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Top Skills

Spanish
Political Campaigns
Community Organizing

Languages

Spanish (Native or Bilingual)
French (Limited Working)

Certifications

Managing Up
Certified ScrumMaster® (CSM®)

Honors-Awards

Delegate, Democratic National Convention
North Carolina College Democrat of the Year
The Nu Rho Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated Study & Alleviate Problems Award
Bronze Leadership Challenge, UNCG, Office of Service and Leadership
Recipient of The Pamela A. Wilson Scholarship

Publications

UNCG Alumni Advocates for Civil Rights in Washington DC

Keylin Rivera

Project & People Management | Change Agent | Connector
Washington, District of Columbia, United States

Summary

I have over a decade of experience leading grassroots initiatives, political campaigns, and government affairs. I'm a high-level project manager who can build the policy platform, craft the campaign strategy, and ensure the trains run on time. I'm fluent in Spanish and a seasoned coalition builder across cultures and sectors. I'm a passionate environmentalist who hopes to continue diversifying the space.

Outside work, I'm an avid traveler, having been to over 30+ countries in the last decade. My love for travel stems from visiting my family in Guatemala and Colombia. I mentor high school kids who recently immigrated to the United States during my free time. As a first-generation college graduate, I understand how critical it is to invest in the youth. On the weekends, you can catch me going on long walks with my 6lb service dog, Catalina.

Experience

US Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)
Special Advisor for Intergovernmental Relations (Political Apointee)
July 2022 - Present (1 year 4 months)
Washington, District of Columbia, United States

UnidosUS (formerly National Council of La Raza)
2 years 6 months

Senior Manager, Special Projects
January 2021 - July 2022 (1 year 7 months)

Advance and External Affairs Manager
February 2020 - January 2021 (1 year)
Washington D.C. Metro Area

UNIDOSUS ACTION FUND INC
Director of Public Engagement

February 2020 - July 2022 (2 years 6 months)
Washington, District of Columbia, United States

The Institute for Southern Studies
Program Director, Southern Strategies Program
June 2018 - January 2020 (1 year 8 months)
Raleigh-Durham, North Carolina Area

GreenLatinos
Climate & Clean Air Program Director
June 2017 - June 2018 (1 year 1 month)
Washington D.C. Metro Area

Hillary for America
National Deputy Latino Vote Director
June 2016 - November 2016 (6 months)
Brooklyn, New York

DC Government
Liaison to Mayor Muriel Bowser
April 2015 - June 2016 (1 year 3 months)

US Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)
Scheduler to U.S EPA Administrator Gina McCarthy (Political
Appointee)
January 2014 - April 2015 (1 year 4 months)

Organizing for Action
Comprehensive Immigration Reform Issue Organizer
June 2013 - September 2013 (4 months)
North Carolina

Obama for America
Field Organizer
July 2012 - November 2012 (5 months)
Greensboro

AmeriCorps
Adopt-A-Mom Program
September 2011 - August 2012 (1 year)
Greensboro, NC

Education

University of North Carolina at Greensboro
Bachelor of Arts (B.A.), Political Science & Spanish

Ashbrook High School