

## STUDENT COMMUNITY RELATIONS ADVISORY BOARD APPOINTMENT BALLOT

**Openings:**     **Two (2) Voting Non-Student members, full terms to expire 9/30/2021**  
                      **One (1) Voting Student Member to expire 9/30/2020**  
                      **(City Residency Required)**

**Applications:** **Two (2) Applications for full terms**  
                      **One (1) Application for Voting Student Member**

### FULL TERM BALLOT - PLEASE INITIAL YOUR SELECTION

NAME OF APPLICANT	Comm. Arreola	Comm. Hayes - Santos	Comm. Simmons	Mayor Poe	Comm. Johnson	Comm. Ward	Comm. Warren
Elizabeth Delaney		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Carolynn Nath Komanski <i>*currently appointed, seeking voting seat</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
READVERTISE FOR ADDITIONAL APPLICANTS							

### STUDENT BALLOT - PLEASE INITIAL YOUR SELECTION

NAME OF APPLICANT	Comm. Arreola	Comm. Hayes - Santos	Comm. Simmons	Mayor Poe	Comm. Johnson	Comm. Ward	Comm. Warren
Kotryna Klizentyte <i>*also applied to NCC</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
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City of Gainesville

# Student Community Relations Advisory Board


## Board Details

(7-members) The City Commission appoint three (3) students (from postsecondary educational institutions) for one (1) year terms; and, three (3) non-students for two (2) one-year terms; CITY RESIDENCY REQUIRED. One (1) Voting Administrator, and up to two (2) additional non-voting administrators from postsecondary educational institutions; and one (1) student seat for one (1) year.

Created by Ordinance No. 060431 (December 11, 2006). Board to act as a vehicle for students and non-students to voice their concerns and opinions; to review, discuss, and forward recommendations as appropriate, on issues, concerns, and initiatives relevant to students and non-students; to establish and implement a new member orientation; to assess and address needs of non-students as they pertain to student issues; to provide outlets for action by students and non-students; to be a knowledgeable liaison between the City Commission and the students and non-students of Gainesville; to encourage involvement by non-students and students in planning and implementation of improvements; and, to ensure that student issues are addressed by providing a link between the students, non-students, and the City Commission.

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## Overview

 **Size** 7 Seats

 **Term Length** 1 Year

 **Term Limit** 2 Terms

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## Additional

### Advisory Board Website

<http://www.cityofgainesville.org/CodeEnforcement/StudentCommunityRelationsAdvisoryBoard.aspx>

### Agendas and Minutes are located

<http://www.cityofgainesville.org/CodeEnforcement/StudentCommunityRelationsAdvisoryBoard.aspx>

### Ordinance

Created by Ordinance No. 060431 (December 11, 2006).



## Board Roster



### Matthew R Burnette

**1st Term** Jan 04, 2018 - Sep 30, 2019

**Email** mburn98@ufl.edu

**Home Phone** Mobile: (386) 882-2765

**Address**

1536 NW 3rd Ave Apt 70  
Gainesville, FL 32603

**Appointing Authority** City Commission

**Position** Student Seat



### James R Tyger

**2nd Term** Mar 16, 2017 - Sep 30, 2019

**Home Phone** (804) 347-7751

**Address**

1401 NW 25th Terrace  
Gainesville, FL 32605

**Appointing Authority** City Commission

**Position** Vice-Chair

**Category** Voting Non-Student Member



### Thomas D. Rider

**5th Term** Mar 16, 2017 - Sep 30, 2019

**Email** tomrider@bellsouth.net

**Home Phone** Business: (352) 373-8206

**Alternate Phone** 352-372-3975

**Address**

415 NW 19th Street  
Gainesville, FL 32603

**Appointing Authority** City Commission

**Category** Voting Non-Student Member



### Richard German

**1st Term** Aug 15, 2019 - Sep 30, 2020

**Email** richardimr@gmail.com

**Home Phone** Home: (352) 283-4878

**Address**

2811 SW Archer Road  
Apt E40  
Gainesville, FL 32608

**Appointing Authority** City Commission

**Category** Student Voting Member



## Layne Prebor

**2nd Term** Oct 18, 2018 - Sep 30, 2020

**Email** laynep@studentlegalservices.ufl.edu

**Home Phone** Home: (352) 392-5297

**Alternate Phone** Home: (352) 373-6361

**Address**

3829 NW 10th Place  
Gainesville, FL 32605

**Appointing Authority** City Commission

**Category** Non-Student Voting Member



## Carolynn S Nath Komanski

**1st Term** Jun 20, 2019 - Sep 30, 2021

**Email** nathkomanski@gmail.com

**Home Phone** Home: (407) 739-2273

**Alternate Phone** Business: (352) 846-4698

**Address**

2239 NW 21st Ave  
Gainesville, FL 32611

**Appointing Authority** City Commission

**Office/Role** Non-Voting Post Secondary Administrator

**Category** Non-Voting Post Secondary Admin



## Nora L. Kilroy

**6th Term** Feb 21, 2019 - Sep 30, 2021

**Email** noralk@offcampus.ufl.edu

**Home Phone** Business: (352) 392-1207

**Address**

PO Box 114145  
1304 Diamond Road, Bldg 753  
Gainesville, FL 32611

**Appointing Authority** City Commission

**Position** Chair

**Category** Administrative Voting Member



## Vacancy

**Category** Non Voting Post Secondary Administrator



## Vacancy

**Appointing Authority** City Commission

**Category** Student Voting Member



## Vacancy

**Category** Student Voting Member

**Profile**View current Advisory Board and Committee openings [online](#).

\_\_\_\_\_ Elizabeth \_\_\_\_\_ Delaney \_\_\_\_\_  
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edelaney@ufsa.ufl.edu  
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Gainesville FL 32605  
 City State Postal Code

In what city district do you live? To find your district visit: <https://tinyurl.com/yxd2kvwn> \*

District 2

Mobile: (859) 322-7827 Business: (352) 392-1665  
 Primary Phone Alternate Phone

**Primary Phone Type**

Cell

**Alternate Phone Type**

Office

University of Florida Assistant Director of Student  
 Employer Job Title Government Advising and  
 Operations

**Are you applying for a student seat**

Yes  No

**Which Boards would you like to apply for?**

Student Community Relations Advisory Board: Submitted

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**Do you claim any exemption to public record disclosure pursuant to FLA. STAT. Section 119?**

Yes  No

If yes, please submit a detailed explanation of exemption.

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## Interests & Experiences

Why are you interested in serving on a board or commission?

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I am interested in serving on the Student Community Relations Advisory Board because I understand the importance of the relationship between students, the community, and the campus. Through my work as one of the advisors for the University of Florida Student Government, I have gained many insights about ways that students interact with the city that I believe will prove valuable to this board. In fact, I have been asked, with other colleagues from across the southeast, to present at a regional student affairs conference on the topic of building relationships and partnership between universities, students, the local community, and non-student community members. I currently serve as the advisor for The Big Event, UF Student Government's day of service in Gainesville and Alachua County. This experience provides me with a context regarding current student involvement in community service and connection large groups of students who want to engage and improve the community. Additionally, through advising Housing Affairs Cabinet I have built relationships with many of the student apartment complexes off campus and have learned about students' concerns and worries. A unique perspective I bring to my understanding the student experience on campus and in Gainesville is my work with the biking community on campus. I currently supervise the SG Bike Repair and have become more informed about the biking student community on- and off-campus. While I have only lived in Gainesville for two years, it was easy for me to see the close relationship between the students and the community. I look forward to the opportunity to serve on this board to help to strengthen that relationship by drawing on my experiences as a professional working with students every day and my personal experiences as a non-student member of this community.

How many terms have you served on this board or committee previously?

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## Demographics

Ethnicity

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Caucasian/Non-Hispanic

Gender

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Female

**Are you a City of Gainesville Employee?**

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Yes  No

**Are you a City of Gainesville Intern?**

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Yes  No

**Are you currently on a City Advisory Board/Committee?**

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Yes  No

**If yes, which Advisory Board/Committee?**

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# Liz Delaney

Phone: 859-322-7827

2701 NW 23<sup>rd</sup> Blvd Apt. CC-193  
Gainesville, FL 32605

E-Mail: edelaney@ufsa.ufl.edu

## EDUCATION

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### University of Georgia, College of Education

*Masters of Education in College Student Affairs Administration*

Athens, Georgia

May 2017

### University of Louisville, College of Arts and Sciences

*Bachelor of Arts Degree in Anthropology; Concentration in Social Sciences*

Louisville, Kentucky

May 2014

## EXPERIENCE

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### Student Government Advising and Operations

Assistant Director

University of Florida

June 2017 – Present

- Advise Student Body Vice President
- Advise Supervisor of Elections and assist with the implementation of Fall and Spring Elections
- Supervise 12-member staff for Student Government Bike Repair
- Supervise full-time Office Manager
- Advise Conference and Institute Agency head
- Organized and implement Advisor Track for Florida Student Government Institute
- Coordinate comprehensive training program for Student Government Leaders
- Advise 20 Cabinet Areas and 5 Executive Agencies about programmatic needs, budget, and event planning
- Manage large scale events like the 3-day Young Leaders Conference for approximately 300 people
- Completing CAS Assessment for Student Government functional area
- Maintain financial records for Student Government Bike Repair and student organizations

### University Union Programming Board

Graduate Advisor

University of Georgia

August 2015 – May 2017

- Co-managed budget of approximately \$700,000
- Advised Internal Vice President on creation of assessments, data analysis, and membership retention
- Advised Socially Conscious and Late Night Programming committees to create engaging and unique events including: Election Series, Human Trafficking Simulation, Student Union Ice Skating, and Grocery Bingo
- Developed experiential curriculum for semester-long student leader training
- Planned and managed successful events for audiences ranging from 50 to 8,000 people
- Cultivated partnerships with other offices and organizations on and off campus

### Orientation and Family Programs and Services

NODA Summer Intern

George Mason University

May 2016 – August 2016

- Supervised and trained 40 student leaders
- Created curriculum and facilitated two-day retreat for 40 students and 5 professional staff
- Developed performance assessment tool and mid-summer evaluations for orientation leaders
- Managed overnight housing accommodations for orientation leaders and incoming students
- Presented informational sessions to families about campus culture and student experiences
- Coordinated late night orientation programming with orientation leadership team



## VOLUNTEER POSITIONS

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### **NACA Student Government Institute – East**

Institute Staff

January 2018 – August 2018

- Worked with Institute team made up of professionals from other institutions to host a 3 day educational institute for Student Government leaders and advisors from across the country
- Presented an educational session and roundtable discussions on topics like the First Amendment, parliamentary procedure, and navigating relationships with stakeholders
- Selected and organized Educational Sessions and Roundtables with Work Group

### **Young Professionals in Student Affairs**

Co-Chair of Executive Team

University of Florida

June 2018 – Present

- Organization that helps promote personal and professional development for young professionals at the University of Florida

### **Division of Student Affairs Advisory Board**

Graduate Assistant Representative

University of Georgia

August 2015 – May 2017

- Provide feedback to Vice President for Student Affairs and administration at monthly meetings regarding current issues and initiatives

### **Student Personnel Association (CSAAGA)**

Public Relations Chair

University of Georgia

December 2015 – February 2017

- Manage CSAAGA website, blog, Twitter, Facebook, Instagram, and promotional materials
- Design promotional materials and social media events for the organization

## PRESENTATIONS & FACILITATION

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Delaney, L. (2018). Followership and leadership: Developing leaders who are both. *Approved Proposal for SACSA Regional Conference*. Myrtle Beach, SC

Delaney, L. & Tyger, J. (2018). First amendment and three tiered responses. *Approved Proposal for NASPA National Conference*. Philadelphia, PA

Delaney, L. (2017). Using your involvement in the job search: Student government edition. *Presented at Florida Student Government Institute*. Gainesville, FL

Delaney, L. (2017). Identity group facilitation. *Facilitated at Connect Conference*. Athens, GA

Delaney, L. & Brugman, A. (2016). Failing forward: Learning to move on from “failures.” *Presented at Georgia Collegiate Leadership Conference*. Athens, GA

## SPECIAL AWARDS

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### **2017 Graduate Assistant of the Year**

University of Georgia

- Award for Student Affairs Graduate Assistant of the Year as voted on by the divisional leadership team and Vice President of Student Affairs

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I am currently a non-voting secondary administrator on this board, the Student Community Relations Advisory Board, and would like to transition into a voting position.

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STUDENT COMMUNITY RELATIONS ADVISORY BOARD

# Carolynn Nath Komanski

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## EDUCATION

**Ph.D.**, University of Florida  
Agricultural Education and Communication, December 2017  
**M.S. Ed.**, Indiana University Bloomington  
Higher Education and Student Affairs Administration, May 2007  
**B.A.**, University of South Florida  
Visual and Performing Art, May 2005

## CERTIFICATIONS

**Great Teaching for New Faculty Certificate**, February 2019. University of Florida  
**Leadership in Agriculture & Natural Resources**, December 2017. University of Florida  
**Teaching and Learning in Agriculture & Natural Resources**, December 2017. University of Florida  
**Kirton Adaption-Innovation Inventory (KAI)**, December 2017. Virginia Tech  
**Mindfulness-Based Stress Reduction**, December 2017. Palouse Mindfulness MBSR  
**Lean Six Sigma- Brown Belt**, December 2013 & August 2017. James Moore Certified Public Accountants and Consultants.  
**Occupancy Management**, November 2011. Association of College & University Housing Officers International.  
**Certified Compliance & Ethics Professional (CCEP)**, In progress. Compliance Certification Board (CCB).

## PRACTICAL EXPERIENCE

### **UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA (2010- Present)**

**Flagship institution for the state of Florida with 50,000 enrolled students. UF is a large public Land, Sea and Space Grant Institution which is classified as Research I and has Division I Athletics.**

#### **Affiliate Faculty,**

#### **Adjunct Lecturer, Agricultural Education and Communications**

August 2017-December 2018

- *In conjunction with responsibilities noted below, invited to formally lecture within my former academic program.*
- Leadership Development – (Undergraduate/AEC3414) Required foundation course for leadership minor. An introductory course for leadership theory and practical application of theories. Course is instructed online.
- Interpersonal Leadership – (Undergraduate/AEC3413) Required foundation course for leadership minor. An understanding of the dynamic interactions of personal characteristics, technical skills, interpersonal influence, commitment, goals and power necessary for effective organizational leader and follower behaviors. Course is instructed online.

#### **Instructor, Honors Program**

August 2017-Current

- *In conjunction with responsibilities noted below, invited to formally instruct within the Honors program.*
- Uncommon Reading- (Undergraduate/IDH2930) Course focused on singular literary work.
- Interdisciplinary- (Undergraduate/IDH1700 & IDH2930) Course focused on blending of disciplines.

#### **Associate Director of Housing Operations**

May 2017-Current

- *In conjunction with responsibilities noted below, additional title and responsibilities added to compliment skillset and areas of strength.*
- Responsible for research and assessment office supporting residential life and off-campus life.
- Responsible for fundraising, sponsorship, and grants related to residential operations in partnership with student affairs.
- Collaboratively developing strategic research plan and supervise research team for housing, while partnering with Student Affairs Office of Assessment and Research.
- Supervising professional, para-professional, and graduate student staff.

#### **Notable Experiences**

Serving as co-lead for CAS Review. Collaboratively fundraised for the division of student affairs and department of housing. Collaboratively implemented strategic plan for alumni cultivation within the division of student affairs. Secured over \$125,000 in sponsorships and in-kind donations. Serving other functional areas within the Division of Student Affairs: Fraternity & Sorority Affairs, Leadership & Service, and Student Success.

#### **Director of Youth Conference Services, Division of Student Affairs/Housing and Residence Education**

March 2016-Current

- Responsible for oversight of university wide compliance efforts for youth protection.
- Compliance administrator for university, state, and federal guidelines on minors participating in activities affiliated with the University.
- Working with campus, extension and community stakeholders (general counsel, state and federal legislature, county extension units and 4-H, university athletic association, academic colleges and faculty, etc.)
- Auditing 200+ events and registration process for 500,000+ minors and 25,000+ staff/volunteers.
- Development, design, and implementation of a central registration system used to maintain historical records of UF activities, track staff and participants, and validate compliance with established standards.

#### **Notable Experiences**

Co-Inventor of compliance software which serves as a new revenue stream. Serving as a University wide Building Emergency Consultant and Shelter Manager. Consulting nationally and internationally on minor protection programs and registration systems to maintain historical records. Presenting at international conferences on youth protection efforts. Working with diverse campus, extension and community stakeholders (general counsel, state and federal legislature, county of extension and 4-H, university athletic association, academic colleges and faculty).

#### **Interim Director of Youth Conference Services, Division of Student Affairs/Housing and Residence Education**

November 2015-March 2016

- *In conjunction with responsibilities noted below, appointed Interim Director of an office serving the entire University and all counties within the state of Florida.*

#### **Assistant Director for Administrative Services & Operations, Department of Housing and Residence Education**

May 2015-March 2016

- *In conjunction with role noted below additional responsibilities were added.*
- Supervision and oversight of 25 fulltime professionals and 115 paraprofessional staff.
- Oversight and compliance of all safety and security procedures for desk operations, access control (hard and electronic keys) for all housing areas.
- Logistics expert with departmental partners (communication, connections, letters of agreement, logic planning, evaluation and assessment).

#### **Notable Experiences**

Cost reduction for Area Desk Operations by \$250,000 annually.

Collaboration with academic unit to implement landscape design strategic plan for all campus housing facilities.

Collaboration with housing's first public private partnership implementing protocols/procedures for day-to-day operation.

Worked with general counsel to create seven letters of agreement with academic partners and proprietary entities for a space exchange within a residential facility.

Wrote and awarded UF Tech Fee Grants for \$75,000 (Lead Proposer) and co-writer for \$102,640.40.

#### **Assistant Director for Administrative Services, Department of Housing and Residence Education**

August 2011-May 2015

- Responsible for revenue generation and retention efforts in excess of \$54 million dollars.
- Responsible for occupancy and enrollment management for all housing areas which encompass 10000+ graduate, family, and undergraduate students.
- Assisted in implementation and evaluation of housing strategic plans.
- Collaborated with executive management at the university level and externally from the university (admissions, colleges, faculty, local housing vendors).
- Supervision of 4 professional and 15 par-professional staff.

#### **Notable Experiences**

Achieved and exceeded occupancy goals for 4 years.

Project development team for two new residence halls (250 beds and 350 beds) for students with profound disabilities and another P3 community with maker space and academic units housed within the community.

#### **Residence Director for the Department of Housing and Residence Education**

July 2010-August 2011

- Assisted in selecting, training three professional staff, and supervision of a Graduate Students and 12-24 undergraduate Staff.
- Responsible for housing area of 500-1000+ students.
- Reported to the Associate Director of Housing for Residence Education.

- Collaborated with administrative, maintenance & custodial staff to provide well-maintained facilities & excellent customer service.
- Assisted students with problems, including adjudicating cases of misconduct.
- Liaised with the University Athletic Association for orientation welcome and housing assignments.

#### **Notable Experiences**

Oversaw apartment and suite style housing facilities which included first year student, upperclassmen and student athletes. Worked in collaboration with facilities teams through renovations and retrofitting of both structural corrections and plumbing.

Assisted in coordinating training and development for professional, graduate and student staff on-boarding and continued development.

#### **REMINGTON COLLEGE (2009-2010)**

**Proprietary Institution with sixteen campuses nationwide and online. Academic programs offer Bachelors and Associate degrees, as well as diploma programs which include: Business, Technology, Criminal Justice, Medical, Dental, and personal wellness programs.**

#### **Remington Leadership Institute and Admissions Representative**

Memphis, TN; Tampa and Lake Mary, FL

- Participant in Management Training program gaining experience in Financial Aid, Admissions, Career Services, Educational Department Supervision, and Executive Administration.
- Ethically and compliantly assists diverse student population with admissions process.
- Organizing orientation sessions and presenting program descriptions on Allied Health, Degree's and other Careers
- Meeting and exceeding enrollment goals set forth by college, including graduate numbers.

#### **UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL FLORIDA (2007-2008)**

**Second largest public institution serving over 60,000 students from all 50 states and 140 countries in Orlando, FL. UCF's population offers in a hybrid commuter and residential students while offering 210 degree programs.**

#### **Area Coordinator for the Department of Housing and Residence Life**

May 2007-December 2008

- Collaborated with a public private partnership (P3) and private facility staff in managing two residential facilities.
- Supervised a staff up to four office managers and four part time office assistants, four graduate assistants, 40 resident assistants (RA's), and 16 evening shift staff (RHAP's).
- Managed building operations and facilities which housed up to 2,000 residents.
- Served as financial manager for area staff programming budget totaling over \$18,000.
- Served 10,000+ residential students by having on-call emergency responsibilities.
- Safety and Security Departmental Committee (2007-2008).

#### **CONTRACTED POSITIONS**

**Association of College and University Housing Officers International (2019), Columbus, OH**

Commissioned to design Student Leadership Development Online curriculum. Designing online leadership development course to be used globally by student staff. Potential reach: <https://www.acuho-i.org/membership/our-members>

**PaperClip Communications (2019), Little Falls, NJ**

Commissioned to design and present online webinar for Youth on Campus: Policies to Protect Young Visitors & Your Institution. <https://www.paper-clip.com/Main/Product-Catalog/Youth-on-Campus-Policies-to-Protect-Young-Visitors-4324.aspx>

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

Komanski, C., Atkins, W. and Pendleton, L.H. (*In Press*). Homelessness and Food Security. In Instructional Scenarios of Multiple Identities in Higher Education. New Directions for Student. Dr. Shaunna Payne Gold. NASPA.

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Life Sciences. *Journal of Women and Gender in Higher Education*.

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- Nath, C.S. (2009) Appendix C: Q & A with author and residence life area coordinator. In L. Fiore, *College roommate from hell*. pp.239-243. Atlantic Publishing.
- Nath, C.S. (2009). Case Study. In J. Linnell, *Off to college: Now what? A practical guide to surviving and succeeding your first year of college*. pp34-35, 43, 64, 72-73, 86, 103-104, 118-119, 132-133, 146-147, 168-169, 187, 208, 232-233, 241, 251-252. Atlantic Publishing.
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## **HONORS and AWARDS**

- Emerging Scholar**, International Leadership Association (2018)
- Woman of Influence**, National Association of Student Personnel Administrators (September, 2018)
- Jeffrey A. Gabor Employee Recognition Award (Campus Wide) - University of Florida** (2018)
- Graduate Student Teaching Award, University of Florida** (2017-2018)
- Superior Accomplishment Award (Division of Student Affairs) University of Florida** (2016-2017)
- Golden Key Honor Society** (2017)
- Alpha Tau Alpha National Honor Society** (2016)
- Article of the Year**, Southeastern Association of Housing Officers (2015)
- Article of the Year**, Southeastern Association of Housing Officers (2012)
- Employee of the Year**, UF Department of Housing and Residence Education (2011)
- Employee of the Quarter**, UF Department of Housing and Residence Education (2011)
- Southeastern Association of Housing Officers**, New Professional Scholarship (2008)
- Southeastern Association of Housing Officers**, SEAHO Conference Scholarship (2008)
- Presidential Graduate Assistant**, ASJA Conference Internship (2007)

**GRANTS and FUNDRAISING****Kaboom!**

\$25,000 one-time award (in Review). Grant utilized for playground equipment benefiting Graduate & Family Housing and BabyGator (Consultant and Co-Author)

**Environmental Protection Agency**

\$180,000 over 5 years (Not Awarded). Brownfield Assessment Grant Mobile Application Development for Housing & Residence Education (Consultant and Co-Author)

**Campus Consortium**

\$260,000 over 5 years (2017). Mobile Application Development for Housing & Division of Student Affairs IT (Co-Author)

**Department of Housing and Residence Education and Division of Student Affairs Efforts**

\$90,000 for 2016-2017. Estimated earnings from collaborative Fundraising and Sponsorships

**Association of College and University Housing Officers International Grant**

\$4,700 (in Review). Mental Health & Counseling in Housing Project (Co-Author)

**Babywearing International- Gainesville**

Quarterly Fundraising goals achieved of \$500+ or \$2,000+ Annually (2015-2017)

**University of Florida Tech Fee Grant**

\$75,000 (2015). Made@UF, Infinity Hall (Lead Proposer)

\$102,640.40 (2015). UF A2FabLab (Co-Author)

**Cypress Hall, University of Florida Department of Housing**

*Fundraising, Grant, and Sponsorship Chair* (2013-2015)

**Baby Wearing International, Gainesville FL**

\$4,239 (2015-2016). Annual Fundraising

**Indiana University-Bloomington**

\$30,000 (2007-2008). Community Leader Grant

**REQUESTED PRESENTATIONS****International Leadership Association (ILA)**

Komanski, C. & Stedman, N. (2018). A mindful leadership course: Qualitative cultural domain analysis in relation to learning outcomes. Educational Paper. International Leadership Association Global Conference, West Palm, FL.

Stedman, N. & Komanski, C. (2018). Higgly Leadership. Round Table Discussion. International Leadership Association Global Conference, West Palm, FL.

Komanski, C. Andenoro, A. C, Outlaw, C.J. (2018). Hardiness Adventure: An Interpersonal and Authentic Journey. Individual Presentation. International Leadership Association Global Conference, West Palm, FL.

Komanski, McGee, V., C. Andenoro, A.C. (2018). Google sprint for Innovative Challenges: KAI application analysis. Individual Presentation. International Leadership Association Global Conference, West Palm, FL.

**Higher Education Protection Network (HEPNet)**

Komanski, C. (2017, October). Youth protection efforts: Tracking and protecting minors. Higher Education Protection Network Annual Conference, Clemson, SC.

Komanski, C. (2017, October). Partnering with non-profits to offer youth protection training: A case study. Higher Education Protection Network Annual Conference, Clemson, SC.

**Association of Leadership Educators (ALE)**

Komanski, C. (2017, July). Mindful Leadership and our Future Leaders: Undergraduate course integration to a University Mindfulness and Honors Program. Innovative Practice Presentation at the Association of Leadership Educators Annual Conference, Charleston, SC.

Komanski, C. & Moss Breen, J. (2017, July). Calling All Grads: Exploring How Graduate Students can be Successful in their Academic Programs. Roundtable Presentation at the Association of Leadership Educators Annual Conference, Charleston, SC.

Bletscher, C., Niewoehner, J, and Komanski, C. (2016, July) Let's Use the "F" Word: Promoting an Exploration of Followership in Leadership Education. Roundtable Presentation at the Association of Leadership Educators Annual Conference, Sacramento, CA.

Komanski, C., Niewoehner, J, Bletscher, C, and Stedman, N. (2016, July). *Mindful Leadership and our Future Leaders: Undergraduate course integration to a University Mindfulness Program*. Paper Presentation at the Association of Leadership Educators Annual Conference, Sacramento, CA.



Komanski, C. and Stedman, N. (2016, July). *Lesson plan for Adaptive Leadership: The Appalachian Trail through Digital Storytelling*, Presentation workshop at the meeting of the Association of Leadership Educators Annual Conference, Sacramento, CA.

#### **American Association for Agricultural Education**

Komanski, C., Stedman, N., Lundy, L. and Barrick, K. (2018). Factors Influencing Women Faculty Transitioning Into Tenured Academic Roles within Colleges of Agriculture. American Association for Agriculture Education Paper Presentation. National Conference Charleston, SC.

#### **Business Operations Conference, Association of College and University Housing Officers-International (ACUHO-I)**

*Lean mean housing machine: Using LEAN Six-Sigma in a Housing Operation* (2013)

*Round Tables: Occupancy Management* (2012, 2013) *Student Athlete Housing* (2012, 2013), *Enrollment Impacts and Stakeholders* (2013)

#### **Association of College and University Housing Officers-International (ACUHO-I)**

*Learning Cases: Campus Housing in the News* (2018)

*Factors influencing Women Achieving Tenure with Colleges of Liberal Arts and Sciences-Poster* (2018)

*Voices from Past Housing Professionals* (2017)

*Minors on Campus – Strategies for Housing Professionals* (2015, 2017)

*Housing Occupancy: Working with Enrollment Management* (2015)

*What???'s Up #sado?: A Pragmatic Conversation About Getting a Doctorate, Panel member* (2015)

*Lean mean housing machine: Using LEAN Six-Sigma in a Housing Operation* (2013)

*Round Table: Occupancy Management* (2013)

#### **Southeastern Association of Housing Officers Advance (SEAHO)**

*As your housing family grows* (2015)

*Student Athletes as Residents: Needs and Expectations*

(2011) *Paperwork and Potty Training* (2009, 2011)

*Life after graduate school: Transitions to job 1* (2008)

#### **University of Central Florida**

*Take the LEAD on what going GREEN means to you!* (2008), Leadership Week

*Programming on a Dime; Community Development ... across a plateau* (2007, 2008), Greek Life and DHRL

*Trans what? How to be inclusive and empower your students* (2007), LEAD Scholars

*Reshallengeneration: Facility, Policy, and Staff training strategies for the transgender-inclusive residence life program at UCF* (2007), DHRL

*StrengthsQuest: Developing your strengths- Four part series* (2007)

#### **Indiana University-Bloomington**

*Budgeting, Funding, and getting the most for your Programming Dollars* (2006, 2007)

*StrengthsQuest: Developing your strengths- Four part series* (2006)

*Programming 101; Programming on a Dime ; Trans what? How to be inclusive and empower your students* (2005, 2006, 2007)

*How to Market your Resident Assistant Skills* (2005, 2006, and 2007)

#### **Higher Education and Student Affairs Academic Department, Indiana University-Bloomington**

*Internships Reconsidered: Developing Effective Learning Outcomes for Graduate Students in Student Affairs* (2006-07)

#### **Southern Methodist University**

*Upperclassmen Experiences: It's even more than your student's freshman year experience* (2006)

*Study Skills; Test Taking skills; Time management Skills; Note Taking Skills; Reading Skills* (2006)

#### **Great Lakes Association of College and University Housing Officers (GLACUHO)**

*Reshallengeneration: Facility, Policy, and Staff training strategies for the transgender-inclusive residence life program* (2006)

*Be honest like Abe, do your student staff members enjoy in-service/professional development opportunities?* (2006)

*How to create first year students into student staff champions* (2005)

#### **University of South Florida**

*International Collegiate Institutions Study Abroad Research/Presentation* (Summer 2004/Fall 2004)

*Ethical and Moral Decision making* (2005)

#### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

##### **University of Florida**

AEC 3413- Interpersonal Leadership: Working with people (Fall 2018, Spring 2019)

*Course identifies and defines leadership in terms of intrapersonal and interpersonal skills.*

EDA 4930- Fraternity/Sorority Emerging Leaders (Fall, 2018)

*Student Affairs course for Greek community members who have aspirations for leadership roles within the Greek community.*

IDH 2930- Uncommon Reading- Pop Up Art (Fall 2018)

*Honors Course focusing on the history, science engineering and artistic creativity involved with pop up books.*

IDH 3931- Professional Development- Mindful Leadership (Fall 2017, Summer B 2018)

*Honors Course focusing on Mindful Leadership examining historical evolution of scientific theory alongside experiential application.*

EDU 4039- Women's Leadership and Scholarship (Fall 2017)

*Course is an introductory course of women's leadership from a historical perspective to current day. Focus on women empowerment and scholastic success by defining opportunities within the campus community and their careers.*

AEC 3414- Leadership Development (Fall 2015, Spring 2016, Summer 2016-online, Spring 2017)

*Course supports creation of a model for fostering innovation through leadership theory and application.*

AEC 3410- Fostering Innovation through Leadership (Summer 2017, 2018)

*Business, Innovation and Entrepreneurship focused course utilizing gamification case studies. 3 sections*

AEC 6932- Organizational Leadership (Fall 2016)

*Graduate Level Course focusing on Organizational Management and Leadership with practical application of theories.*

AEC 3414- Leadership Development (Fall 2015, Spring 2016, Summer 2016-online, Spring 2017, Fall 2017- online)

*Course is an introductory Leadership Theory and practical application of theories.*

SLS 1102- First Year Florida (Summer B 2015, Spring 2015\*\*, Fall 2014, Fall 2013\*, Summer B 2012\*, Fall 2011)

*\*Florida Opportunity Scholars \*\* Innovation Academy Section Course supports first year or transfer students to the university.*

SLS 1102- Student Development and Leadership (Spring 2011)

*Course is an introductory Student Development Theory and Leadership Theory with practical application of the course content.*

SDS 3480- Student Development in a University Setting (Fall 2010, Spring 2011, Summer 2011)

#### **University of Central Florida**

SLS 1501- Student Learning Strategies (Fall 2008)

LDR 2001- Found of Leadership (Fall 2007)

#### **Indiana University**

EDUC U450- The Undergraduate Student Personnel Assistant (Spring 2007)

EDUC U495- Essential Leadership Development (Fall 2006 & Spring 2007)

#### **University of South Florida**

SLS 2901 – Academic Foundations (Fall 2004 & Spring 2005)

### **COMMUNITY BOARDS, INSITUTIONAL COMMITTEES and PROJECT INVOLVEMENT**

**Student Community Relations Advisory Board (2019- Current)** Gainesville, FL

Non-Voting Member on the board which acts as a vehicle for students and non-students to voice their opinions; to review, discuss and forward recommendations as appropriate, on issues, concerns, and initiatives relevant to students and non-students.

**Vice Presidents Leadership Counsel (2017- 2019)** Gainesville, FL

Second in command leaders for the Division of Student Affairs, aiding in the strategic vision of the division.

**Title IX University Committee & Deputy (2015-Current)** Gainesville, FL. Serve as a member of the Universities Title IX committee and lead contact for all youth at the University of Florida.

**Former Foster Youth (2015-Current)** Gainesville, FL. Division workgroup focusing on at risk student who have been classified as being wards of the state.

**University of Florida, Commencement Committee (2015-2021)** Department representative to create central mobile application sourcing for the University of Florida Campus. Includes development.

**Housing and Residence Education 10 year Master Plan Review (2018-2019)** Gainesville, FL

Serve as a member involved in Master Planning process for evaluating Housing, Residence Education, Conference Services, and off-campus life.

**CAS (Council for the Advancement of Standards in Higher Education) Internal & External Review (2017-2019)**

Gainesville, FL. Serve as a co-lead for the internal review process for evaluating Housing & Residence Education, Conference Services, and off-campus life at the University of Florida.

**Gator Days Committee (2017)** Gainesville, FL. Recruitment day event for masters and doctoral students for the Department of Agricultural Education and Communications Department. Assisted in planning and day of coordination.

**Campus Emergency Preparedness Assessment Committee (2015-2018)** University committee which develops and assesses campus emergency preparedness by executing table top scenarios and full scale simulations of emergency events.

**First Year Seminar Textbook Committee (2015)** University committee to determine content, curriculum, and learning outcomes in connection to re-writing course text.

**Department of Housing Landscape Design Strategic Plan (2015)** Gainesville, FL. Developed partnerships with Horticulture, Botany, Landscape Architecture Program, and Campus Physical Plant.

**Department of Housing ADA Accessibility Project (2015)** Gainesville, FL. Developed partnerships with ADA Compliance Office, Disability Resource Center, and Campus Physical Plant to create signage for move in and identified accessible access points. Identified areas for permanent and temporary signage.

**University of Florida, Mobile App Development Committee (2015)** Gainesville, FL. Department representative to create central mobile application sourcing for the University of Florida Campus. Includes development of landing page and logic

model and workflow of inquires through process to get approved mobile platforms.

- Inclusive Housing Workgroup (2013-2015).** Gainesville, FL. Working with general counsel, division and community stakeholders, and students to identify means to implement more inclusive housing assignment processes.
- Recruitment Coordination Committee (2013-2016)** Gainesville, FL. Departmental liaison with Admissions, Enrollment Management, Registrar, Bursar, Financial Aid, Academic Deans, UF Online, Orientation, and Division of Student Affairs to plan for recruitment and enrollment forecasts.
- New and Transfer Student Orientation Committee (2013-2016)** Gainesville FL. Departmental representative to plan the orientation processes for incoming undergraduate and international students.
- Protest Team, Division of Student Affairs (2012- Current)** Gainesville, FL. Serve as a staff volunteer to maintain a safe and Communal environment for campus demonstrations.
- First Generation Academy (FGA) \*Formerly FOSAL (2012-2014)** Gainesville, FL. Serve mentor, life coach, presenter, and volunteer for first generation college students.
- Moving Logistics Committee (2011-2017)** Gainesville, FL. Serve on committee working with residence hall move in and move out processes for campus of 10,000+ students and their families.
- Dean on Call Rotation (2011-2014)** Gainesville, FL. Served in rotation for the Dean of Students emergency on call responsibilities.
- Machen Florida Opportunity Scholars Steering Committee (2010-2015)** Gainesville, FL. Served as a departmental representative to ensure a vibrant future for the state by enabling qualified Florida high school graduates to attend the state's flagship university.
- Student Conduct, Greek Conduct, Academic Conduct Committees (2010-Current)** Gainesville, FL. Served as a staff representative on the following conduct committees for students and organizations.
- Florida Alternative Breaks (2008, 2013, 2018)** Orlando, FL and Gainesville, FL. Advisor for student led service trips within the continental United States by providing support and guidance to student facilitators.
- Advisor, Kappa Alpha Theta (2007-2008)** Orlando, FL. Interim advisor for a Greek social and leadership organization.
- Indiana University, Fee Allocation Committee (2006-2007)** Graduate Student representative for Bloomington campus; worked with Trustees and IU Administration on funding allocation of over \$40 million dollars in student fee's
- Higher Education and Student Affairs Master's "Clinical Faculty and Coordinator" Search Committee (2006-2007)** Bloomington, IN. Sole student representative, Reviewed applicants and Interviewed qualified candidates; organized graduate student engagement and participation in interview process

## **MEMBERSHIPS AND PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS**

- American Association for Agriculture Education (AAAE)**  
Member (2015- Current); Conference Attendee (2018)
- American Camp Association (ACA)** Member (2015-Current)
- American College Personnel Association (ACPA)**  
Member (2007-Current); Commission for Student Conduct and Legal Issues: Vice Chair of Publications (2008-2009) Directorate Board Member (2007-2010) Program Reviewer (2007- Current)
- Association for Leadership Educators**  
Member (2015-Current); Program Reviewer (2015-2017); Program Committee (2017); Program Sub Committee Liaison: Educator Workshops (2017); Conference Planning Sub Committee (2018-Current)
- Association for Student Conduct Administration (ASCA)**  
Conference Attendee (2007, 2009); Presidential Intern (2007)
- Association of Collegiate Conference and Events Directors-International (ACEEDI)** Member (2018- Current)
- Association of College and University Housing Officers-International (ACUHO-I)**  
Research Committee Chair Elect (2019-2020); Research Committee (2015-Current); International Study Tour-Site Committee Representative (2015); Intern Supervisor (Summer 2013, Summer 2014); Occupancy Management Certification (2012); Occupancy Manager Training Program Consultant (2013-2014); Host Committee Volunteer, National Conference Attendee (2008) SEAHO, Awards and Recognition Secretary (2010-2011); Sponsored Research Reviewer (2017- Current); Grant Reviewer (2016- Current); Member (2006-Current)
- Higher Education Protection Network (HepNet)** Member (2015- Current)
- International Leadership Association (ILA)** Member (2015- Current); International Conference Attendee (2018); Program Reviewer (2017-Current); Emerging Scholar (2018)
- National Association of Student Personnel Administrators (NASPA)**  
Center for Women Mentor (2018-Current); Region III Attendee Scholar (2018); NUFP Intern Supervisor (Summer 2008); Program Reviewer (2006-Present); Conference Volunteer (2004, 2006, 2008, 2018); Member (2006-Current)
- Women's Leadership Institute (WLI)** Attendee (2014)
- University Risk Management & Insurance Association (URMIA)** Member (2015- Current)

# **STUDENT SEAT APPLICATION**

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**Profile**View current Advisory Board and Committee openings [online](#).

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Prefix	First Name	Middle Initial	Last Name		Suffix

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Street Address

Suite or Apt

Gainesville

City

FL

State

32601

Postal Code

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**In what city district do you live? To find your district visit: <https://tinyurl.com/yxd2kvwn> \*** District 4

Mobile: (561) 319-3873

Primary Phone

Home: \_\_\_\_\_

Alternate Phone

**Primary Phone Type**

None Selected

**Alternate Phone Type**

None Selected

University of Florida

Employer

Graduate Assistant- PhD  
Student

Job Title

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**Are you applying for a student seat** Yes  No

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**Which Boards would you like to apply for?**

Nature Centers Commission: Submitted

Student Community Relations Advisory Board: Submitted

PLEASE NOTE: You may only apply for two (2) City Advisory Boards/Committees each application cycle. A person may only be appointed to two (2) City Advisory Boards/Committees.

**Do you claim any exemption to public record disclosure pursuant to FLA. STAT. Section 119?**

Yes  No

**If yes, please submit a detailed explanation of exemption.**

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## **Interests & Experiences**

**Why are you interested in serving on a board or commission?**

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Since moving to Gainesville, I have been looking to get involved in local government and decision-making in some way. I stumbled upon both the Student Community Relations Board, as well as the Nature Centers Commission, and these both seem like a perfect fit. Being a student for the past six years at the University of Florida, I am a community resident of the university and Gainesville region, as well as familiar with the school systems in the county. I have an interest in public policy and making a difference in my community. It is my career goal to be a public servant, teach, and exude the conservation of natural resources.

**How many terms have you served on this board or committee previously?**

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None

Members of all City of Gainesville Advisory Boards and Committees must only serve two (2) consecutive terms, except for the City Plan Board, Development Review Board and Historic Preservation Board.

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## **Demographics**

**Ethnicity**

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Caucasian/Non-Hispanic

**Gender**

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Female

**Are you a City of Gainesville Employee?**

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Yes  No

**Are you a City of Gainesville Intern?**

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Yes  No

**Are you currently on a City Advisory Board/Committee?**

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Yes  No

**If yes, which Advisory Board/Committee?**

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## EDUCATION

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**May 2022**

**DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY, FOREST RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION**

University of Florida, Gainesville FL

Specialization: Outdoor recreation and natural resource economics

Certificate: Environmental Education

**August 2018**

**MASTER OF SCIENCE, FOREST RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION**

University of Florida, Gainesville FL

Specialization: Natural Resource Policy

**May 2017**

**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE, FOREST RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION**

University of Florida, Gainesville FL

Specialization: Environmental Pre-Law

## EXPERIENCE

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**August 2016- PRESENT**

**GRADUATE ASSISTANT, UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA**

Lead and assist in multiple funded research projects (see "Research Experience" attachment)

**AUGUST 2016-PRESENT**

**TEACHING ASSISTANT, UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA**

Forest Ecology (2016), *School of Forest Resources and Conservation*

Natural Resource Policy and Economics (2017, 2018, 2019), *School of Forest Resources and Conservation*

Integrated Natural Resource Management (2018, 2019), *School of Forest Resources and Conservation*

Ecotourism in Costa Rica (2018), *School of Forest Resources and Conservation*

Nature of Running (2018), *School of Forest Resources and Conservation*

Society and Natural Resources (2019), *School of Forest Resources and Conservation*

Forests of the Future (2019) Economics lecturer, *School of Forest Resources and Conservation*

**APRIL 2014-OCTOBER 2016**

**WATER TOXICOLOGY LABORATORY TECHNICIAN, AMEC FOSTER WHEELER**

*Gainesville FL*

Supervised a team of three laboratory technicians and conducted bioassay experimentation based on EPA guidelines



## AWARDS

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### 2018-2019

Forest Resources and Conservation Outstanding Teaching Assistant of the Year

### 2017-2018

Forest Resources and Conservation Outstanding Graduate Student Leadership and Service Award

## AFFILIATIONS

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### AUGUST 2016-MAY 2018

**PRESIDENT**, FORESTRY GRADUATE STUDENT ORGANIZATION

Organize and host the School of Forest Resources and Conservation annual spring research symposium

Plan social events and serve as a liaison between faculty, graduate students, and the graduate school

### DECEMBER 2015-MAY 2017

**COHORT 7 MEMBER**, COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURAL AND LIFE SCIENCES LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE

International service experience (2016)

Community impact project with non-governmental organization (Alachua Conservation Trust)

### JANUARY 2015- MAY 2017

**TREASURER**, SIGMA ALPHA PROFESSIONAL AGRICULTURAL SORORITY

Network with agricultural professionals around Florida

Professional development and service-based organization

## SKILLS

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**Languages:** Lithuanian (native)

**Forestry:** Forestry accredited bachelor's degree with all necessary coursework to be a forester in the state of Florida

**Laboratory:** Water testing, microscope mounting

**Computer:** Qualtrics, R software, STATA, SPSS, MC office

**Communication:** Presentation and teaching experience, nominal and focus group meetings, needs assessments, technical and research report writing

## REFERENCES

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**Taylor Stein**, PhD  
Professor, Ecotourism  
University of Florida  
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**Damian Adams**, PhD  
Associate professor, Natural  
Resource Economics  
University of Florida  
(352) 846-0872

**Martha Monroe**, PhD  
Professor, Environmental  
Education  
University of Florida  
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## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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### **Economic tradeoffs regarding uneven and even-aged longleaf pine management**

Andres Susaeta, Kotryna Klizentyte- University of Florida

August 2019- Present

### **Agricultural water security through sustainable use of the Floridan Aquifer: An integrated assessment of economic and environmental impacts**

Damian Adams, Kotryna Klizentyte- University of Florida

August 2019-Present

### **Barriers and drivers to entering the nature-based tourism and agritourism industry in Florida**

Kotryna Klizentyte, Taylor Stein, Martha Monroe, Damian Adams- University of Florida

August 2017-July 2018

### **Economic barrier to small-scale restoration logging efforts**

Damian Adams, Kotryna Klizentyte- University of Florida

January 2017-January 2018

### **Expanding the role Collier County Extension can play in the development of nature-based tourism and agritourism**

Kotryna Klizentyte, Taylor Stein- University of Florida

January 2017-December 2017

### **Legal analysis of invasive species policy in thirteen Southeastern states**

Kotryna Klizentyte, Damian Adams, Michael Olexa

May 2016-Present