

Janelle Roybal



Name: Janelle Roybal

Hometown: Pojoaque, NM

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Major: Masters in Environmental Engineering

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About Yourself:

I grew up in a small northern New Mexico town called Pojoaque, where I graduated from Pojoaque Valley High School. I am currently pursuing a master's degree in Environmental Engineering to coincide with my undergraduate degree of Environmental Science, which I also obtained from NMSU. On my free time I enjoy taking Benjamin (my dog) on walks and to the park. We also enjoy going on hikes and reading books under the shade.

Career Experiences:

During my college career, I have been fortunate enough to have several valuable career experiences working for organizations such as WildEarth Guardians, New Mexico State University, and the Los Alamos National Laboratory. These opportunities have taught me valuable skills and presented me with invaluable mentorship that I plan to adhere throughout my career. One of my favorite aspects about environmental studies is when I get the opportunity to get out in the field and interact with nature. I've had some experience with fieldwork, collecting and validating data, with WildEarth Guardians and the Los Alamos National Lab.

Plans after Graduation:

I am looking for an opportunity that will enable me to use my skills and experiences to help protect and nourish our environment, while enabling me to learn and grow. I hope to find a position that will allow me to collaborate with several entities and projects across the world. Through these collaborations and projects, I want to ensure that future generations get to enjoy and interact with an ecosystem full of life!

Skills:

- Certification in 29 CFR 1920.120 (q) OSHA 40-hr Course First Response to Hazardous Materials Incidents
- PADI SCUBA Certification
- GPS, clinometer, spherical densinometer, GIS, technical research and application
- Mammal/aquatic trapping
- Horseback riding experience

Accomplishments/ Clubs/ other:

- Crimson Scholars (GPA > 3.5/4.0)
- Deans award of excellence for outstanding achievement in Plant & Environmental Sciences
- Recipient of National Organization of Professional Hispanic Natural Resources Conservation Scholarship
- Recipient of the J. R Oppenheimer scholarship
- Recipient Norma Bellows Ulery scholarship
- Awarded LANL "spot award" (Employee Achievement Award)
- LANL's 2014 Student Symposium-Award of excellence for a technical presentation
- NRCT Member