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Top Skills

Policy Development Strategy Policy Analysis

Sarah Greenberger`

Senior Vice President, Conservation Policy at National Audubon Society

Washington DC-Baltimore Area

Experience

National Audubon Society
Senior Vice President, Conservation Policy
October 2016 - Present (7 years 1 month)

Established the organizations national policy agenda; determine annual policy priorities; manage execution of legislative, communications and advocacy strategy for the national organization and with Audubon's 22 state and regional offices. Serve as a lead spokesperson for Audubon's policy priorities with media, partners, on Capitol Hill and with funders. Support state offices in developing policy and conservation goals.

U.S. Department of the Interior

5 years 7 months

Counselor to the Secretary
April 2013 - September 2016 (3 years 6 months)

Washington D.C. Metro Area

Led departmental activities related to climate change preparedness and resilience including: representing the Department's interests in development of the President's Climate Action Plan; overseeing and tracking the Department's implementation of and support for the Executive Order Preparing the United States for the Impacts of Climate Change; co-Chair the interagency Climate Natural Resources Working Group; as well as managing development and implementation of a \$300 million Hurricane Sandy climate resilience investment program. Led development of and managed inter-bureau implementation of several landscape-scale conservation efforts including the Department's greater sage-grouse conservation strategy, the largest collaborative conservation effort in its history, serving as the Secretary's lead representative with Governors' offices, federal agencies. Responsible for Endangered Species Act (ESA) issues for the Immediate Office of the Secretary including support in developing a regulatory and reform agenda and engaging with the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs to facilitate review of ESA-related regulations and policies

Senior Advisor to the Secretary

September 2011 - April 2013 (1 year 8 months)

Washington D.C. Metro Area

Responsible for Endangered Species Act (ESA) issues for the Immediate Office of the Secretary including support in developing a regulatory and reform agenda and engaging with the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs to facilitate review of ESA-related regulations and policies. Led the Department response to Congressional oversight including document collection, review and production; response to subpoenas; communication with Committee staff; and coordination with other Executive Branch agencies

Counselor to the Solicitor
March 2011 - September 2011 (7 months)

Washington D.C. Metro Area

Lead the Department response to Congressional oversight including document collection, review and production; response to subpoenas; communication with Committee staff; and coordination with other Executive Branch agencies. Supported the Solicitor in drafting legal opinions and provided client agencies with legal advice.

Office of U.S. Senator Benjamin Cardin Legislative Counsel March 2007 - March 2011 (4 years 1 month) Washington D.C. Metro Area

111th Congress: Primary staff responsibility for the operation of the Senate Environment and Public Works Water and Wildlife Subcommittee chaired by Senator Cardin. Drafted and secured support for legislation; drafted committee reports; conceived and implemented subcommittee hearings; wrote statements, speeches, memos and other documents. Handled some Full Committee issues including climate change and BP Deepwater Horizon oversight and legislative response.

110th Congress: Lead staffer on a range of issues including military and related foreign relations committee issues as well as several appropriations bills

U.S. Court of Appeals for the D.C. Circuit, Judge David Tatel Law Clerk

August 2005 - June 2006 (11 months)

Washington, District of Columbia, United States

Performed traditional legal duties of a law clerk. Assisted Judge Tatel in mediating the remedy phase of class action brought by two classes of special

education students against District of Columbia Public Schools by drafting language and other supporting materials.

Bronx Preparatory Charter School Founding Teacher July 2000 - June 2002 (2 years) Bronx, New York, United States

Taught 6th and 7th grade history and 5th and 6th grade science, created curricula, administered student activities. Contributed to creation of school policies, procedures, traditions, and accountability plan.

Peace Corps
Volunteer Teacher
October 1997 - January 2000 (2 years 4 months)
Mt. Darwin, Zimbabwe

Taught English as a second language to large multi-level classes with few resources. Drafted and presented project proposals to international donor agencies resulting in \$10,000 in grants to secure electrification and a \$2,000 grant to secure tapped water for the school. Acquired 700 Zimbabwean books for school library by establishing a tax-deductible book fund.

Education

University of Pennsylvania Carey Law School Doctor of Law - JD, Law · (August 2002 - May 2005)

Williams College

Bachelor's degree, History · (August 1992 - June 1996)