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Education

B.S., Biology, Georgia State University, 2008
M.P.H., Environmental and Occupational Health, Drexel University, 2011
Ph.D., Environmental and Occupational Hygiene, University of Washington, 2016

Affiliations

American Industrial Hygiene Association (AIHA)
Pacific Northwest AIHA local section (PNS-AIHA)

Experience

2017-Present	Veritox®, Inc. <i>Senior Industrial Hygiene Specialist</i>	Redmond, Washington
2011-2016	University of Washington <i>Graduate Student Research Assistant</i>	Seattle, Washington
4/15-10/15	Seattle Children's Research Institute <i>Clinical Research Associate</i>	Seattle, Washington
3/10-11/10	Philadelphia Department of Health <i>Childhood Lead Prevention Program Student Intern</i>	Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
6/10-9/11	Drexel SPH IH Consulting Service <i>Student Intern</i>	Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Publications

- Michael, K;** No, D; Daniell, W; Seixas, N; Roberts, M. (submitted) Assessment of Environmental Contamination with Pathogenic Bacteria at a University Laundry Facility. *Annals of Work Exposures and Health*.
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Selected Presentations

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