



SKILLS AND EXPERTISE

- Public Speaking
- Microsoft Office Suite
- Policy Research & Analysis
- Communications
- Community Engagement
- Writing, editing, document design

VOLUNTEER AFFILIATIONS

- Mountains to Sound Greenway Trust - board member

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PREVIOUS WORK EXPERIENCE

Community Relations Specialist
Woodland Park Zoo, 2018

PROFILE

Kizz S. Prusia recently started working with Triangle Associates as a member of the facilitation and public involvement team. Prior to joining Triangle he worked in both the public and nonprofit sectors where he conducted policy research, collaborated with community groups, and planned projects around creating equity. Kizz is passionate about authentic community engagement, working with people of all backgrounds, and the power of language and communication.

Kizz earned a Master of Urban Planning (MUP) and a Master of Public Administration (MPA) from the University of Washington, where he completed a thesis on using design to rethink community engagement approaches in city planning practice. He also volunteers with the Mountains to Sound Greenway Trust as a board member.

In his free time, Kizz loves cooking and trying new recipes, getting outdoors in the beautiful Pacific Northwest, and connecting to friends and family.

EDUCATION

2018

Master of Urban Planning (MUP)
and Master of Public
Administration (MPA)
University of Washington

2014

B.A. Race and Ethnic Studies
University of Redlands

KIZZ'S PROJECT EXPERIENCE

Portland Harbor Superfund Site, 2018-Ongoing:

- Currently collaborating with EPA and Triangle Associates Project Manager to update the Portland Harbor CIP.
- Coordinates staff travel and meeting logistics.
- Drafts, copy edits and prints meeting documents.
- Serves as primary point of contact for community members attending public meetings.
- Assists with presentations, Q&A sessions, community member sign-in, organization of meeting space and materials on an as-needed basis.
- Drafts project reports and summaries.

Lower Duwamish Waterway Superfund Cleanup, 2018 – Ongoing

- Plan quarterly meetings with tribes, trustees, and community groups (TTC) to discuss progress and concerns regarding the cleanup of the Lower Duwamish Waterway
- Coordinate semiannual stakeholder meetings that provide technical information to over 100 participants.

Research Consultant

Washington State University (WSU)
Metro Center, 2017

**Environmental Justice & Service Equity
Intern**

Seattle Public Utilities
2015 – 2017

- Convenes the Healthy Seafood Consumption Consortium, which brings together members of the fishing community with federal, state, and local government agencies.
- Supports the formation of the Lower Duwamish Waterway Roundtable that will bring together a broad range of participants from governmental, Tribal, business, and community sectors to provide recommendations to EPA on the cleanup of the Lower Duwamish Waterway.