

BRIAN MARTIN

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SKILLS	Planning	Research, analysis, written and verbal communication, project management, Geographic Information System (GIS) mapping				
	Journalism	Reporting, writing, editing, page design, photography				
	Interpersonal	Mediation, facilitation				
	Software	<ul style="list-style-type: none">■ GIS: ArcView GIS, ArcGIS, MapInfo■ Data analysis: Access, SPSS■ Imaging and page design: Photoshop, QuarkXPress, FreeHand■ Web design: Dreamweaver, GoLive, HTML■ Office: Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint				
EDUCATION	University of Michigan	Master of Urban Planning, 2004				
	University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign	B.S. in Journalism, 1992				
PLANNING EXPERIENCE	University of Michigan	<i>Research assistant</i>	Aug. 2003 - June 2004; Ann Arbor, MI			
		Conducted research, analysis and GIS work related to the spatial distribution of transportation funding in southeast Michigan.				
	Chicago Area Transportation Study	<i>Intern</i>	Feb. 23-27, 2004; Chicago, IL			
		Conducted an analysis of commuter parking lot projects to determine whether commuters used capacity added as part of the Congestion Mitigation & Air Quality Improvement Program.				
	City of Detroit Planning and Development Department	<i>AmeriCorps intern</i>	May 2003 - Aug. 2003; Detroit, MI			
		Updated GIS parcel layer by analyzing three city databases and identifying inconsistencies. Created a dynamic Web site that links parcels and census data.				
	New York City Economic Development Corporation	<i>Intern</i>	Feb. 23-27, 2003; New York, NY			
	Studied economic development issues in New York City. Evaluated World Trade Center proposals for their effects on the Mayor's vision for Lower Manhattan.					
	East Metro Mediation	<i>Volunteer mediator</i>	Nov. 1998 - March 2002; Gresham, OR			
		Helped resolve neighborhood conflicts and taught problem-solving skills.				
	City of Gresham	<i>Volunteer citizen involvement assistant</i>	July 1998 - July 1999; Gresham, OR			
		Assisted with neighborhood associations. Organized leadership conference.				
JOURNALISM EXPERIENCE	The Columbian	Vancouver, WA	The Outlook	Gresham, OR	The NewsTribune	La Salle, IL
		<i>Copy editor</i>		<i>Reporter</i>		<i>Reporter</i>
		August 1999 - March 2002		May 1996 - May 1998		May 1992 - May 1996