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**SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS**

- Professional Geologist certified by the AIPG (#11769) and the State of Alaska (#103104).
- Knowledgeable of a broad array of theoretical and applied geoscientific disciplines, esp. sedimentary processes, geomorphology and geophysics.
- Analyst and interpreter of high-resolution geophysical data, esp. side-scan sonar, shallow-penetration acoustic systems (e.g. subbottom profiler and single-beam echosounder), magnetometer, navigation, multibeam swath bathymetry, and (P)CPT(u).
- Data integrator and technical writer of Desktop Studies (DTS) and Marine Survey Reports (MSR) for a wide range of submarine installation and hazard-identification projects.
- Proficient with the following software: Chesapeake Technology SonarWeb/SonarWizMap, Seismic Micro Technology Kingdom Suite, AutoCAD Land Desktop and Raster Design, Trimble SketchUp, Blue Marble Geographics Global Mapper, Golden Software Surfer and Grapher, Interactive Visual Systems Fledermaus, Adobe Creative Suite, CorelDRAW, Microsoft Office Suite and GMT Utilities Suite.
- Experienced with drill rig and geotechnical engineering operations.

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**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

- 2008-P **GEO-MARINE TECHNOLOGY, INC.** Position: [Sr. Geologist / Operations Director](#)  
*Missoula, Montana*
- Project manager; lead technical writer; senior analyst of geophysical data for hazards assessment, geologic interpretation and scientific reporting; and director of in-house operations, training and bidding
- 2006-10 **SUSSEX SCHOOL** Position: [Math and Social Studies Instructor](#)  
*Missoula, Montana*
- Created and taught middle school mathematics curricula, including: algebraic systems, data interpretation and modeling, and real-world applications
- 2004-08 **THE UNIVERSITY OF MONTANA** Position: [Adjunct Instructor](#)  
*Missoula, Montana*
- Instructed Introductory and Environmental Geology and Natural Hazards courses.
- 2002-05 **THE UNIVERSITY OF MONTANA** Position: [Teacher Assistant](#)  
*Missoula, Montana*
- Assisted the teaching of Physical Science for education majors and the Geology Lab
- 2000-01 **TERRACON** Position: [Field Geologist](#)  
*Ft. Collins, Colorado*
- Logged drill cores, assessed rock/soil samples, and constructed subsurface and plan geologic interpretations for commercial, residential and civil developments

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## PROJECT EXPERIENCE

- 2016      **MARINE SURVEY REPORTS**      Project: [Submarine Cables and Pipelines](#)  
*SHDAS, ORVAL Inshore, DEPRS*
- Project: [Marine Installations](#)  
*Tophill Low Res., Rehoboth, Oswestry Res., Acajutla LNG Plant, Elderberry Forebay*
- Project manager, lead or contributing writer and data analyst
- 2015      **MARINE SURVEY REPORTS**      Project: [Submarine Cables](#)  
*GTMO SFOC*
- Project: [Marine Installations](#)  
*Merchants Bridge*
- Project manager, lead or contributing writer and data analyst
- DESKTOP STUDIES**      Project: [Submarine Cables](#)  
*ORVAL*
- Project manager, lead writer and data analyst
- 2014      **MARINE SURVEY REPORTS**      Project: [Submarine Cables and Pipelines](#)  
*WCGT, Virginia VOWTAP, PRGT*
- Project: [Marine Installations](#)  
*AWISS, Colorado River Reservoir, Siesta Key Sand Prospect*
- DESKTOP STUDIES**      Project: [Submarine Cables](#)  
*GBOOC*
- Project manager, lead or contributing writer and data analyst
- 2013      **MARINE SURVEY REPORTS**      Project: [Submarine Cables and Pipelines](#)  
*PRGT, PCCS Seg 1, SSCS Branch 1, MonIta HVDC Nearshore, BLAST*
- Project: [Marine Installations](#)  
*Matagorda Shipping Channel, Krum Bay Berthing Area, Bolongo Bay Wind Farm, Obispito Bay Port Facility, Flamenco Bay Port Facility*
- Project manager, lead or contributing writer and data analyst
- 2012      **MARINE SURVEY REPORTS**      Project: [Submarine Cables and Pipelines](#)  
*Block 22, TPKM-3*
- Project: [Marine Installations](#)  
*Manistee River Dredge*
- DESKTOP STUDIES**      Project: [Pipeline](#)  
*Block 22*
- Project manager, lead writer and contributing data analyst (MSR); project manager and lead writer (DTS)
- 2011      **MARINE SURVEY REPORTS**      Project: [Submarine Cables and Pipelines](#)  
*Haiti Cable, viNGN, Maple, Juniper, Asia Subsea Express, Southeast Asia Japan*
- DESKTOP STUDIES**      Project: [Submarine Cables](#)  
*TPKM-3, Fibralink Ext., Ufinet, viNGN, Maple*
- Project manager, lead writer and contributing data analyst (MSR); project manager and lead writer (DTS)
- 2010      **MARINE SURVEY REPORTS**      Project: [Submarine Cables](#)  
*AdOCS-2, Loran-Manatee, RSN*
- Project: [Marine Installations](#)  
*St. Clair River, Lake Huron*
- DESKTOP STUDIES**      Project: [Submarine Cables and Pipelines](#)  
*AdOCS-2, RSN, ECGPL*

- Lead and contributing writer and contributing data analyst (MSR); project manager and lead writer (DTS)
- 2009      **MARINE SURVEY REPORTS**      Project: [Submarine Cables and Pipelines](#)  
                  *SAIT, Pelican, Toucan*
- DESKTOP STUDIES**      Project: [Submarine Cables](#)  
                  *SAIT, SAIT Panama Ext., CSNet*
- Lead and contributing writer and contributing data analyst (MSR); project manager and lead writer (DTS)
- 2008      **MARINE SURVEY REPORTS**      Project: [Pipelines](#)  
                  *Zandolie, Whiptail, Iguana*
- DESKTOP STUDIES**      Project: [Submarine Cables](#)  
                  *Unity*
- Contributing writer and data analyst (MSR); contributing writer (DTS)

## EDUCATION

- ABD      **THE UNIVERSITY OF MONTANA**      Program: [PhD Candidate, Geoscience](#)  
                  *Missoula, Montana*
- Dissertation topic focused on the affect of lee vortex stability on the morphology of ripples in transitional and three-dimensional flow. Earned a 4.0 GPA and received an NSF-funded doctoral fellowship from the Center for Learning and Teaching (West) to understand and mitigate the underrepresentation of American Indians in math and science.
- 2010      **THE UNIVERSITY OF MONTANA**      Program: [MS, Geoscience](#)  
                  *Missoula, Montana*
- Thesis topic focused on the patterns and processes of unidirectional current ripples at Netarts Bay, Oregon. 4.0 GPA.
- 1999      **THE UNIVERSITY OF MONTANA**      Program: [BA, Geology](#)  
                  *Missoula, Montana*
- Senior thesis focused on disambiguating descriptive and genetic sedimentary rock classifications. 3.8 GPA and graduated with High Honors on the Western Undergraduate Exchange scholarship.
- 1996-7      **ARAPAHOE COMMUNITY COLLEGE**      Program: [Core Courses](#)  
                  *Littleton, Colorado*
- 1994      **RED ROCKS COMMUNITY COLLEGE**      Program: [Core Courses](#)  
                  *Arvada, Colorado*

## RESEARCH

- 2016      **IN PREPARATION**      Project: [Paper](#)  
                  *Journal of Sedimentology*
- The Patterns and Processes of Current Ripples on the Tidal Sand Flats of Netarts Bay, Oregon
- 2015      **IN PREPARATION**      Project: [Paper](#)  
                  *Journal of Curriculum Theorizing*
- A Systems Theory Perspective on Culture, Education and Blackfoot Science Pedagogy
- 2011      **PRESENTED**      Project: [Poster & Abstract](#)  
                  *GSA Convention, Minneapolis, MN*
- Zunker, M. *The Role of Lee Vortices in the Patterns and Processes of Current Ripples, Netarts Bay, Oregon*
- 2010      **PUBLISHED**      Project: [Article](#)  
                  *Mathematics Teacher*
- Winston, B. and M. Zunker. *How Long Does It Take a Person to Sober Up? Some Mathematics and Science of DUI*

- 2009      **PROFESSIONAL**      Project: [Curriculum](#)  
                  *Sussex School, Missoula, MT*
- The mathematics of the Great Pyramid of Giza
- 2008      **PROFESSIONAL**      Project: [Curriculum](#)  
                  *Sussex School, Missoula, MT*
- The mathematics and science of DUI
- 2007-9    **PRESENTED**      Project: [Talks](#)  
                  *NCTM Conferences at Washington D.C. and Salt Lake City, UT; MCTM Conference, Belgrade, MT*
- Winston, B. and M. Zunker. *The Mathematics and Science of DUI*
- 2005      **PUBLISHED**      Project: [Abstract](#)  
                  *GSA Convention, Salt Lake City, UT*
- Zunker, M. and D. Winston. *Three Dimensional Flow Ripple Patterns and Their Inferred Flow Dynamics on Tidal Sand Flats, Netarts Bay, Oregon*
- 2003      **PRESENTED**      Project: [Poster](#)  
                  *Belt Symposium, Missoula, MT*
- Zunker, M., R. Ambrose and B. Pallister. *A Palinspastic Restoration of Selected Formations in the Belt-Purcell Supergroup*