourage building owners to spend money on their property which will increase our tax revenue.

Other than this, I have experience and time on my hands, and as a resident of Costa Mesa for almost 50 years, I am looking for things that I can to do to improve Costa Mesa.

Respondent skipped this question

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Optional Resume:

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Full Name:

Daniel Stone

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I have a very heavy commercial construction background and own several properties in Costa Mesa. I can help understand the needs and wants from residents and how they can be implemented under budget and cost effectively. I have built large commercial projects all over the United States and understand plans and design concepts very well.

Q4

As a Commission member, what ideas or projects are of interest to you?

Clean up the parks, sidewalks, plants, asphalt, and entrances to the neighborhoods around Costa Mesa. I also want to get involved with the community and put together fund raisers to raise money for people that are in need.

Q5

Optional Resume:

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DANIEL W. STONE

221 Tulane Drive & Costa Mesa, CA & 92626 & 949-230-8517 & DanStone04@gmail.com

OBJECTIVE: Highly self-motivated and goal-oriented professional committed to pursuing long term career in Business Development within the Commercial Construction industry.

EDUCATION:

CHAPMAN UNIVERSITY, Orange, California Argyros School of Business & Economics Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, Emphasis in Marketing (2007)

HIGHLIGHTS OF QUALIFICATIONS:

- Highly motivated, energetic, diligent worker
- Background in market research, graphic design, and 3-d architectural Design
- Technically proficient in MAC and PC, Microsoft Office, Excel, Project, Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, Procore, Foundation and Sage Master Builder

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

DIRECTOR OF BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT, Bogart Construction Inc., Irvine, California, April 2012-Present

- Generated new business and long-term account opportunities through prospecting and cold-calling, 75MM in closed new and recurring business.
- Developed many solid long-lasting relationships with local and national retailers, restaurants, architects, and developers.
- Developed, coordinated and implemented sales strategies that identified and produced new business in (42) different markets/states.
- Established CRM to increase sales, improve sales forecasting, and enhance account tracking on new and existing clients.
- Attend industry functions, events, and conferences; providing feedback and information on current market/creative trends.
- Met and exceeded sales goals for 6 consecutive years by maintaining and creating a consistent pipeline.
- Manage and oversee an Estimating Manager and 5 Estimating Coordinators.
- Develop and create Bid Packages with the Marketing Team for submittals on new projects.
- Work closely with multiple SPM's and PM's to ensure client satisfaction and project execution on all jobs.

PROJECT MANAGER, Bogart Construction Inc., Irvine, California, April 2008-2012

- Manage all aspects of construction projects from pre-construction to project close-out working closely with all staff to make sure the clients are pleased, and project is on time and under budget.
- Manage project teams including Project Coordinators, Site Superintendents and Subcontractors
- Maximize team effectiveness to ensure targets and objectives are met effectively.
- Oversee and manage negotiating costs, pricing, and safety.
- Oversee and manage expediting schedules, quality control and value engineering.
- Promote a business environment that fosters high standards in the areas of ethics, integrity and values
- Communicate regularly with clients to assure overall satisfaction
- Work toward our motto of "On Time Completion Zero Punch Turn"

ASSISTANT PROJECT MANAGER, Net Development Company, Costa Mesa, California, February 2007- April 2008

- Analyzed/Forecasted costs and budgets for new development projects with the Senior Management.
- Worked with the in-house construction department to develop newly acquired land.
- Monitor Project progress to make sure project stays on time and in budget.
- Presented and sold (TIC's) investment opportunities to clients.
- Assisted in raising over \$15 million in capital from outside sources to fund projects.
- Reviewed project status reports during each operational phase.
- Prepared weekly project status reports for management.

ASSISTANT ARCHITECTUAL ENGINEER-INTERNSHIP, Mammoth Equities, Mission Viejo,

California May 2004- January 2007

- Assisted hiring with prospective new employees.
- Researched property and new technology for future buildings.
- Designed 3-D Models for probable courtyards.
- Contributed to the development of a database to streamline mailings.

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Full Name:

Philip David Westfall

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Indicate why you wish to serve on this Commission. Provide any experience or qualifications you may possess that you think would be beneficial to this Commission. A resume (optional) may be attached.

I am a 40 year adult male that has lived in Costa Mesa from 1985-Present. Attended California School, Estancia HS, and OCC. I am very interested in being a part of bettering our community in any way I can.

Q4

As a Commission member, what ideas or projects are of interest to you?

Any project that helps better our community is of interest to me

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Full Name:

Terry Richard Wall

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Parks and Community Services Commission

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I have served on Parks committees in other cities in which I have lived and feel that I could make a valuable contribution here.

Q4

As a Commission member, what ideas or projects are of interest to you?

I was impressed by the implementation of the pickleball courts at Tanager Park and would like to be part of these kinds of developments, in concert with the immediate neighbors impacted by them.

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Full Name:

Syed Zia Hussain

Q2 Indicate the name of the Commission you are interested in serving on:	Arts Commission (Complete Questions 9-17 on the Next Page) , Parks and Community Services Commission, Planning Commission
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Q3

Indicate why you wish to serve on this Commission. Provide any experience or qualifications you may possess that you think would be beneficial to this Commission. A resume (optional) may be attached.

I am completing my undergraduate degree in Urban Planning and have worked for the planning dept Cal Poly Pomona and City of Tustin. I have also conducted research on Walkability in Costa Mesa.

I have undergraduate degree in Management from Netherlands and Associate degree in Architecture and Event Management.

1- I run an Environment Design meetup group. And have travelled Europe. I understand the value of Open spaces and street art. I recently walked the Stroget Street in Copenhagen.

Q4

As a Commission member, what ideas or projects are of interest to you?

I have travelled and lived in many countries especially in Europe and I understand the value of small-town look design, where even far distinctions are walkable. It is because how each street and every site is designed in a way that is comfortable and interested and full of people.

I would like to make my City (Costa Mesa) more interesting and comfortable for all its residents and make it most sustainable city within OC. I like to keep my ideas innovative so it also becomes the most tourist place with in OC and California.

Syed Zia Hussain

1300 Adams Ave 17N, Costa Mesa, CA 92626. ziahussain2019@gmail.com.

ziahussain@hotmail.com Ph: 1-714-280-3730

Key Skills	
Public speaking/Presentation	MS office: Excel, MS Words, Power Point
Fluent in English, Urdu and Punjabi. Basic French	Working on Sketch up, Rhino and AutoCAD, also Adobe Creative Suite, ArcGIS and InDesign. Word Processing,
Excellent in verbal and writing skills. Technical Report writing and Communication/Presentations	Excellent in Research, Analysis and technical writing. Basic statistic on Excel and use of census data website.
Principles of Urban Planning, Knowledge of zoning and local laws on Urban Planning	Ability to work independently.

Achievements:

- Owner "OC Smart City Developer" Sept 2022. <u>https://www.meetup.com/oc-smart-city-developers-meetup-group/</u>
- > Received scholarship in Architecture study Program 2018 at Orange Coast College.
- > Architecture club member, and member of honor societies, Orange Coast College.
- Brought in three sponsors for the Homeless Veterans Summer festival at American Family Housing during internship for college credit.
- > Certification of participant student in WTS (Transportation Academy) 2021.
- Student member of APA (American Planning Association)
- Qualified Gold Level International Dance Teacher Association, UK certification in Freestyle dance.

United States:

Planning Aide Intern – (Student Intern Planning) at Cal Poly Pomona Facility Planning and Management department. Working as intern at the DRC (Documentation Record Center) for Summer 2022. Duties: Record keeping, cold calls, drawing figure grounds, Site Analysis maps, printout Architectural drawing, files keeping and admin work. Administrative Intern – (Planning and Building) at City of Tustin. dept. (Oct 2021- Feb 2022). Duties include and not limited to variance, condition permits to the clients who request for it, design reviews, Quality control and update code files. Customer service and attend phone calls for Building and Planning department concerns

➢ Worked at City of San Clemente as Recreational Leader. Aug 2020 − May 2021. Netherlands:

- Event planner and Coordinators with Expect-Leeuwarden for several fundraising events, and hosted their radio show for 1 year and supported produce. Leeuwarden, Netherlands.
- > Teacher at Parnas Performing Arts School, Leewuarden, Netherlands. 2007 to 2009.

Pakistan:

- English teacher at My Little World secondary school, Karachi, Pakistan. And organized several teachers workshops. 1999 to 2000.
- Produced three song albums and managed promotional activities of the music group. 1992 to 1997.

Education:

- Majoring in Urban Planning, Cal Poly Pomona CA. 3RD Year 2020-update. Expect graduation date Spring 2023. (Taking up to 16 credits study load each semester)
- Associate degree in Architecture (Honors) GPA 3.36, Orange Coast College, CA.
- Associate Degree in Meeting and Event Management from Orange Coast College, CA.
- > Undergraduate degree in Service Management. Stenden University, Netherlands.

Research Work

- Original research; topic "Effects of New High Dense Housing Development on Walkability in Costa Mesa City", at Orange Coast College symposium March 2020. Supervisor Prof. Dr Dean Abernathy, OCC Architecture Dept.
- ➢ "How encouraging is Costa Mesa City to Walkability". March 2019.

Activities: Travelled and lived in United Kingdom, Netherlands, Cyprus, Denmark, Sweden, Syria, Iran, Saudi Arabia, Yemen, and visited Texas, Los Vegas, and Michigan in USA.



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Full Name:

Curt Rollison

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Indicate why you wish to serve on this Commission. Provide any experience or qualifications you may possess that you think would be beneficial to this Commission. A resume (optional) may be attached.

Masters degree in Human Centered Design. Decade of work experience with market research and strategy.

Costa Mesa resident. Former renter and new home owner.

Chairperson on of the Enough for All Fund, coordinated distribution of \$700k to Costa Mesa residents for emergency Covid relief

Father of two daughters (4&6)

Currently working in technology for facilities management.

Q4

As a Commission member, what ideas or projects are of interest to you?

Making Costa Mesa a human centered city that prepares the foundation for equitable and resilient housing solutions, public spaces, transportation plans, and dynamic neighborhoods.

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Respondent skipped this question

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Full Name:

Cristian Garcia Arcos

Q2

Parks and Community Services Commission

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Indicate why you wish to serve on this Commission. Provide any experience or qualifications you may possess that you think would be beneficial to this Commission. A resume (optional) may be attached.

I wish to serve this commission, my background is 15 years in family landscape 4 of those years in Arboriculture.

In this journey through those years learning maintenance, irrigation, safety, IPM, Tree pruning, Tree cabling, Tree injections, Tree diagnosing, Tree planting, Tree hugging. Working for *Hispanic Arborist Association: as co-instructor for safety training. *RGS: Forman crew leader for commercial.

*PCA: Arborist/ safety Officer.

*TreeCare LA: Arborist student to the best Arborist and a BCMA- Board Certified Master Arborist!!!

Qualifications:

- 1. Ariel rescue certified
- 2. Wildlife aware graduate
- 3. OCc horticulture student
- 4. FA/CPR/AED adult-child-infant
- 5. Tree safety instructor for the ISA/OSHA/Hispanic Arborist Association.
- 6: Arborist Safety Around conductors certification
- 7. Tree planting volunteers for LA events.

Having connections with the ISA /western chapter as well as nursery's I'd love to plant trees along our city and assure proper irrigation as well as having the right list to plant the right trees in the right location to minimize liability's.

I would also like to suggest a better approach to planting and installing more garden beds for our community to come together also serving as therapy to consume a better healthy source of accomplishment!

Q4

As a Commission member, what ideas or projects are of interest to you?

- 1. Tree planning
- 2. Community youth engagement
- 3. At risk community mentorship program.
- 4. parent community involvement.

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Respondent skipped this question

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Full Name:

Judith E. Quezada

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Parks and Community Services Commission

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Given that I've been a long time resident that has left and came back, I feel that it's my civil duty to give back to my community by being more involved. This is a great opportunity to gage what it is to be involved in local government and understand the process in which issues are handled.

Q4

As a Commission member, what ideas or projects are of interest to you?

The projects that are of interest to me are Parks and Community Services Commission.

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Full Name:

Luke Daskas

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Parks and Community Services Commission

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I wish to serve on this commission because I believe that Parks and Community Services provide residents with necessary services for their wellbeing, and I want to be part of that. Aside from basic services provided by the city, parks and community services are often the only connection residents will have to local government. That makes this extremely important. When I wake up in the morning, I am comforted by the knowledge that I live in a developing city that provides ample green space, historical interest, and services that amplify the Costa Mesa living experience.

The focus of my career thus far has been in volunteer management, organizing, and nonprofit development. While my focus has mostly been in health and justice, I am eager to bring my skills to this planning commission and help continue to steer the Parks and Community Services Commission in a direction that best serves our community. I have a Master of Public Administration degree from American University, which has given me a firm grasp on the functions and management of government agencies. My greatest lesson from my education is that the role of public administration is to "provide society every day." It seems to me that some of the most important aspects of society that city government can provide are access to outdoor spaces, opportunities to be active, and opportunities to connect with the city, the earth, and each other.

I, as a relatively young person, am dedicated to the City of Costa Mesa and its continued excellence. I am hoping that this position is an opportunity to serve in a more involved way that allows me to be connected to this city and its residents for years to come. I have felt welcomed by this city, and I want to help extend that feeling to residents new and old, as well as guests of Costa Mesa.

With all of this in mind, please consider me for a position on this commission. Thank you.

Q4

As a Commission member, what ideas or projects are of interest to you?

I am interested in the function and maintenance of parks, community gardens, the country club, and adult sports. I frequent the parks of Costa Mesa (I love taking a nice stroll or visiting the Diego Sepulveda Adobe). I am currently waitlisted for a spot in one of the the community gardens. I think the golf course is excellent and I have lost more than one ball on the Par 5s.

I also want to help teens and young adults feel connected to parks and community services. I often feel that parks are utilized by children and their parents, as well as older adults, but the services are lost on people who are not in those phases of life. As the last few years have shown, connection to our outdoor spaces are vital to personal satisfaction and happiness, even in the face of uncertain times. I hope to help steward that connection.

It makes me so happy that Costa Mesa provides opportunities for adult sports programs, and I want to be a part of finding more ways to connect young adults to the city and its programs.

Maybe most importantly, I hope to learn the vision of the Parks and Community Services Commission (and Department), the City Council, and the residents of Costa Mesa. At the end of the day, we provide services for the people, and I want to be sure that I am a part of allowing residents to shape their own home while maintaining civic and historical integrity.

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Optional Resume:

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LUKE "OAKEY" DASKAS

EXPERIENCE

Assistant Director of Community Impact

We The Action - Civic Nation | October 2021 - Present

- Oversee nonpartisan network of 42,000 lawyers to ensure volunteer satisfaction and retention
 through individual outreach and mass communications.
- Identify nonprofit partners with greatest need in order to personally find and connect pro bono lawyers to those organizations for pro bono services.
- Research best practices for volunteer engagement through curated volunteer conversations, development of metrics, and experimentation with engagement events and outreach methods new to the organization.

Regional Organizing Director; National Day of Service (Virginia) 59th Presidential Inaugural Committee | December 2020 - February 2021

- Constructed a self-sufficient network of volunteer leaders while working through a hierarchical
 organizational structure for best outcomes on the National Day of Service.
- Coordinated with volunteer hosts via phone, email, and video call to put together dozens of events across Virginia, engaging over 1,500 volunteers.
- Executed a statewide effort with community leaders to get tens of thousands of masks distributed across Virginia as a coordinated effort to make PPE accessible.

Field Organizer; Ca-48, Congressman Harley Rouda

California Democratic Party | July 2020 - Nov 2020

- Developed and led volunteer recruitment to build outreach capacity in a turf of 170,000 voters by managing fellows and interns and running ongoing trainings for volunteers.
- Completed over 3,000 calls and sent over 43,000 texts for voter identification and volunteer recruitment, utilized social media as a recruitment tool, crafted regular email updates for approximately 100 volunteers.
- Managed large amounts of data, including information on key volunteers and voters throughout the district. Oversaw daily and weekly email blasts, stakeholder calls, and troubleshooting.
- Hosted organizational events ranging from large scale Days of Action to intimate virtual house parties to engage and retain volunteers, empowering them in the campaign and within their communities.

District Intern, Office of Congressman Gil Cisneros

U.S. House of Representatives | May 2019 - Aug 2019

- Represented Congressman Cisneros at events around CA-39, publicizing the work of the office and educating constituents about how the office could serve them.
- Compiled and organized constituent information for the district director in order to expedite followup. Assisted with scheduling and casework to make the office run more efficiently.

Policy & Advocacy Intern

Ovarian Cancer Research Fund Alliance | Feb 2018 - June 2018

- Scheduled over one hundred meetings directly with congressional offices on behalf of over 50 patient advocates.
- Attended and reported on key congressional hearings and meetings to assist in developing policy positions for organization executives.
- Developed instructional materials for patient advocates, breaking down complex legislation for comprehensive policy asks.

Advocacy Intern

Cystic Fibrosis Foundation | May 2015 - July 2015, Mar 2017 - June 2017

- Presented webinars and in-person trainings for teen advocates, helping them understand complex federal policy issues and develop their stories of self to effectively make a legislative ask.
- Assisted in planning two fly-in lobby days, working through planning logistics, volunteer recruitment, and advance work for events
- Worked across departments with the policy, communications, and meetings teams to assist key staff and VPs in their roles.

Press Intern, Office of Senator Harry Reid

U.S. Senate | Aug 2016 - Dec 2016

- Penned daily economic overviews for Senator Reid, highlighting market happenings that could have governmental, legislative, or industry impact.
- Covered weekly press conferences of Senate leadership, prepared briefing materials for Senator Reid and his staff, compiled daily press clips, and reviewed & transcribed media interviews.

Campaign Assistant, Outreach and Fundraising Leukemia & Lymphoma Society | July 2015 - August 2016

- Direct donor contact, partnered with vendors, and served in a multi-use capacity at large fundraising events, namely Light the Night.
- Forged relationships with school administrators across Southern California through school visits, assemblies, and phone calls to fundraise through LLS's student coin collection program.

SUMMARY

Motivated MPA passionate about government, strategic communication, and advocacy as means for achieving positive community and social impact. I have a background in policy & advocacy, volunteer management, customer service, and organizing.

EDUCATION Bachelor of <u>Arts, Public Relations</u>

American University | 2016-2020

Master of Public Administration Concentration: Nonprofit Management American University | 2020-2021

Certificate- Analytics and Management
American University

Relevant Coursework

Budgeting & Financial Management, Public Administration, Grassroots Digital Advocacy. Leadership in a Changing Workplace, Speechwriting, Grant Writing, Managing Nonprofit Organizations

SKILLS

- Fundraising
- Microsoft Office Suite
 PR Writing
- Public Speaking
- Scheduling
- Customer Service
- Budgeting
 DD Writing
- Volunteer Coordination
- Communication
- Empathy

OTHER

- Cystic Fibrosis Foundation College
 Development Program Planning Committee
 Leader, April 2020-January 2021
- WVAU College Radio General Manager, May 2019-May 2020
- J. Crew Sales Associate, February 2019-June 2020
- Huntington Surf & Sport Sales Associate, June 2015- January 2018
- EveryLife Foundation Rare Voice Award Nominee, September 2018

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Kelly Anne Brown

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Parks and Community Services Commission

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As a current PACS Commissioner, I've gotten to know my local parks and community services even better than I have over the 10 years I've lived in Costa Mesa. I am invested in many of the projects that are currently slated to be initiated, including the most recent review of the Open Space Master Plan. As a mother of a daughter who regularly uses the parks, including for soccer, I am interested and invested in helping Costa Mesa grow its parks, especially in areas like my neighborhood where we don't have as much green space as other parts of the city. I am also very interested in helping foster connections between Costa Mesa city government and other local entities, including the University of California, where I work. I have been working with Arlis Reynolds to help forge these connections, and would like to continue the work.

Q4

As a Commission member, what ideas or projects are of interest to you?

More green space for the neighborhoods where there isn't much! Helping make the upcoming Open Space Master Plan even more responsive to community input, with many opportunities for genuine community engagement. Bringing more history and cultural arts activities to the parks.

Q5

Optional Resume:

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Kelly Anne Brown, PhD

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Collaborative and creative leader with over twenty years of experience in statewide program development and management, administration, and stakeholder engagement across diverse publics. National presenter and skilled researcher with expertise in humanities administration and pedagogy; committed to advancing the mission of the UC to build stronger, better educated citizens and more equitable communities across California.

Professional Experience

University of California Humanities Research Institute, Irvine, CA: 2012-Present

Associate Director: May 2014–Present

Research Programs Manager: September 2012-May 2014

Oversee day-to-day operations of the Institute, coordinating grant-making, communications, program staffing and development, evaluation and reporting, and events. In collaboration with Director, develop strategy and long-range goals for the Institute, and engage key stakeholders including Board of Directors, senior university leadership, and campus-based humanities centers, among others. Principal advisor to director on budget, HR, and technology needs.

Program and Research Development and Management

- Co-developed and manage all facets of 4 statewide and international humanities research programs, with budgets ranging from \$350,000 to 1.25 million each. Programs include Humanists@Work, Religions in Diaspora and Global Affairs, the Humanities and Changing Conceptions of Work, and Horizons of the Humanities. Select highlights include:
 - Developed Humanists@Work, an 8-year, externally funded and intensely collaborative professionalization program that engaged over 1,000 humanities graduate students across the UC system and beyond. Hosted 8 experimental 1.5 daylong workshops across California in museum and library spaces, built a <u>website</u> and LinkedIn group, and connected disparate stakeholders across the 10 campuses of the UC system–including faculty, staff, and students–with one another and with community-based employers. Created a UC alumni tracking project, and served as PI for PhD alumni focus group research project (Council of Graduate Schools grants). Created data-driven UC humanities PhD outcomes booklet <u>Stories from the Field</u>. Hosted national conversations on topics like debt and mentorship.
 - Provide programmatic strategic direction and multi-layered stakeholder engagement for Horizons of the Humanities and the Humanities and Changing Conceptions of Work, multi-year programs with numerous university and public-facing programs. Led a UC-wide group of humanities center staff conducting international research on humanities research infrastructure and staffed a faculty working group on tenure and promotion, with a focus on publicly-engaged scholarship.
- Oversee statewide competitive grants program, awarding over \$1 million annually (in UCOP funding) across all 10 UC campuses, including Humanities, Social Science, and Arts Divisions; developed 10 new calls for funding in past 3 years (for a total of 15-20 calls for funding/year), doubling the number of applicants.

Kelly Anne Brown, PhD

Coordinated, led, and oversaw over 40 statewide and international workshops, conferences, and public events;
 Co-facilitated MLA-sponsored DGS breakfast on graduate student professionalization (MLA 2017).

Budget & Fundraising

- □ Manage all UCHRI program budgets, which range from \$350,000 to 1.25 million. Provide oversight for program managers who work 1:1 with faculty, staff, and graduate students on program budget compliance.
- □ Make recommendations to UCHRI's director on annual operating budget, which ranges from \$3-5 million depending on funding cycle, and includes state, foundation, and endowment funding; provide oversight and recommendations for local humanities center MRPI budgets.
- Developed two new streams of funding for UCHRI via external grants (\$400,000); part of a fundraising/development team that raised over \$8 million in funding for UCHRI's core administration infrastructure and special research initiatives over four years, and working on a \$30-million endowment for UCHRI and the UC Humanities Network. Served as principal investigator (PI) on two national grants.

Leadership & Research Communications

- □ Facilitate the intellectual engagement of all of UCHRI's key publics across 10 UC campuses, with a focus on UCHRI's Board of Governors and multi-campus Advisory Committee, senior humanities leadership and faculty, campus-based humanities center leadership, and public partners like California Humanities.
- □ Lead on data-driven report creation for UCOP, national foundations, and university leadership. Track program outcomes and evaluate performance metrics; oversaw complete revision of reporting systems to make more transparent for users.
- Oversaw team engaged in rebranding and website redesign process of UCHRI and Horizons of the Humanities initiative; coordinate staff leadership of all social media content, video and materials production, and online publishing platform <u>Foundry</u>. Led team to grow UCHRI's audience base by 25% with targeted communications outreach, and successfully tripled the amount of content-related blog posts and multi-media productions.
- □ Continued to build upon UCHRI's mission to support diverse projects and audiences, with particular attention to underrepresented faculty and graduate students through the development of four new UC-wide programs.

Human Resources & Technology

- Supervise five managers, post-docs, and GSRs, who manage two staff. Serve(d) as mentor to dozens of graduate students across the UC, and created UCHRI summer internship for PhD students. As part of the move to Career Tracks (and even before), have worked to meet staff needs regarding equity (salary).
- □ In collaboration with senior leadership, grew UCHRI program staffing by 4 fulltime positions over the past five years with external grant funding in order to develop a high-performing team of researchers/administrators; lead on job description and interview selection process; facilitated the creation of new individual and team professional development opportunities for staff. (Treat staff to artisanal doughnuts, bi-monthly).
- Oversaw transition of UCHRI's grants management software from FastApps to Submittable, allowing for improved tracking of grants submission and report generation for funders. Make institute-wide recommendations re: technology needs and upgrades, including hardware purchases.
- Led team transition to new program management software (Asana), and manage several WordPress sites.

University of California, Santa Cruz, Santa Cruz, CA: 2004–2011

Instructor and Graduate Student Researcher: 2006-2011

Teaching Assistant: 2004-2006

- □ Instructor of record for 6 undergraduate classes including Dance and Modern Life (2009), Manifestos and the Public Sphere (2009), and Cowell Core (2007-2009), and one graduate course (Literature Pedagogy, 2010); teaching assistant for over 10 undergraduate courses.
- Graduate student researcher for Cowell College Provosts; authored white paper on emerging trends in graduate education professionalization which served as blueprint for programming in UC Santa Cruz's Graduate Division (2011), and co-organized statewide conference on Italian Studies (2008).

First Five California & First Five Alameda County

Community Grants Program Associate (First Five Alameda): 2002–2004 California Executive Fellow (First Five California): 2000-2001

- Coordinated community grants program with emphasis on funding underserved communities (including the selection of grantees, program review and compliance, and assistance to grantees with report and budget preparation) and created monthly stakeholder newsletter.
- □ Authored multi-million dollar RFP on parent education; prepared bill analyses and testified before California State Legislature; staffed the Master Plan for Education: Pre-K working group.

EDUCATION

PhD, Literature, UC Santa Cruz (2011). Concentrations: modernist & avant-garde art and performance, publicness, space theory.

MPPA, California Executive Fellow, Sacramento State University, Sacramento (2001, 12 of 24 units) BA, English, Lewis & Clark College (1999)

PUBLICATIONS

UCHRI. Stories from the Field. (2021)

- Brown, K. & Gupta-Nigam, A. "Civility as War: You Deserve to Shine," *Foundry* (October 2018). Available online: <u>https://uchri.org/foundry/civility-as-war-you-deserve-to-shine/</u>
- Brown, Kelly. "Caught Between Less is More, and Doing More for Less." (December 2017). Humanists@Work. Available online: <u>https://humwork.uchri.org/blog/2017/12/caught-less-less/</u>
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- Brown, Kelly. "Beyond the Numbers: Plotting the Field of Humanities PhDs at Work." MLA's *Profession* (May 2017). Available online:

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- Brown, Kelly. "Circling the Square: Publicness and the Transformations of the Modernist Performative Artifact." UC Santa Cruz Literature Dissertation (June 2011).

Featured in:

Humwork featured and interviewed in "Mentors, Projects, Deliverables: Internships and Fellowships for Doctoral Students in the Humanities," MLA's *Profession*. (May 2017). Available online:

https://profession.mla.org/mentors-projects-deliverables-internships-and-fellowships-for-doctoralstudents-in-the-humanities

SELECTED SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS (external events only, estimate 15/55, full list upon request)

- "Student Loan Debt and the PSLFP: <u>A Workshop with Experts</u>." A collaboration with UC Irvine and UCOP. (October 2021).
- "Humanities Research Infrastructure." CHCI, Dublin, Ireland (June 2019).
- "Graduate Student Engagement." University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa (March 2019).
- "Navigating Career Choices Post-PhD Reflections on Work and Identity." Humanities Institute, University of California, Santa Cruz, CA (October 2018).
- "Obstructions in the Humanities." Georgetown University's Connected Academics Summer Institute, Washington, DC (September 2018).
- "Inside Dope: Keynote Address." University of California, Berkeley (March 2017 & 2018).
- "Debt and the Humanities." Modern Language Association's Annual Convention, New York City, NY (January 2018); panel organizer and speaker.
- "Sustaining Resistance: Engaging Faculty in Humanistic Career Initiatives." Connected Academics Summer Institute, Phoenix, AZ (September 2017); panel organizer and speaker.
- "Graduate Student Empowerment and Building Community." Modern Language Association's Humanists@Work Toolkit Discussion, New York City, NY (April 2017).
- "Humanists@Work: Advice for Doctoral Students." San Diego PhD Career Day, University of California, San Diego (March 2017).
- "Mentorship in the Humanities." Modern Language Association's Annual Convention, Philadelphia, PA (January 2017) .
- "Director of Graduate Studies Breakfast," Moderator. Modern Language Association Convention, Philadelphia (January 2017).
- "Humanists@Work: Advice for Doctoral Students." Penn State, State College, Pennsylvania (October 2017).
- "Tracking the Field of Humanities PhDs at Work." University of California, Los Angeles, (October 2016).
- "Defining Success and Finding Community." Keynote at Beyond Academia Conference at University of California, Riverside (2016).

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS AND SERVICE

Commissioner, City of Costa Mesa, Parks, Arts, and Community Services (PACS) Member, Dean's Advisory Council, UC Santa Cruz Modern Language Association (MLA) Imagining America Consortium of Humanities Centers and Institutes (CHCI)



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Travis Hartanov

Q2

Parks and Community Services Commission

Indicate the name of the Commission you are interested in serving on:

Q3

Indicate why you wish to serve on this Commission. Provide any experience or qualifications you may possess that you think would be beneficial to this Commission. A resume (optional) may be attached.

I am a committed Costa Mesa resident and frequent our parks weekly with my kids and family along with when I run. I am passionate the outdoors and am wanting to serve our community in 2023.

Q4

As a Commission member, what ideas or projects are of interest to you?

Park maintenance and improvement to better serve our community.

Q5

Respondent skipped this question

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Q1

Full Name:

Mathew Garcia

Q2

Parks and Community Services Commission

Indicate the name of the Commission you are interested in serving on:

Q3

Indicate why you wish to serve on this Commission. Provide any experience or qualifications you may possess that you think would be beneficial to this Commission. A resume (optional) may be attached.

I have been a user of Costa Mesa parks since my youth growing up in the 1990's. I have been a resident and homeowner in Costa Mesa, just south of the Fairview Park (Continental Ave) since 2012. I truly believe that the open spaces provided by parks is truly invaluable for communities like ours. I am a father of two small boys that love Costa Mesa parks, and I especially care for preserving, maintaining, and improving open spaces for our future generations to use. My family has made Costa Mesa our home and I would like to share my time supporting this commission in order to give back to the community.

I am a working professional with 15 years of experience in business operations, with specific focus in the areas of engineering, accounting, human resources, quality assurance, information technology, and facilities/maintenance/security. Additionally, I am dedicated to a variety of volunteer efforts and activities. I believe that participating in community service helps improve the community for all of us. My experience is broad and covers a variety of disciplines that I think could be beneficial in serving the community.

I have been actively engaged in Costa Mesa for the past few years and am currently the second alternate committee member of the Fairview Park Steering Committee.

Q4

As a Commission member, what ideas or projects are of interest to you?

I am interested in helping support park activities that drive community utilization of Costa Mesa parks. I would like to support general improvements to the parks, especially activities supported by community volunteers. By fostering community engagement through community service at park and City events, the community members themselves will help ensure the continued improvement and positive growth of our community.

Q5

Optional Resume:

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Q6

Contact Information:Note: This contact information will not be posted on the City's website or distributed to the public. However, this information is still subject to release pursuant to the California Public Records Act.



Q7

Signature RequiredNote: Once appointed, Commission members must complete an Oath of Allegiance, administeredby the City Clerk, required by Article XX, Section 3, of the Constitution of the State of California. By checking this box and typing my name below, I am electronically signing my application.

Q8

Full Name:

Mathew Garcia

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Q9

Respondent skipped this question

Current or Most Recent Employer:

Mathew Garcia - https://www.linkedin.com/in/mat-garcia-96009588/

Summary

Working professional with 15 years of broad experience in a wide variety of engineering, manufacturing, and business disciplines. Advanced educational degrees with a passion for being useful. Dedicated to my family; my wife and two young sons. Passion for community engagement. Interested in getting more involved in order to give back to others with the goal of leaving things better than I found them.

Experience

January, 2020 – current | Head of Business Operations – Overair, Inc.

Lead a 16-member team responsible for accounting, information technology, human resources, quality assurance, security, facilities, and facility maintenance at a start-up company working to change urban aerial mobility with an allelectric vertical takeoff and landing 5-passenger aircraft. Part of the company since day one. Have helped grow the organization from 5 to 150 employees. Headquartered in Santa Ana, CA. Raised \$170M in venture-backed funding through Series-B.

May 2010 – January 2020 | Multiple Positions – Karem Aircraft, Inc.

Held engineering, manufacturing, QA, and administrative roles at a small, but extremely ambitious and challengeseeking company developing next-generation tilt-rotor aircraft and related technologies primarily for the US DoD.

KAREM	Karem Aircraft, Inc. 9 yrs 9 mos Lake Forest, CA
•	Head of Administration, Quality Assurance, and Infrastructure Jul 2017 - Jan 2020 · 2 yrs 7 mos
0	Quality Assurance Manager Jan 2013 - Jul 2017 · 4 yrs 7 mos
0	Mechanical Engineering Manager Jan 2015 - Oct 2016 · 1 yr 10 mos
	Engineering Integration May 2010 - Jan 2013 · 2 yrs 9 mos

May 2009 – May 2010 | Flight Test Engineer – The Boeing Co.

Worked on a team flight testing a 6,000-pound, 36-foot rotor diameter, advanced autonomous helicopter developed under DARPA and the US Army.

Education

- University of California, Irvine MS Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering, 2009
 Specialization in flight control systems
- University of California, Irvine BS Aerospace Engineering, 2007

Hobbies and Organizational Involvement

- Volunteer President of Harbor Soaring Society, a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization
- Volunteer coaching for variety of youth sports teams
- Passionate about STEAM outreach activities supporting the youth of our community
- Love for the outdoors, nature, and camping with my family



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Full Name:

Shayanne Wright

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Parks and Community Services Commission

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Q3

Indicate why you wish to serve on this Commission. Provide any experience or qualifications you may possess that you think would be beneficial to this Commission. A resume (optional) may be attached.

Driven by a conviction for public service, I strive to be an active and dedicated citizen in my hometown of Costa Mesa.

I have a deep community service, Project Management, and public relations background. Combined with my commitment to our city, I believe I am the best candidate to serve on the Parks and Community Services Commission.

In the 2022 Election, I ran for the Mesa Water Board. I garnered support from local grassroots organizations to county and statewide groups, but more importantly, I met over 2,000 Costa Mesa residents.

We discussed overlooked local issues like transparency, community awareness, and public services. From there, I implemented a multi-channel campaign through in-person events, digital campaigns, and print communications, which resonated with thousands of voters. It was an honor to run for office, and our residents compel me to build a diverse bench of Commissioners and elected officials.

As a Commissioner, I will continue working to increase community input for projects, advance issues important to residents, and diligently support our exceptional city staff.

In addition, I am a Technology Business Owner and Software Engineer.

As a Startup Entrepreneur, I have spent most of my career working to advance women in STEM. From working with Venture Capital firms to Fortune 500 companies, I have led training programs and boot camps for Female Founders. I have conducted research initiatives for empowering predominantly female portions of the workforce. I have led keynotes globally on how we can uplift underrepresented groups entrepreneurially and in private and public sectors, including government and politics.

These roles have well-prepared me to be a Commissioner, where I can deliver effectively on project management, oversee collaboration between staff and residents, and uphold our government to the highest standards of transparency and creative problem-solving.

In addition, I have firsthand experience in bettering systems from within through a data-driven approach and forging a path of accessibility to include all community stakeholders in important decisions.

Thank you for your consideration.

"I would like to be remembered as someone who used whatever talent she had to do her work to the very best of her ability." -Ruth Bader Ginsburg

Q4

As a Commission member, what ideas or projects are of interest to you?

Costa Mesa has a state-of-the-art Parks and Community Services department. As a resident, I know how fortunate I am to live in a city that prioritizes our beautiful, safe public spaces and parks.

The proposition of joining this Commission is exciting, especially in light of our recent funding from the State and County, allowing us to deploy investments in new projects and renovations.

More than a specific project, I am focused on bettering our processes and systems within the Parks and Community Services department. In my career, I have worked with organizations of all sizes to streamline their processes and increase their digital access to their customers. For PACS, this includes optimizing our residents' experience, from participating in community events to utilizing Park facilities and even requesting permits.

Another responsibility I would excel as a Commissioner in is overseeing Project Management and the financing of projects. No matter the project, ensuring plans are completed on time and within budget is a core duty with which I have extensive experience. I believe enacting a Master Plan with all ongoing, upcoming, and completed projects would benefit the public.

Finally, I would like to see an increase in community engagement and input. As I learned in my campaign, it is not that city staff are not doing enough for residents, but rather residents need to be made aware of all that is available to them. Commissioners should always look for innovative ways to improve the quality of life for our residents and ensure we include them in what we do. I am interested in implementing a multi-channel outreach initiative to hear from residents in person, online, and in public meetings.

If I had to choose a project I am most looking forward to, it would either be adding to the Skate Park at Tewinkle Park or establishing a highly requested dog park in Eastside Costa Mesa.

Q5

Optional Resume:

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SHAYANNE WRIGHT

CEO & CO-FOUNDER

Enacting change, serving my community, and optimizing systems from within are some of my most profound personal and professional values.

I am applying for the Parks and Community Services Commission. In addition, I wear many hats as CEO and lead our team at Office Otter through product development, investor relations, customer success, marketing & sales, etc.

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- www.shayannewright.com
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- Costa Mesa, CA

- English
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- French ★★★★

SKILLS

- Entrepreneurship
- Customer Success
- Research

WORK EXPERIENCE

Mesa Water District Board

Candidate / 2022 Election

Raised over \$30,000, knocked on 2,000 doors, and garnered 45% of the vote against a 20-year incumbent in Eastside Costa Mesa.

Office Otter

CEO & Co-Founder / 2020 - Current

Built a performance tracking tool for Administrative roles to unlock upward mobility. I manage a team of five.

Basketcase

CFO & HR Director

I am the Co-Owner of a Costa Mesa-based clothing company. I oversee its Finances and People Operations.

1517 Fund & Women's Startup Labs

Scholar in Residence

I lead workshops for Startup Founders and advise on fundraising strategies for two Venture Capital firms.

Emerge Candidate Academy

Graduate - 2022

Emerge is a competitive political program for training promising female candidates in the US.

Technology & Entrepreneurship Bootcamps

Graduate - 2020

Graduated from prestigious programs such as Techstars, Women's Startup Labs, & the European Innovation Academy to develop my Computer Science skills.

Azusa Pacific University

International Business & Computer Science

Received a full-ride scholarship and started my first business while still in school.



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Q1

Full Name:

Blake Maxwell

Q2	Parks and Community Services Commission,
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Q3

Indicate why you wish to serve on this Commission. Provide any experience or qualifications you may possess that you think would be beneficial to this Commission. A resume (optional) may be attached.

As a Costa Mesa small business owner, I would like to give back to my community.

Q4

As a Commission member, what ideas or projects are of interest to you?

Any

Q5

Respondent skipped this question