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## Top Skills

Event Planning
Public Relations
Public Speaking

# Ryan Thorn

USDA Rural Development State Director, West Virginia Charleston, West Virginia, United States

## Experience

USDA Rural Development State Director, West Virginia March 2022 - Present (1 year 6 months)

U.S. Senator Joe Manchin, III Economic Development Manager February 2017 - March 2022 (5 years 2 months) Charleston, West Virginia Area

West Virginia Trucking Association & West Virginia Oil Marketers & Grocers Association
Public & Government Relations Coordinator
January 2015 - June 2016 (1 year 6 months)
Charleston, WV

Cliffs Natural Resources
Public Affairs Coordinator
May 2012 - November 2014 (2 years 7 months)

### **WVSDEC**

Research Manager April 2010 - October 2011 (1 year 7 months) Charleston, WV

West Virginia Secretary of State Special Projects Coordinator January 2009 - April 2010 (1 year 4 months)

## Education

West Virginia University

Master of Arts, Corporate & Organizational Communications (2009 - 2011)

West Virginia Wesleyan College

Bachelor of Science, Marketing, Political Science · (2002 - 2007)

Institute for Crisis Management
Certificate, Crisis Communication Management