

City of Seattle Boards & Commissions Notice of Appointment

Appointee Name: Jose Ochoa								
Board/Commission Name: Board of Park Commissioners	Position Title: Get Engaged Member							
Bourd of Furk Commissioners		Contraction of the Contraction o						
	nent	Council Confirmation required? Yes No						
Appointing Authority: ☐ Council ☐ Mayor ☐ Other: Fill in appointing authority	7 /27 ,	Appointed: 72018 72018 10 / 2018 10 /						
Residential Neighborhood: Shoreline	Zip C 9810		act Phone No.:					
Background: Jose works as a customer service specials Seattle Central College. Jose demonstrat public policy sectors. Jose hopes to bridg Commissioners with the support from his	es a vo e the g s degre	ariety of skills gap between _l ee in political	both in policy of science	n the administrative, community and and communities on the Board of Park e from UW.				
Authorizing Signature (original signatur	e):	Appointing Signatory: Jenny A. Durkan Mayor of Seattle						

^{*}Term begin and end date is fixed and tied to the position and not the appointment date.

José I. Ochoa

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT • ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY

Personal Information



OBJECTIVE

Motivated and talented social scientist with specializations in equity, justice, and inclusion as well as environmental public policy. Strong quantitative and qualitative research methods and techniques that have produced original research. Looking to put policy and legislative background to create meaningful and just relationships that allow for healthy communities.

SUMMARY OF SKILLS

Legislative Processes • Environmental Policy Processes • Public Information Management Community Engagement • Public Administration • Political Communications • Advanced Quantitative Data Analysis • Mixed-Method Research Design • Sample Survey Design • Data Visualization • Engaging Microaggressions • Engaging Oppression • Cultural Competency, Equity, Inclusion, and Justice

WORK EXPERIENCE

Ianuary 2018 - Present

King County Public Health, Seattle WA Local Hazardous Waste Management Program Customer Service Specialist III

- Customer Service: Manage Business Waste Line and Household Hazardous Waste Line
- Project Management: Customer Service Line Improvement Project
- · Equity Consulting: Safer Alternatives Strategy (LHWMP)
- Other: Engage stakeholder in various projects with LHWMP's communications team

September 2017 - Present

Adjunct Professor: Seattle Central College , Seattle WA Department of Humanities $\mathcal E$ Social Sciences

- · Create course curriculum
- Teach introductory and upper level courses in political science, online & in-class
- · Guide students in using technology to support research
- Foster students' commitment to lifelong learning by connecting course materials to important moments in history and current events
- Write course materials such as syllabus, homework assignments, and handouts
- · Faculty Mentor: Political Engagement Club, Student Lobby

WORK EXPERIENCE CONTINUED

June 2015 - August 2017

Instructor: Doris Duke Conservation Scholars Program, Seattle WA University of Washington: College of the Environment

- · Served as research methods specialist
- · Teach survey research methods to interns
- · Engage Tribal communities for cooperative learning sessions
- Engage community partners to provide culturally competent curriculum
- Create course curriculum merging biodiversity conservation, social sciences, and environmental justice
- Helped coordinate field site visits, lodging, flights, and meals for 20+ students and staff

September 2015 - November 2017

Research Assistant: The Washington Poll UW, Seattle WA Department of Political Science

- · Helped create survey instrumentation
- Successfully implemented the WA Poll (over 2,000 respondents) in conjunction with KCTS-9 (Local PBS Affiliate)
- · Obtained Institutional Review Board (IRB) approval for survey polling
- Supervised a body of 20+ interviewers administering the survey
- · Cleaned data and created reports after data collection
- served as survey liaison and consultant with YouGov Polling firm and local environmental coalitions

September 2014 - June 2017

WISIR Fellow: University of Washington, Seattle WA Washington Institute for the Study of Inequality & Race Department of Political Science

- · Engaged academic community in rigorous scholarly work
- · Developed presentation skills
- · Developed original research
- · Developed grant writing skills

September 2013 - June 2017

Lecturer: University of Washington, Seattle WA Department of Political Science

- · Create course curriculum
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WORK EXPERIENCE CONTINUED

August 2012 - May 2013

Instructor: Arkansas State University, Jonesboro AR Department of Political Science

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August 2011 - May 2013

Research Assistant: Arkansas State University, Jonesboro AR Department of Political Science

- Conducted research of groundwater environmental policy in the state of Arkansas, as well as the effect of groundwater depletion on the future of agriculture in Arkansas
- · Engaged farming community
- · Engaged local, state, and federal agencies

September 2010 - June 2011

Intern: CENTRAL WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY, Ellensburg, WA Friends in Service of Humanity Foodbanks

- · Assist the Director lobby our state representatives
- Secure and extend state funds toward food insecurity and homelessness programs
- · Engage community stakeholder on priorities
- · Conduct needs assessment reports

January 2010 - March 2010

Legislative Intern: Washington State Legislature, Olympia, WA Legislative Internship Program: Exposure and skills in:

- · Legislative Process
- · Committee Process
- · Rules Committee
- · Legislative Ethics
- · Legislative Research
- · Online Reports and Bill Tracking
- · Constituent Casework
- · Parliamentary Procedure
- · Amendment Writing
- · Media Panels
- · Lobbyist Panels

EDUCATION

JUNE 2016 University of Washington, Master of Arts: POLITICAL SCIENCE
Mixed Research Methods Concentration
Race & Ethnic Politics Specialization (Equity, Justice, & Inclusion)
Center for Statistics & Social Science Field Certificate

MAY 2013 Arkansas State University, Master of Arts: Political Science
Public Policy and Qualitative Methods Concentration

Project Management Certificate
Central Washington University, Bachelor of Arts: Political Science

Concentration in Media & Politics Minors: Sociology & Communications

SKILLS

JUNE 2011

Administrative: Project Management • Grant Writing • Data Management • Proofreading

Program Coordination • Communication (Verbal, Written, Visual) • Time Management

Customer Service • Self-managed

Programming: R (Data Analysis Software) • RStudio • STATA • IBM SPSS • Tableau • SQL (Beginning)

Microsoft Access • Microsoft Office Suite • MFX(Type Setting Program)

Languages: S

Spanish: Native Language

AWARDS & GRANTS

2016:	Program for Interdicsiplinary Pedagoy Fellowship	\$50,000
2015:	Russell/Thompson Legacy Mentorship Grant	\$300
2015:	Graduate and Professional Student Senate (GPSS) Grant, UW	\$500
2015:	WISIR Conference Grants	\$500
	GO-MAP Fellowship	\$5,000
	WISIR Fellowship	\$5,000
2013:	Honors Day Award: Received M.A. Political Science Student of the Year	

REFERENCES

Kirsten Rowell Director: Global Sustainability Scholars Adan Zavala Doris Duke Foundation

Board of Park Commissioners

9 Members: Pursuant to *Ordinance 123803, all* members subject to City Council confirmation, *3*-year terms:

- City Council-appointed
- 4 Mayor-appointed
- 1 Other Appointing Authority-appointed (specify): Get Engaged

Roster:

*D	**G	RD	Position No.	Position Title	Name	Term Begin Date	Term End Date	Term #	Appointed By
1	М	3	1.	Commissioner	Marlon Herrera	4/1/18	3/31/21	1	Mayor
2	М	5	2.	Commissioner	Evan Hundley	4/1/16	3/31/19	1	City Council
1	F	2	3.	Commissioner	Andréa Akita	4/1/16	3/31/19	1	Mayor
2	М	2	4.	Commissioner	Dennis Cook	4/1/18	3/31/21	2	City Council
6	М	3	5.	Commissioner	Tom Byers	4/1/18	3/31/21	2	Mayor
6	F	5	6.	Commissioner	Jessica Farmer	4/1/18	3/31/21	1	City Council
2	М	3	7.	Commissioner	William Lowe	4/1/18	3/31/21	2	Mayor
6	F	1	8.	Commissioner	Kelly McCaffrey	4/1/16	3/31/19	1	City Council
3	М		9.	Get Engaged	Jose Ochoa	9/1/18	8/31/19	1	Mayor

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	Men	Women	Transgender	Unknown	Asian	Black/ African American	Hispanic/ Latino	American Indian/ Alaska Native	Other	Caucasian/ Non- Hispanic	Pacific Islander	Middle Eastern	Multiracial
Mayor	4				2	1	1						
Council	2	2				2				2			
Other		1								1			
Total	6	3			2	3	1			3	L		

Key:

- *D List the corresponding *Diversity Chart* number (1 through 9)
- **G List gender, M= Male, F= Female, T= Transgender, NB= Non-Binary O= Other U= Unknown
- RD Residential Council District number 1 through 7 or N/A

Diversity information is self-identified and is voluntary.