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Employment

May 2018 - Present

Scythe & Seed Designs – *Horticultural Consultant and Educator*

- Taught horticulture, food production, and greenhouse modules for Earthship Academy
- Authored, illustrated, and published a comprehensive book on holistic indoor gardening
- Developed Earthship Academy greenhouse coursework
- Created greenhouse training materials for new employees and staff
- Empowered and aided clients to meet their gardening and landscaping goals with customized holistic and organic tools and practices.

May 2010 - November 2018

Earthship Biotecture, Taos, New Mexico – *Greenhouse Manager*

- Cultivated, maintained, and harvested year-round showcase greenhouse
- Managed seven company-owned greenhouses in addition to the year-round showcase garden
- Defined and exemplified the Earthship greenhouse method and style of gardening
- Designed and executed soil restoration and water retention projects
- Implemented and oversaw numerous regenerative landscaping installations
- Evolved greywater pre-treatment cells via incorporation of epigeic composting worms
- Refined and streamlined greenhouse fertilization protocol
- Restored, improved, and regulated on-site composting systems

April 2006 - April 2010

Arnold's Way Raw Vegan Cafe, Lansdale, PA – *Asst. Manager*

- Oversaw and operated all aspects of cash till and register
- Cataloged and ordered all weekly and monthly inventory
- Staged for and coordinated daily lunch menu
- Maintained stock of all prepared food items.
- Interfaced and educated customers on the benefits of plant-based diets
- Facilitated monthly potluck dinner lectures
- Assisted in the creation of new menu items and dishes

April 2005 - May 2009

B-U Designs, Borosilicate Lampworking Startup – *Entrepreneur*

- Created custom glass artwork and jewelry

- Sourced outlets for the consignment of merchandise
- Attended shows and farmers' markets for the sale of goods.
- Ordered and maintained stock and inventory on all aspects of business

Education

January 2022 - Present

Antioch College, Yellow Springs, OH – *BS Candidate: Ecology*

March 2018 - June 2018

Oregon State University, Corvallis, OR – *Permaculture Designer Certificate*

January 2017 - January 2018

Instituto Comenius, Monterrey, Mexico – *Agrohomeopathy Certification*

April 2007 - April 2009

Hahnemann College for Heilkunst, Ottawa, Canada – *Acute Homeopathy Certification*

Publications, Workshops, and Appearances

- Dynan, Daniel. *Holistic Indoor Gardening: A Panoptic View Through the Lens of Earthship Greenhouse Management*. Self-published, 2019
- Organized and ran seasonal mushroom log inoculation workshops at Earthship Biotecture
- Hosted periodic educational composting demonstrations at Earthship Biotecture
- Lectured at a passive solar earthbag greenhouse workshop hosted by GrowEverywhere of Boulder, CO

Hands-On Experience

- Participated in live willow bending structure installation with the “Living Village” group: *Dalfsen, Netherlands*
- Worked with old-world fruit tree varieties on a 600-year-old farm: *Steyr, Austria*
- Perform all mandatory duties on organic sheep dairy farm: *Thalgau, Austria*
- Completed spring operations on a potato, tomato, and kohlrabi farm: *Burkhardtsdorf, Germany*
- Harvested hay, veggies and cared for livestock on a Market Garden farm: *Ponte nelle Alpi, Italy*
- Maintained garden beds and applied Biodynamic preparations to fields and greenhouses on a 5-acre Biodynamic farm: *Arroyo Seco, NM*
- Performed 3+ years of seasonal harvest and processing duties on a 10-acre organic marijuana farm:

Laytonville, California

- Aided in the construction, layout, and preparation of a year-round educational mushroom walking tour at Tradd Cotter of Mushroom Mountain's farm:

Easley, SC

- Built a custom 24 x 8ft, 350sqft Tiny House on Wheels with my wife:

Taos, NM

Areas of Proficiency and Competency

- Digital art programs such as Photoshop, Krita, Gimp
- Office suite programs such as Word, Excel, and Powerpoint
- Basic construction skills
- Comfortable with all power tools
- Greywater principles and mechanics
- Cash handling and money management
- Interpersonal communication and customer service