




City of Seattle Boards & Commissions Notice of Appointment

Appointee Name: Sarah McDaniel		
Board/Commission Name: Seattle Renters' Commission		Position Title: Member
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Appointment OR <input type="checkbox"/> Reappointment		Council Confirmation required? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Appointing Authority: <input type="checkbox"/> Council <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mayor <input type="checkbox"/> Other: <i>Fill in appointing authority</i>	Date Appointed: mm/dd/yy.	Term of Position: * 3/1/2022 to 2/28/2024 <input type="checkbox"/> Serving remaining term of a vacant position
Residential Neighborhood: University District	Zip Code: 98105	Contact Phone No.: [REDACTED]
Background: Sarah McDaniel is currently a graduate student at UW Seattle pursuing a concurrent Master in Public Administration and Urban Planning. Sarah is also currently an intern with Seattle Public Utilities as a Community Engagement Intern. She did her undergraduate at UW Tacoma where she double majored from the School of Urban Studies and School of Interdisciplinary Arts & Sciences. During undergrad, Sarah held student leadership positions such as being the Committee Chair of the student Services and Activities Fee Committee and Vice Chair of the campus Sustainability Committee. Before attending UW, she went to Pierce College Puyallup to get her AA and served in AmeriCorps there for 2 years afterwards, starting and managing a higher education outreach program for local youth. Sarah grew up in Bonney Lake, WA and afterwards lived in a transitional home in unincorporated Pierce County that was ran by a Tacoma non-profit. This experience directly influenced her current education path and passion into the decision-making processes and policies that influence where people live and what they have access to. During her last academic year, Sarah was part of a non-profit board fellowship with the non-profit HomeSight and got to complete a project for them on their upcoming housing cooperative in Southeast Seattle.		
Authorizing Signature (original signature):  Date: 3/14/2022		Appointing Signatory: Bruce A. Harrell Mayor of Seattle

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

Sarah McDaniel



EDUCATION

University of Washington

Concurrent Masters

Public Administration & Urban Planning

Expected graduation Spring 2022

Bachelor of Arts cum laude

Spring 2019

Majors: Sustainable Urban Development & Politics, Philosophy, and Economics

Minor: Social Science Research Methods

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Seattle Public Utilities

Community Engagement Intern

June 2021 - current

- Provide intake, tracking, policy guidance, and data upkeep of customer relationship management tool for capital project outreach efforts
- Support construction outreach efforts through drafting notices, compiling residents' data, and identifying impacts of work sites
- Assist with media outreach using GovDelivery and Flickr

University of Washington

HR Policy & Legislation Intern

Sept 2020 - June 2021

- Supported the intake, analysis, tracking, and implementation outlines of bills affecting UW HR during state 2020-2021 legislative session
- Developed independent project to research the needs of student employees, current HR services, and propose centralized HR services
- Completed tasks as needed such as website edits, policy research, peer institution best practice research, and COVID emergency orders affecting UW HR and employees

HomeSight

Fosters Board Fellow

Aug 2020 - June 2021

- Sit on nonprofit board and real estate development subcommittee as non-voting member
- Independently work on 6 month long board project and presentation
- Develop and present issue paper and suggestions for nonprofit board to engage stakeholders of housing cooperatives in the Puget Sound area

City of Tacoma Planning & Development Services

Comprehensive Planning Intern

April 2019 - Sep 2019

- Researched, analyzed, and prepared materials for department and Planning Commission
- Sat in on city council and department meetings
- Explored topics such as affordable housing, infill development, comprehensive planning, zoning/land use, public comment processes, tribal sovereignty in planning, growth management, and mixed-use centers

AmeriCorps

College Access Corps Coordinator

Aug 2014 - June 2016

- Developed program for economically disadvantaged youth learn about higher education
- Researched best practices for mentoring youth, prepared program files to organize progress, and coordinated ongoing events with Pierce College students and local youth
- Engaged over 30 Pierce College student to volunteer direct service to over 100 kids regarding leadership, effective communication, youth advocacy, college access, and community service

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

University of Washington

Service & Activities Fee Committee Policy Director

Nov 2019 - May 2020

- Collaborated with team of ten students in deliberation of \$17 million in student fee revenue
- Reviewed, edited, and established policies and internal structures to guide committee work based on university policies, state legislation, and efficiency
- Collaborated with Chair, Vice-Chair, and Clerk in direction of committee work

Service & Activities Fee Committee Chair

Nov 2018 - June 2019

- Facilitated team of seven students in deliberation of \$2.5 million in student fee revenue
- Finalized meeting agendas, handled appeals, hired and trained new committee member
- Submitted and presented final budget allocations to chancellor, campus, and board of regents
- Worked in compliance with Open Public Meets Act, SAFC Guidelines, UW Policy Directory, and Washington State Legislation

Chancellor's Advisory Committee on Sustainability Vice Chair

Feb 2018 - May 2019

- Finalized agendas and presided over committee meetings with Chair
- Connected with fellow students, faculty, and staff to promote a culture of sustainability on campus

Administration & Planning Intern

Jan 2018 -Jan 2019

- Became familiar with the policies and procedures of tri-campus university system
- Learned campus stakeholders in organizing and communicating plans on campus
- Advocated for issues of sustainability, student workers, and transparent decision-making

Front Desk Assistant & Lead

Sep 2016 – Feb 2018

- Provided administrative assistance with organizing, data entry, research, document processing, outreach, and assistant coordination for Career Development, Pre-College Outreach, and New Student & Family Programs
- Acted as first point of contact for in person visits, email inquiries, and over the phone communications
- Took on projects given and as seen necessary for daily operations and process improvements

Seattle Renters' Commission

15 Members: Pursuant to *Ordinance 125280*, all members subject to City Council confirmation, 2-year terms:

- 6 City Council-appointed
- 7 Mayor-appointed
- 2 Other Appointing Authority-appointed (specify):

Roster:

*D	**G	RD	Position No.	Position Title	Name	Term Begin Date	Term End Date	Term #	Appointed By
6	O	1	1.	Member	Haley Freedlund	3/1/22	2/28/24	1	Council
6	F	4	2.	Member	Maya Garfinkel	3/1/21	2/28/23	1	Council
			3.	Member		3/1/22	2/28/24	1	Council
6	F	2	4.	Member	Dinah Braccio	3/1/21	2/28/23	2	Council
6	M	2	5.	Member	Mac S. R. McGregor	3/1/22	2/28/24	2	Council
9	F	3	6.	Member	Gina Owens	3/1/21	2/28/23	2	Council
6	O	6	7.	Member	Char Smith	3/1/22	2/28/24	1	Mayor
2	F	3	8.	Member	Laurie Goff	3/1/21	2/28/23	2	Mayor
6	F	3	9.	Member	Kim McGillivray	3/1/22	2/28/24	1	Mayor
9	M	2	10.	Member	Tim Guy	3/1/21	2/28/23	1	Mayor
6	F	4	11.	Member	Sarah McDaniel	3/1/22	2/28/24	1	Mayor
9	NB	5	12.	Member	ChrisTiana ObeySumner	3/1/21	2/28/23	2	Mayor
3	T	4	13.	Member	Arianna Laureano	3/1/22	2/28/24	1	Commission
9	F	7	14.	Member	Rachel Sanchez	3/1/21	2/28/23	1	Commission
			15.	Get Engaged Member	Vacant	9/1/21	8/31/22	1	Mayor

SELF-IDENTIFIED DIVERSITY CHART

	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)				
	Male	Female	Transgender /Non-Binary	NB/ O/ U	Asian	Black/ African American	Hispanic/ Latino	American Indian/ Alaska Native	Other	Caucasian/ Non-Hispanic	Pacific Islander	Middle Eastern	Multiracial
Mayor	2	3		2		1				4			2
Council	1	3		1						4			1
Other		1	1				1						1
Total	3	7	1	3		1	1			8			4

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.