# AvaMarie Mendoza

### **GEOSPATIAL TECHNICIAN & DATA ANALYST**



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#### **EDUCATION**

Bachelor of Science, Environmental Geography

#### Michigan State University - Dec 2022

- Spanish Language Minor
- Cities: Environment, Design, and Society Minor
- Dean's List | GPA: 3.6
- Student Greenhouse Project (2019–2022)
- Deans Student Advisory Council Secretary (2022)
- Culvert GIS Research

#### **SKILLS**

- ArcGIS Pro, ArcMap
- ArcGIS Online Applications
- Scan2Cad
- Adobe Acrobat
- Address Standardization
- Microsoft Excel and Office
- Python
- AutoCAD
- Airflow
- Visual Studio Code
- Data Analysis
- Documentation and Reporting
- Time Management
- Critical Thinking
- Teamwork and Collaboration
- Community Outreach
- Spanish (Conversational)

#### **INTERESTS**

- GIS & Remote Sensing
- Coding

#### **PROFILE**

Diverse, motivated, and organized data analyst with strong geospatial and environmental science background. Skilled in GIS software (ArcGIS Pro, ArcMap), AutoCAD, Visual Studio Code, and community sustainability. Adept in plant/animal identification, critical thinking, and public collaboration. Conversational in Spanish.

#### **EXPERIENCE**

**Geographic Information Systems Technician I | Geo-Comm**, INC. - St Cloud, MN | Nov 2023 - Present

- Utilize architectural plans to create indoor 2D and 3D maps for clientele (in use with emergency responders)
- Perform field collection and scanning with Sitescape LiDAR Technology / work with raster imagery
- Standardizing address information in accordance with NG911 standards (utilizing MSAG and road centerline data) / Make calls to clients e.g PSAP centers
- Attend safety and technology conferences as a representative of Geo-Comm

## Geospatial Technician | Axim Geospatial – Sun Prairie, WI | March 2023 - Aug 2023

- Interpreted satellite imagery and DEMs to digitize hydro, transportation, and landcover features.
- Collaborated across teams and independently to meet client-specific mapping needs.
- Utilized Microsoft Teams for real-time progress updates and effective communication.

### GIS Analyst Intern | GIS & RS Lab – East Lansing, MI | Jan 2022 - May 2022

- Digitized culverts in multiple Michigan counties using ArcGIS and DEM interpretation.
- Produced GIS reports and documentation for stakeholders.

# Child and Youth Worker | ASU Service Learning / America Reads – East Lansing, MI | Aug 2019 – Dec 2020

- Supported academic and emotional development for youth ages 5–18.
- Demonstrated exceptional judgment and critical thinking in resolving conflicts and resident behavioral issues.
- Maintained safety, security, and general welfare of facility youth.

- Environmental Education
- Community Sustainability
- Youth Empowerment
- Cartography
- Multicultural Collaboration

# Student Cook | MSU Residential & Hospitality Services – East Lansing, MI | Oct 2021 – May 2022

- Head cook during shifts; ensured food met university standards.
- Upheld cleanliness and safety in the kitchen and dining areas.

# Sales Representative | Cutco Cutlery – Mishawaka, IN | Apr 2019 – Jul 2019

- Provided personalized customer support and recruited new clientele.
- Processed orders and communicated via phone, email, and in-person.

# Cocktail Server | Four Winds Casino Resort - New Buffalo, MI | May 2018 - Nov 2019

- Licensed (C.A.R.E and slot) to serve in regulated environments.
- Maintained accurate cash handling practices while efficiently serving customers.
- Managed high-volume service with precision and positive demeanor.