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Submission Time:

Citizens Commission
February 1, 2019 10:40 am

Name	Henry DeGroot
Address	<div></div> <div></div>
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Citizenship Affirmation	I am a U.S. Citizen
Residency Affirmation	I am a resident of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Statement of Intent	I intend to comply with and advance the policy established by this Act.
Statement of Interest	Based on my practical experience and academic studies, I have come to the conclusion that concentrated money has an undue influence on the electoral process. And I believe most of the residents of Massachusetts and the citizens of the United States agree. I intend to offer my services to this initiative in order to comply and advance the policy of this act to amend the constitution.
Résumé or Summary of Qualifications Upload	https://s3.amazonaws.com/files.formstack.com/uploads/3282862/71887710/474448984/71887710_henrys_resume_6.pdf
Political Party Affiliation, if any, over the previous five years	Unenrolled
City or Town where you reside	NEWTON
Employment Status	Employed
Occupation	Community Organizer/Educator
Employer	Labor Guild

Henry de Groot IV

Community Organizer



SKILLS

Public Speaking

1-on-1 Organizing
Conversations

Strategic
Communications
Planning

Wordpress

Meeting Facilitation

Geographic Information
Systems

Video Production

Drafting Research Briefs
and Whitepapers

Social Media
Management

LANGUAGES

English



Mandarin Chinese



EDUCATION

Masters of Science in Labor Studies

University of Massachusetts, Amherst

01/2019 – Present

Courses

- ▣ Labor and Employment Law
- ▣ Labor in the US Economy

International Development B.A. / Political Science B.A.

University of California, Los Angeles

09/2014 – 06/2018

College Honors, Cum Laude, 3.8 GPA

Courses

- ▣ Western European Government and Politics
- ▣ Strategic Campaign Communications
- ▣ Research in Political and Econ. Development
- ▣ Political Communications
- ▣ Data Analysis for Political Science
- ▣ African American Political Thought

WORK EXPERIENCE

Community Outreach Coordinator

Labor Guild

07/2018 – Present

Achievements/Tasks

- ▣ Redesigned integrated communications strategy and managed communications plan.
- ▣ Led outreach events to support the Guild's educational mission.
- ▣ Managed youth caucus and designed Young Workers' Workshop series.

Communications and Research Intern

Anti-Austerity Alliance

09/2016 – 12/2016

Dublin, Ireland

Political party with 3 seats in Irish Parliament

Achievements/Tasks

- ▣ Drafted legislative briefs on European and Irish laws, developing policy in support of three members of parliament.
- ▣ Assisted the communications director in managing social media accounts and the website, assisted with press releases and media relations and analysis.
- ▣ Filmed and produced "Now This" style videos which reached thousands of supporters.
- ▣ Represented the deputies at meetings with interest groups, constituents, and striking workers.
- ▣ Helped organize logistics for a conference of 200 attendees.

Contact: Deputy Paul Murphy – Paul.Murphy@oir.ie

Student Organizer

Student Labor Advocacy Project @ UCLA

01/2016 – 11/2017

Los Angeles

AFSCME 3299-led labor solidarity student club

Achievements/Tasks

- ▣ Worked with AFSCME 3299 and UAW 2865, building the Student Labor Advocacy Project at UCLA, a coalition which has worked on in-sourcing, labor policy, and immigrant rights campaigns.
- ▣ Recruited and developed student volunteers to participate in labor campaigns.

Contact: AFSCME 3299: Paul Waters-Smith – 941-726-6378