



KRISTEN H. LONG

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

TFG, LLC., Washington D.C. (2022 – Present)

Grant Project Manager | Grants Analyst (2022-2023)

- Investigates and identifies prospective funding sources and programs to support clients.
- Prepares both general and customized funding reports for clients.
- Authors, prepares, and assists with submission of grant applications to Federal, State, and Foundation funders.
- Monitors and tracks the release of funding opportunities.
- Maintain grant calendars for clients.

Stantec (previously Cardno), Columbia, South Carolina and remote (2006 – 2022)

Primary Brownfield Grant Writer (2006 – 2019, contract grant writer 2019 – 2022)

- Led the development of numerous EPA Brownfield Grant Proposals on an annual cycle for multiple clients across the southeast including development of grant narrative and tracking/shepherding proposals through the submission process.
- Served as trusted liaison between the communities assisted and the applicable state and federal regulatory agencies as proposals were developed to ensure all eligibility criteria were met.
- Based on the high success rate for clients in EPA's Region IV, was asked and subsequently provided feedback on the application process to Region IV representatives for incorporation into the national guidelines.

Brownfield Project Manager (2006 – 2013)

- Served as lead brownfield project manager for multiple clients in Georgia, South Carolina, and North Carolina. As project manager, acted as liaison between the client and the appropriate state and federal regulatory agencies, and oversaw all aspects of each client's brownfield program including budget, federal reporting/submittals, and technical environmental investigations.
- Worked with each client/community to develop relevant community outreach plans and educate about the brownfields process, including actively involving the community (including speaking to multiple groups about the basics of brownfield redevelopment and environmental assessments.)
- Assisted clients in formulation of redevelopment strategies for problematic properties, including securing follow-on funding (such as EPA clean-up grants following assessment and other state and federal grants to stack funding to bring properties back to productive reuse.)

Taylor Research Group, Washington D.C. (2019 – 2022)

Environmental Specialist

- Served as the environmental specialist on multiple historical and environmental research projects pertaining to site and company histories.
- Completed targeted investigations into industrial site histories to assist with identification of potential contaminants historically used at sites, including how those contaminants/chemicals were used, as well as potentially responsible parties.
- Completed corporate succession research, tracking how corporations were organized, merged and/or acquired, and closed over time to determine potential liability for impacted properties.
- Mined various databases and historical records from multiple federal, state, and local government agencies.
- Assisted with proposal efforts, including outlining specific scopes of work, cost estimates, and projected timelines.



South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control – Primary Contract Writer (Brownfields/Voluntary Cleanup Program (2004-2006), Environmental Risk Assessor (Federal Facilities Agreement Section (2002-2004), Hydrogeologist (Federal Facilities Agreement Section/Underground Storage Tank Program (1998-2002)

EDUCATION

University of South Carolina, Columbia, South Carolina

Master of Earth and Environmental Resource Management

Whitman College, Walla Walla, Washington

Bachelor of Arts in Geology with a Minor in Politics and Environmental Studies