
Profile

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Gainesville	FL	32601
City	State	Postal Code

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<http://www.cityofgainesville.org/CityCommission/CityCommissionDistricts.aspx> *

☒ District 4

Business: (352) 273-1994	Mobile: (352) 215-6598
Primary Phone	Alternate Phone

Primary Phone Type

☒ Office

Alternate Phone Type

☒ Cell

University of Florida	Extension Botanist
Employer	Job Title

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Tree 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, only one can be a quasi-judicial board.

STUDENT BOARD SEATS, terms ending 9/30/2022

City Residency Required

- Historic Preservation Board
- Regional Transit System Advisory Board

City Residency NOT Required

- Fire Safety Board of Adjustment
- Gainesville Cultural Affairs Board
- Nature Centers Commission

Question applies to Tree Advisory Board

The Tree Advisory Board has 2 full terms ending 1/1/2025. City Residency Not Required

Question applies to Tree Advisory Board

Applicants to the Tree Advisory Board should have knowledge of urban forestry.

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

☐ Yes ☒ No

Review the text of FLA. STAT. Section 119 [HERE](#).

Mr. Marc S. Frank

If yes, it is required that you submit a detailed explanation of exemption. Upload additional documentation if necessary.

Consistent with Section 2-247 of the City Code, board and committee members can be removed from the board or committee for poor attendance.

Interests & Experiences

Question applies to Tree Advisory Board

Why are you interested in serving on the Tree Advisory Board?

I would like to support the city's urban forestry program using my professional knowledge and experience in botany and Florida horticulture.

Question applies to Tree Advisory Board

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

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Members of the State Housing Initiatives Partnership must only serve three (3) terms per statute.

Question applies to Tree Advisory Board

Are you applying for a student seat?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Have you been removed from any advisory board for attendance, behavior or another reason?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If you answered yes to the question above, please explain: (upload a file if needed)

Upload a Resume

[Marc S Frank CV condensed version Dec2018.pdf](#)

Please upload a file

Demographics

Ethnicity

☒ Caucasian/Non-Hispanic

Gender

☒ Male

Are you a City of Gainesville Employee?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Are you a City of Gainesville Intern?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Are you currently on a City Advisory Board/Committee?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, which Advisory Board/Committee?

Tree Advisory Board

Marc Steven Frank
University of Florida Herbarium
Florida Museum of Natural History
379 Dickinson Hall, P.O. Box 117800
Gainesville FL 32611-7800
(352) 273-1994
mfrank@flmnh.ufl.edu

Employment History

2016 – present	Extension Botanist and Associate Collections Manager, University of Florida Herbarium, Florida Museum of Natural History.
2011 – 2016	Botanist (Biological Scientist II), Division of Plant Industry, Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services.
2008 – 2011	Manager, Living Collections, Singapore Botanic Gardens
2007 – 2008	Part-time Taxonomic Botany Assistant, USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service contract with Walter S. Judd, University of Florida Department of Botany
2000 – 2008	Part-time Assistant Collection Manager and Extension Botanist, University of Florida Herbarium, Florida Museum of Natural History
2005 – 2006	Consulting Horticultural Taxonomist, The Kampong of the National Tropical Botanical Garden, Coconut Grove, Florida
2005	Student Intern, The Kampong of the National Tropical Botanical Garden, Coconut Grove, Florida
2003 – 2005	Research Assistant and Floriculture Variety Trial Garden Manager, University of Florida Department of Environmental Horticulture.
2002	Part-time exhibit Researcher, Hall of Florida Fossils, Florida Museum of Natural History.
2000 – 2002	Part-time Collections Technician, Division of Mammals, Florida Museum of Natural History.
1999 – 2001	Part-time Grower, Orchid Research Greenhouse, Florida Museum of Natural History.
1998 – 2000	Collections and Exhibit Coordinator, Mulegé Education and Research Program, Mulegé Community Museum, Baja California Sur, Mexico.
1995 – 1999	Collection Manager and Senior Biological Scientist, Division of Vertebrate Paleontology, Florida Museum of Natural History.
1992 – 1995	Museum Specialist, Division of Mammals, National Museum of Natural History, Smithsonian Institution.
1987 – 1992	Part-time Project Zooarchaeologist on various contract projects, Laboratory of Environmental Archaeology, Florida Museum of Natural History
1991	Teaching Assistant, Department of Zoology, University of Florida.

1988	Field Supervisor, Baardheere Reservoir (Somalia) Archaeological Impact Study Phase II, project conducted by the Foundation for African Prehistory and Archaeology, University of Florida.
1983 – 1987	Part-time Laboratory Technician, University of Georgia Zooarchaeology Laboratory.
1984 – 1986	Archaeological Field Crew Member, Santa Catalina de Guale, St. Catherines Island, Georgia, project conducted by the American Museum of Natural History.
1985	Archaeological Site Supervisor, Gogoshiis Qabe Rockshelter, Somalia, Buur Ecological and Archaeological Project, University of Georgia.
1981 – 1986	Archaeological Field and Laboratory Technician on various contract projects.
1982 – 1985	Student Assistant, Circulation Department, University of Georgia Main Library.

Education

2005	M.S. in Horticultural Science, University of Florida (cumulative GPA 4.0)
1990	Interdisciplinary M.A. in Anthropology and Zoology, University of Florida (cumulative GPA 4.0)
1986	B.A. in Anthropology, University of Georgia (cumulative GPA 3.97)

Current Professional Affiliations

American Horticultural Society, American Society of Plant Taxonomists, Bromeliad Society International, Cactus and Succulent Society of America