R. LILITH PIRI

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QUALIFICATIONS

- Strong written and verbal communication skills
- Excellent critical thinking skills
- Proven track record implementing community-based projects

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Arts June 1999

The Evergreen State College, Olympia, WA

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

Project Development & Implementation

- Transformed a neglected school garden into a well-utilized outdoor classroom
- Established an after-school garden club
- Led the relaunch of Garden Fair as an annual, school-wide Earth Day event
- Developed a regular schedule for classroom garden lessons

Fundraising

- Wrote and administered five successful grant proposals
- Initiated spring and fall plant sales
- Solicited financial and in-kind donations from local businesses

Organizational Skills

- Coordinated regular seasonal care of the garden
- Supervised students and adult volunteers at school garden events
- Created project budgets and progress reports for PTO

Public Relations Skills

- Edited a seasonal school garden newsletter
- Facilitated a district-wide appeal to the Tacoma School District to legally allow students to consume school-grown produce

WORK HISTORY