
JARED BLAKE

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SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION INTERNSHIP

PROFILE

- Experience researching and analyzing statistical data
- Strong interpersonal, communication, presentation, and organizational skills gained through volunteer leadership positions
- Demonstrated ability to successfully meet objectives in a timely and thorough manner as team member as well as an individual contributor
- Proficient in Microsoft Office Word, Excel, Power Point, and Publisher

EDUCATION

Bachelor's of Science Environmental Science, May 2010

Southwest Minnesota State University, Marshall, MN

GPA 3.8; Dean's List all semesters

Related Coursework

Soil Conservation and Land Use • Agriculture and Environmental Law • Cell Biology • Botany • Plant Nutrients in the Environment • Plant Diversity • Hydrology • Statistics

RELATED EXPERIENCE

Redwood River Monitoring Project, Marshall, MN

Oct 2008-Present

Volunteer

- Perform pH, alkalinity, turbidity, and dissolved oxygen testing on Redwood River bi-annually
- Compile, analyze, and summarize test results of three collection sites on the Redwood River
- Instruct 30 high school students on how to correctly perform a turbidity test
- Present 2009 Redwood River test results to Lyon County Conservation Board

MEMBERSHIPS

SMSU Student's in Free Enterprise (SIFE) – Member

Nov 2009 - Present

- Active member who participates in community service events. Assists Environmental Sustainability director with recycling promotion, printing awareness, and speaker's bureau
- Consult with other clubs and organizations to promote campus involvement

SMSU Campus Greens – Member

Aug 2008 – Present

- Volunteered in organizing the annual Earth Day Campaign for Marshall Elementary students
- Assists with fundraising, community service projects, and highway cleanup

WORK EXPERIENCE

SMSU Science Department, Marshall, MN

Aug 2007 – Present

Work Study

- Provides excellent customer service to students and faculty by troubleshooting issues and answering questions
- Maintain paper and electronic filing system for records, correspondences, and other materials
- Develop posters and brochures for department workshops using Microsoft Publisher