

Jesse Bermel

SUMMARY

Passionate developer of renewable energy power plants with twelve years of project management experience. Secured 200k acres in 4 states for new wind projects. Permitted and co-developed 4 wind projects in 4 states under budget. Managed up to 8 land agents in 4 different states with an annual budget of \$1-\$2M. Pursuing an MBA to further project management skillsets.

WORK EXPERIENCE

- 2019 – Present Ld/Sr Business Developer
North Liberty, IA Avangrid Renewables
- Manage all Avangrid wind and solar projects in Western MISO, currently a \$750M portfolio of mature, construction ready and early stage assets.
- 2015 – 2019 Career Business Developer
North Liberty, IA Avangrid Renewables
- Manage a \$700M constructible wind development pipeline with projects in the lifecycle stage of greenfield to fully permitted projects ready for construction
- Coordinate with origination, permit projects, acquire land, and manage project budgets
- Oversee land agents for critical land acquisition efforts
- Present to universities, elected officials, landowners, community events, and conferences about Iberdrola and renewable energy in the country
- 2008 – 2014 Associate Business Developer
Chicago, IL Iberdrola Renewables
- Developed a wind pipeline of 850MW

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SKILLS

Personal
Results
Contract negotiation
Public speaking
Continuos improvement
Goal oriented
Adaptable to many hats
Motivate others
Team player

Memberships
AWEA
SEIA
WOW
IWEA
SDWEA

Computer
Microsoft Office
Apple
SAP

Continued Learning
MISO
PJM
ROW
Project Management
Bob Boylan Training

INTERESTS

Golf
College Football
College Basketball
Ice Hockey
Volunteering
Biking
Smart Cities
Emerging Technology

Secured over 20 miles of transmission easements

- 2008 – 2008 Generation Dispatcher, Ld/Sr
Portland, OR Iberdrola Renewables
- Remotely monitored 18 operating wind power plants and trained new employees
- 2006 – 2008 Wind Technician, Wind Plant Monitoring
Portland, OR Iberdrola Renewables (formerly PPM Energy)
- Communicated grid outages and power plant updates on a daily basis to CAISO, Real-Time, Scheduling, Asset Management, and Wind Operations
- 2005 – 2006 Supervisor, AmeriCorps
Barnstable, MA AmeriCorps
- Facilitated and managed a residential AmeriCorps program with 13 members
- 2004 – 2005 Member, AmeriCorps
Barnstable, MA AmeriCorps
- Performed over 1700 service hours in a national residential program focusing on the areas of land conservation, water conservation, environmental education, and disaster preparedness

EDUCATION

- 2013 – Present Pursuing Master of Business Administration w/emphasis on
Emerging Markets
University of Liverpool Online
- 2002 – 2004 Graduate Hydrogeology Classwork
Iowa State University

1999 – 2002 Bachelor of Science in Environmental Science
Iowa State University

1997 – 1999 Associate of Science in Biology
Muscatine Community College