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Experience

T.G. Heuser Company, LLC / Seattle, WA / Apr 2019 - Present

Principal

- Planning and executing historic preservation work in compliance with City, County, and State preservation standards.
- Advising clients regarding planning and execution of services to identify, evaluate, and preserve historic structures.
- Consulting with historic preservation staff, archivists, architects, and historians.
- Conducting research on architectural styles, construction materials & methods, specific structures, geographic areas, streets, and land use as well as architects, builders, owners, and occupants of historical buildings and more.
- Architectural photography and description of exteriors and interiors.
- Preparing and/or evaluating ownership, construction, and occupancy histories, historic, context statements, biographies and floor plans.
- Coordinating architectural salvage.
- Delivering Landmark Nomination and Designation presentations.
- Prepared and/or performed research for 3 Landmark Nominations and over 20 SEPA Appendix A and other historical reports to date--both independently and in partnership with other preservation consultants.
- Conducted a survey of Mid-Century Modern Multi-Family buildings in the Capitol Hill neighborhood of Seattle in which I identified 267 buildings then authored an historic context statement and an intensive survey on eleven buildings from the survey.

Capitol Hill Historical Society / Seattle, WA / Jan 2017 - Jan 2022

President

- Led a 3 to 5 person board of directors and up to five volunteers.
- Organized and lead organizational meetings and public events.
- Interpreted aspects of Seattle History through public talks, walking tours, blog articles, and social media.
- Performed public outreach for the collection of Capitol-Hill-related historical photographs, ephemera, and stories for posterity purposes and future use in public education programs.
- Curated and edited content for the historical society's blog and social media.

- Consulted with City of Seattle & Washington State historic preservation staff, historical organizations, professional historians, property owners, and community stakeholders to advocate for the preservation of historic buildings in Seattle's Capitol Hill neighborhood.
- Wrote and evaluated historic context statements for local landmark nominations.
- Other duties include strategic planning, grant writing, fundraising, bookkeeping, budgeting, promotion, graphic design, and web design.
- Wrote 3 grants and lead 3 fundraising events that raised a total of over \$18000.
- Co-authored a successful landmark nomination of the Roy Vue Apartments in partnership with Historic Seattle and building residents.
- Lead the republication of Jacqueline Williams' book *The Hill With A Future* and facilitated the sales of hundreds of books.
- Planned, coordinated, and co-authored two coloring books of historic buildings in the Capitol Hill neighborhood of Seattle.

Capitol Hill Times & Capitol Hill Seattle Blog / Seattle, WA / Jul 2015 - Feb 2018

Freelance Historian/Writer

- Researched and wrote 17 blog articles about the people who built, owned, and occupied historical buildings in the Capitol Hill neighborhood of Seattle.