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*Energy consultant with expertise in utility strategic planning, asset valuation, and clean energy policy and program design.*

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| **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE** |  |
| **EVOLVED ENERGY RESEARCH, SAN FRANCISCO, CA** |  |
| Principal, February 2022—Present  |  |
| *Advising clients on energy-sector transformation in the context of deep decarbonization* |
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| **PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC, SAN FRANCISCO, CA** |  |
| 2016-2022 |  |
| *Corporate and regulatory strategy at a Fortune 500 electric and gas utility***Acting Director, Corporate Development and Economic Analysis*** Evaluated asset investment and divestiture opportunities to further corporate strategy and PG&E’s financial execution of 2020 Plan of Reorganization. Facilitated related decision making at the Board / senior officer level.
* Performed financial analysis and created communications materials to advance PG&E’s Chapter 11 emergence strategy with investors, regulators, legislators, and the California Governor’s Office.
* Internal lead for interest rate risk management and equity issuance in connection with exit financing raise.

**Principal, Clean Transportation Strategy*** Corporate strategy and policy advocacy in the clean transportation sector. Designed products and services for clean transportation customers, including nation’s second targeted electric rate for commercial vehicle charging.

**Chief of Staff to Senior VP of Strategy & Policy*** Established governance processes for newly-created Strategy and Policy organization. Managed refresh of corporate strategy roadmap, culminating in successful presentation to Board. Oversaw SVP internal and external communications, facilitated enterprise-level committees and governance, led policy prioritization to guide external engagement.
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| **ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL ECONOMICS (E3), SAN FRANCISCO, CA** |  |
| Senior Associate, 2012—2014  |  |
| *Expert consulting in electricity economics and planning** Consultant in Renewables, Emerging Technologies, Energy Markets and Financial Analysis. Clients included electric generation project developers, state regulatory agencies, and major US electric utilities.
* Managed project budgets and timelines; oversaw multi-party stakeholder processes; led analyst teams to perform financial and economic modeling on the cutting edge of energy policy and market design.
* Select project & publication contributions:
* Modeled biofuel availability, cost and end use allocation for US economy-wide carbon emissions model presented at UN COP21. Model also leveraged for California Governor’s Office 2030 greenhouse gas reduction scenarios. Publication: Pathways to Deep Decarbonization in the United States.
* Built hourly avoided cost model to compare competing renewable energy procurement mechanisms in Hawaii. Delivered resource planning recommendations to the Hawaii Public Utilities Commission. Publication: Evaluation of Hawaii’s Renewable Energy Policy and Procurement.
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| **ALION, RICHMOND, CA** |  |
| Solar Engineer, 2009—2011  |  |
| *Manufacturing and utility-scale power plant development at a solar PV startup** Scaled processes from lab to manufacturing facility; supervised build of custom processing equipment valued at $400K. Responsible for equipment pricing and sourcing, contract negotiations and budget management.
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| **EDUCATION** |
| **UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY, HAAS SCHOOL OF BUSINESS** |  |
| Master of Business Administration with Honors, 2016 |
| **STANFORD UNIVERSITY** |  |
| Bachelor of Science in Materials Science and Engineering with a focus in energy technology, 2009 |

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