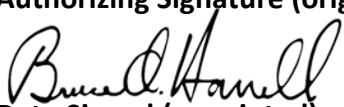




City of Seattle Boards & Commissions Notice of Appointment

Appointee Name: BB Denton		
Board/Commission Name: Seattle LGBTQ Commission		Position Title: Get Engaged Member
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Appointment OR <input type="checkbox"/> Reappointment		City Council Confirmation required? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Appointing Authority: <input type="checkbox"/> City Council <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mayor <input type="checkbox"/> Other: Fill in appointing authority		Term of Position: * 9/1/2025 to 8/31/2026 <input type="checkbox"/> Serving remaining term of a vacant position
Residential Neighborhood: Ravenna	Zip Code: 98115	Contact Phone No.: [REDACTED]
Background: BB Denton (They/Them/Theirs) is an early career professional raised in Seattle, with a background in healthcare, human rights, and community building. They live in Ravenna and are a recent graduate of the University of Washington, and Puget Sound Sage's Community Leadership Institute. Their work and studies have centered around the role of POC and QTBIPOC communities in policy and organizing. BB is especially interested in advancing access to housing, healthcare, and transit. They hope to bring a community-centered perspective to the commission, fostering deeper connections between the commission, the city, and the people they serve.		
Authorizing Signature (original signature):  Date Signed (appointed): July 18th. 2025		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.

BB Denton

Education

University of Washington / Seattle, WA / March 2024 / 3.92 GPA

Bachelor of Arts in International Studies and minor in Arctic Studies.

Honors & Awards: *Diversity Leadership Development Certificate* (Samuel E. Kelly Ethnic Cultural Center) / *Annual & Quarterly Dean's List Recipient* (Autumn 2020 - Winter 2024)

Study Abroad: Rikkyo University, Tokyo (Spring Semester 2023)

Affiliated Organizations: Modality, Students for Sensible Drug Policy, Jackson School Journal of International Studies (Peer Reviewer), Real Change (volunteer)

Skills

Japanese (language)

Policy Analysis

Public Speaking

Organization

Report Writing

Administration

Experience

Community Leadership Institute Fellow / Puget Sound Sage / Seattle, WA

September 2024-Present

- Trained by community leaders on local issues including zoning, transit, and climate.
- Developed storytelling, advocacy, and strategic planning skills to support equitable policy creation.

Patient Services Specialist / UWMC Outpatient Rehab Therapies / Seattle, WA

April 2024 - Present

- Processed referrals, scheduled patients, and communicated with providers in a timely manner.
- Supported patients in accessing relevant resources and resolving outstanding issues.
- Maintained a clean and organized work station per DOH requirements.

Events and Outreach Intern / UW Sustainability / Seattle, WA

September 2023 - March 2024

- Assisted in the planning, coordination, and execution of various events including exhibitor fairs, teach-ins, and workshops.
- Collaborated on the expansion of community engagement through traditional and social media, as well as physical outreach, focusing on non-ecologically focused entities.

Co-Director / Sexual Assault and Relationship Violence Activists (SARVA) / Seattle, WA

September 2022 - April 2023

- Directed a diversity commission with thousands of constituents at UW by fulfilling roles such as personnel recruitment, social media marketing, research, and political advocacy.
- Coordinated and mentored a team of seven interns on various projects and events.
- Undertook administrative roles such as scheduling, budgeting, and recruitment.

Constituent Relations Intern / Gender Equity Commission / Seattle, WA

November 2021 - June 2022

- Created content for and helped to manage various social media accounts and newsletters.
- Identified key campus stakeholders, working to expand connections with existing organizations representing historically marginalized communities.

Seattle Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and Queer Commission

July 2025

21 Members: Pursuant to *SMC 3.14.920*, all members subject to City Council confirmation, 2 -year terms except for the Get Engaged member who will serve a 1-year term pursuant to *SMC 3.51*:

- 8 City Council-appointed
- 9 Mayor-appointed
- 4 Other Appointing Authority-appointed: Commission-appointed

Roster:

*D	**G	RD	Position No.	Position Title	Name	Term Begin Date	Term End Date	Term #	Appointed By
		4	1.	Member	Jessa Gavrielle Davis	5/1/25	4/30/27	1	City Council
			2.	Member	VACANT	5/1/25	4/30/27	1	Mayor
			3.	Member	Sinomi Adeleine Sison	5/1/25	4/30/27	1	City Council
			4.	Member	Robert Parkstone	5/1/25	4/30/27	1	Mayor
		3	5.	Member	Jeremy Erdman	5/1/25	4/30/27	2	City Council
		5	6.	Member	Carl G Harris	11/1/23	10/31/25	1	Mayor
		3	7.	Member	Kody Allen	11/1/23	10/31/25	1	Commission
			8.	Member	VACANT	11/1/23	10/31/25	1	Mayor
		4	9.	Member	Maha Roy	5/1/24	4/30/26	1	City Council
		7	10.	Member	Jason Self	5/1/24	4/30/26	1	Mayor
		5	11.	Member	Theresa Smith	5/1/24	4/30/26	1	City Council
		2	12.	Member	Brett Pepowski	5/1/24	4/30/26	2	Mayor
		3	13.	Member	Landon Labosky	11/1/24	10/31/26	1	City Council
		3	14.	Member	Barry Fuentes	11/1/24	10/31/26	1	Mayor
		5	15.	Member	Christina Pizaña	11/1/23	10/31/25	1	City Council
		4	16.	Get Engaged	BB Denton	9/1/25	8/31/26	1	Mayor
		5	17.	Member	Ashley E. Ford	5/1/24	4/30/26	1	City Council
			18.	Member	Scott Humphreys	11/1/23	10/31/25	1	Mayor
		1	19.	Member	Chris Curia	11/1/23	10/31/25	1	Commission
		3	20.	Member	Andrew Ashiofu	5/1/24	4/30/26	2	Commission
		7	21.	Member	Amari Leach	5/1/24	4/30/26	1	Commission

SELF-IDENTIFIED DIVERSITY CHART

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

Key:

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

Diversity information is self-identified and is voluntary.