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EYE COLOUR: green

HEIGHT: 164 cm

WEIGHT: 55 kg

ACTRA MEMBER ID: AM-26433

RELATED EXPERIENCE:

Rogers International TV Commercial

Principle Performer

May 2016

- My master's research project has been made into a TV and radio commercial featuring me in my field site. Link to the TV commercial:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PO5ATdJYL5c> or
https://www.dropbox.com/s/tqkfsa6n5vsiv4c/RGWC0496H30E_ROGERS_Researcher_Moujan.mp4?dl=0
- Spent twelve hours in the mountains of Kananaskis for recording the commercial
- Completed another twelve hours in a house setting for shooting the commercial

Rogers Poster

Modeling

May 2016

- Modeling for Posters on behalf of Rogers phone company both at the mountain top in Kananaskis and in the house setting

Rogers Radio Commercial

Principle Performer

June 2016

- Accomplished a radio recording session at Propeller Studios in Calgary

OTHER EXPERIENCES:

Teaching Assistant:

University of Calgary

2013 - present

Field Course (Biology)

August 2015

- Spent two weeks with undergraduate students at the Biogeoscience institute in Kananaskis,
- Helped and guided the students with all their laboratory and field exercises
- Provided the instructors with information on specific technical procedures needed

Laboratory Instructor (Biology)

- Trained students in reagents / buffers, handling biological samples, pipetting, handling advanced equipment and microscope use and identifying plant and animal cell organelles
- Assisted with planning, analyzing and organizing laboratory procedures
- Addressed students concerns, and provided feedback on their lab work
- Collaborating with other lab instructors on laboratory contents and grading schemes
- Graded students assignments and exams in a timely fashion
- Meeting with lead course instructor and discussing course and laboratory material

Research Assistant

2013 – present

University of Calgary

- Performed laboratory routine work such as pipetting, handling biological samples, and advance laboratory equipment
- Trained assistants for lab and field work
- Assisted with day-to-day laboratory maintenance and safety protocols
- Used multiple soil samples from research areas to measure grain size and soil moisture at different pressures with numerous laboratory procedures
- Measured soil moisture content, soil temperature at different depths and various air parameter such as temperature, humidity, net radiation, wind speed and direction for two years in the field
- Acquired government permits for field work

RELATED EDUCATION:**Acting Diploma**

2006

Vancouver Film School (graduated top of my class)

OTHER EDUCATION:**Masters in Biological Sciences**

2013 – 2017

University of Calgary

Bachelor in Biological Science

2008 - 2013

University of Calgary (graduated with distinction, GPA 3.65)

Awards:

Queen Elizabeth II

2014

Research Award

2013

Jason Lang Scholarship

2012

- For exceptional academic achievement

Dean's List of Faculty of Science

2012

- Based on a GPA higher than 3.6 in one academic year

Canadian Federation of University Women Bursary

2012

Jason Lang Scholarship

2011

- For exceptional academic achievement

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2011

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CERTIFICATIONS:

- Class 4 Drivers License

August 2015

- Standard First Aid - CPR C

June 2014

- WHMIS and Safety for Laboratories

Sep 2013

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATION:

- ACTRA member

2016-current

- Member of Alberta Society of Professional Biologist (ASPB)

2014-current