

## BRENNA M. CALLAN

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Dedicated and passionate environmental professional with a specialization in Sustainable Energy and Resources and Business Management. A proven advocate for environmental protection with a strong track record of developing sustainable programs and matching both environmental and economic needs. Eager to contribute go-getter mentality, creative problem solving, and project management to environmental consulting.

### EDUCATION

#### Indiana University at Bloomington

Major: Environmental Studies and Sustainability; concentration in Sustainable Energy and Resources

Honors Certificate: Liberal Arts and Management Program (LAMP)

- o Joint program between Kelley School of Business and College of Arts and Sciences

3.87 GPA | Graduate Magna Cum Laude | Founders Scholar & Recipient of Dean's Academic Scholarship

### ENVIRONMENTAL & SUSTAINABILITY WORK EXPERIENCE

#### *IDEM & City of Fishers Climate Fellow Program*

Clean Communities Fellow | October 2022- May 2023

- o Researched, developed, and executed a recycling and composting program for City of Fishers facilities, promoting sustainable waste management practices to lead community towards sustainability
- o Established collaborative partnerships with neighboring Hamilton County cities, sharing best practices and influencing surrounding cities to adopt sustainable waste management strategies
- o Led weekly meetings with City of Fishers Department of Planning and Zoning, ensuring consistent program and alignment with the city's sustainability goals

#### *Clean Water Action: Ann Arbor, MI*

Sustainability Canvasser | May 2022- August 2022

- o Cultivated daily connections with diverse demographics of community members, fostering increased awareness and engagement regarding water protection and environmental advocacy
- o Developed and implemented a comprehensive marketing strategy and sales pitch across 3 separate campaigns, resulting in regional growth of environmental awareness
- o Successfully relocated to Ann Arbor and adapted to unpredictable canvassing challenges while completing training and onboarding process with 20% retention rate

### LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

#### *Collins Living-Learning Community*

Environmental Sustainability Leader (E-Force Director) | August 2021-May 2022

- o Spearheaded the community-wide sustainability initiative, fostering a culture of eco-consciousness among residents and among facility policies
- o Designed and executed educational sustainability programs and events, reaching 212 students about sustainable living practices, and empowering them to implement positive changes.
- o Elevated sustainability concerns in the Student Government through active representation, leading to 3 new sustainable initiatives adopted by the residence hall

Sustainability Floor Peer Mentor | July 2020-May 2021

- o Pioneered the Sustain Collins student group with involvement for 2 years, starting in the pilot program of initiative, later becoming leader of student group
- o Collaborated with IU student groups and Residential Program Services to promote sustainable living focused on student groups' specific interests and academic courses on various environmental topics
- o Pilot program focusing on campus dining system improvements and sustainable food options played role in implementation of campus wide swipe system in following years

### Skills & Interests:

Project Management, ArcGIS, Environmental Education and Communication, Research/Data Analysis, Sustainability Program Development and Implementation, Collaboration Management, Customer Service

Interests in climate resilience, resource conservation, renewable energy, compliance, extinction rates, biodiversity