

# Walter Conservation

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## EDUCATION

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### **Bachelor of Arts, Environmental Studies**

December, 20xx

#### **Minor: Latin American Studies**

Lawrence, KS

*The University of Kansas*

- Overall GPA: 3.86 (Honor Roll every semester)
- Emphasis in Environmental Policy
- Global Awareness Program Certification
- KU Global Scholar

#### **Senior Research Project: "Water Quality in the Arkansas River"**

- Researched three major water pollutants and effects on Arkansas River
- Identified and explained positive contributions and critical importance of river to area community members in report distributed to local manufacturing companies

#### **Study Abroad, Preparing for International Careers, Costa Rica**

Spring 20xx

- Interviewed Costa Rican business leaders to develop increased understanding of national economic and environmental policies
- Created 15 minute Vimeo media presentation on eco-tourism industry; chosen for display on Latin American Studies website

## INTERNSHIP

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### **Non-Profit Environmental Policies and Procedures Internship**

January 20xx -August 20xx

*North Carolina Coastal Federation*

Morehead City, NC

- Researched public issues and policies concerning the North Carolina coastal area
- Compiled fact sheets on wetland functions and effects of destruction, practical methods of storm water management, and horticultural techniques necessary to create and maintain vegetative buffers on shorelines
- Accurately and efficiently entered and maintained digital environmental data utilizing various software such as Excel and SPSS
- Managed high volume of incoming calls and followed up with environmental and governmental agencies for more information
- Worked closely with small team to coordinate and implement animal rescue from retention pond being drained due to expansion of local shopping mall

## VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

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### **Conversation Leader**

Fall 20xx

*Applied English Center, The University of Kansas*

Lawrence, KS

- Facilitated weekly small group discussions with 15+ international students from diverse backgrounds
- Selected conversation topics and encouraged increased difficulty to expand communication skills
- Increased understanding of struggles international students face when introduced to American culture based on results of program follow-up surveys

### **Volunteer Coordinator/ Volunteer**

Spring 20xx

*The Big Event, Campus & Community Volunteer Day*

Lawrence, KS

- Expanded number of community resident project registrations by 20% through use of social media to promote program goals
- Teamed with other coordinators to assign 3,000 volunteers to over 400 local projects
- Partnered with 30 volunteers to replant trees along local traffic way