



# Cedar Monroe

## My Contact

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## About Me

I have had diverse job experience with nearly ten years founding and running a non-profit, including managing grants, finances, and program development; six years managing a farm (as well as growing up on a farm); extensive time spent on outdoor hobby wildcrafting, birdwatching, and observation; and a long track record of advocacy and social justice organizing. I am a published author, have excellent writing, communication, and teaching skills and have experience managing teams and organizing events.

After a 13 year career in ordained church ministry and chaplaincy, and taking a year off to write a book, I am looking to expand on my experience farming and passion for the natural world to pivot my career toward work in environmental sciences and climate change.

## Skills

- Creative writing, essay writing
- Managing teams, mentoring, and coaching
- Plant and animal identification, wildcrafting, assessing ecosystems, land and habitat restoration
- Small farm management for small scale crops and livestock
- Advocacy and public policy work
- Public speaking and event organizing
- Teaching classes
- Grant writing, tracking, and reporting
- Financial bookkeeping
- Proficient in Adobe Creative Suite, Canva, Microsoft Office, QuickBooks

## Education

- *Bachelor of Arts*  
The Evergreen State College  
graduated 2010  
Focus: Latin American Studies, cultural and regional studies
- *Masters in Divinity*  
Episcopal Divinity School  
graduated with honors, 2013  
Thesis: "Searching for Belonging, Longing for Home: A Liberation Theology for the American Underclass"

## Awards and Publications

- 2024 *Trash: A Poor White Journey*, published by Broadleaf Press
- 2020-22 Episcopal Church Foundation Fellowship
- 2014 Justice and Advocacy Fellow, The Episcopal Church

## Employment

### Harbor Roots Farm | Co-Director

2016-2022

- Assisted in organizing planting and harvest schedules, maintaining 2-3 acres of vegetable production, maintaining a greenhouse, and managing a CSA program
- Trained a team of farmers and managed grant funding
- Created a small land restoration project, replanting native plants and trees on a 22 acre permanent site

### Chaplains on the Harbor | Chaplain

2013-2022

- Co-Founder, Executive Director and Priest in Charge, managing a large budget, supervising multiple programs, assisting in fundraising, keeping records, and meeting state grant requirements
- Served as chaplain to roughly 500 people at any given time, who were experiencing housing insecurity or homelessness
- Organized with the Poor People's Campaign and engaged in extensive local advocacy

### Ecclesia Ministries | Pastoral Intern

2011-2012

### Providence St Peter Hospital | CPE

2011

### Timberland Regional Library | Library Aide

2009-2010

### Mt Olive Lutheran Daycare/Preschool | Teacher

2006-2009

### Three Sisters Dog Sitting and Grooming | Co-owner

1999-2005