



MCMP PROFILES 2017

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Tam Guy

MCMP Year: 2015
Job Title: PhD Student/Researcher

Employer: UCLA



Max Backlund

MCMP Year: 2014
Job Title: Business Development
Manager

Employer: Economic Development
Corporation of Utah



Kimber Gabryszak

MCMP Year: 2009
Job Title: Planning Director
Employer: City of Saratoga Springs



Ed Montero

MCMP Year: 2015
Job Title: Real Estate Specialist
Employer: Verizon Wireless



Hayley Pratt

MCMP Year: 2015
Job Title: Urban Designer & Planner
Employer: IBI Group

*"MY EXPERIENCES IN THE PLANNING PROGRAM AND
INTERNSHIPS WITH LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND
PRIVATE CONSULTING FIRMS WAS ESSENTIAL TO
LANDING MY CURRENT JOB, AND HAVE HELPED TO
SHAPE CAREER CHOICES."*

MAX BACKLUND
2014 MCMP GRADUATE



Tammy Hunsaker

MCMP Year: 2012
Job Title: Project Coordinator
Employer: Redevelopment Agency of
Salt Lake City



Jim Spung

MCMP Year: 2013
Job Title: Associate Planner
Employer: City of Taylorsville



Jennifer Baguley

MCMP Year: 2013
Job Title: Exposure Tracker
Employer: TrackTrain



Lance Tyrrell

MCMP Year: 2013
Job Title: Urban Designer
Employer: IBI Group

"GRADUATE SCHOOL PROVIDED CONSULTING OPPORTUNITIES TO EXPLORE OPTIONS, ULTIMATELY TRANSFORMING A PERSONAL INTEREST IN TRANSIT INTO A CAREER. MY TIME WITH THE CMP DEPARTMENT AND INVOLVEMENT WITH THE POINT B STUDENT CLUB ALLOWED ME TO GAIN THE KNOWLEDGE AND CONNECTIONS NECESSARY TO JOIN THE INDUSTRY."

TAM GUY
2015 MCMP GRADUATE



Zacharia Levine

MCMP Year: 2013
Job Title: Community Dev. Director
Employer: Grand County



Nathaniel Currey

MCMP Year: 2012
Job Title: Senior Manager
Employer: Regional Transp District



Chelsea Gauthier

MCMP Year: 2013
Job Title: Associate Director
Employer: Center for the Living City



Ashley Scarff

MCMP Year: 2015
Job Title: Planning Technician
Employer: Park City



Ali Oliver

MCMP Year: 2012
Job Title: Strategic Planner
Employer: Utah Transit Authority



Scott Browning

MCMP Year: 2015
Job Title: Dev. Review Planner
Employer: Salt Lake City



Krissy Nielsen Gilmore

MCMP Year: 2015
Job Title: Community Planner
Employer: Logan Simpson Inc.



Shane Smith

MCMP Year: 2007
Job Title: Law Clerk
Employer: Third Judicial District Court



Weston Clark

MCMP Year: 2010
Job Title: Senior Policy Advisor
Employer: Salt Lake County



Matthew Miller

MCMP Year: 2007
Job Title: Research Assistant
Employer: Metro Research Center

"THE PROGRAM'S INTERDISCIPLINARY AND HANDS-ON APPROACH HELPED ME TO DEVELOP THE SKILLS NECESSARY TO SUCCEED IN A DEMANDING PROFESSIONAL ENVIRONMENT."

TAMMY HUNSAKER
2012 MCMP GRADUATE



Jacob Splan

MCMP Year: 2012
Job Title: Construction Planner III
Employer: Utah Transit Authority



Jennifer Jastremsky

MCMP Year: 2006
Job Title: Planner II
Employer: Draper City



Julia Reynolds

MCMP Year: 2011
Job Title: Transportation Planner
Employer: Wasatch Front Reg Council



Elisa Hamblin

MCMP Year: 2006
Job Title: Long Range Planner
Employer: Oro Valley, Arizona



Sarah Church

MCMP Year: 2007
Job Title: Postdoctoral Associate
Employer: Purdue University



Brooke Merrell

MCMP Year: 2006
Job Title: Environmental Coordinator
Employer: National Park Service, AK

"WHILE IN THE MASTER'S PROGRAM I COULD NOT FORGET MY HOME COUNTRY WHERE FORCES OF RAPID URBANIZATION AND POOR PLANNING HAVE RESULTED IN A MYRIAD OF URBAN CHALLENGES. I BELIEVE THAT AFRICAN CITIES HAVE A GREAT OPPORTUNITY TO DEVELOP A UNIQUE FORM OF URBANISM THAT REFLECTS THE CULTURE, VALUES, AND DAY TO DAY LIFE OF THE PEOPLE."

FLORENCE BUAKU
2014 MCMP GRADUATE



Laura Hanson

MCMP Year: 2005
Job Title: Executive Director
Employer: Jordan River Commission



Krista Sherwood

MCMP Year: 2007
Job Title: Transportation Planner
Employer: National Park Service



Helen Peters

MCMP Year: 2007
Job Title: Transportation Planner
Employer: J-U-B Engineers, Inc.



Florence Buaku

MCMP Year: 2014
Job Title: Community Planner
Employer: Arvada, CO



Mark Morris

MCMP Year: 2006
Job Title: Principal
Employer: VODA Planning



Kevin Leo

MCMP Year: 2014
Job Title: Associate Planner
Employer: Envision Utah



BreAnne McConkie

MCMP Year: 2012
Job Title: Design Review Planner
Employer: City of Seattle



Jonathan P. Goates

MCMP Year: 2010
Job Title: Principal Planner
Employer: Salt Lake City Corporation



Aaron Barlow

MCMP Year: 2016
Job Title: Associate Planner
Employer: Hutchinson City, Kansas



John Close

MCMP Year: 2016
Job Title: Strategic Planner
Employer: Utah Transit Authority



Ashley Cleveland

MCMP Year: 2016
Job Title: Housing Dev. Associate
Employer: Salt Lake City



Richard Decker

MCMP Year: 2016
Job Title: Transportation Planner
Employer: Parametrix



Matthew Wheelwright

MCMP Year: 2016
Job Title: PhD Student/Researcher
Employer: University of Utah



Heidi Goedhart

MCMP Year: 2016
Job Title: Active Transp Manager
Employer: Utah Dept of Transp



Shabnam Khan

MCMP Year: 2016
Job Title: Data Analyst
Employer: Mathnasium



Corinne Piazza

MCMP Year: 2016
Job Title: Community Planner
Employer: NeighborWorks Salt Lake



Christian Kirkham

MCMP Year: 2016
Job Title: Planner/Urban Designer
Employer: Orem, Utah



Megan Townsend

MCMP Year: 2017
Job Title: Land Use-Transp Planner
Employer: Wasatch Front Reg Council



Casimira Younger

MCMP Year: 2016
Job Title: Assistant Planner
Employer: Centerville, UT