Kwabena Nkromo

Author / CEO / Chef / Educator / Farmer / Food System Planner

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Education & Skills



Tuskegee & Clemson Universities / Undergraduate Studies

Majors: Plant & Soil Science and Agricultural Economics - June 1989 - May 1997 Tuskegee AL & Clemson SC





Credentials & Licences

A multifaceted professional in synergistic industries focused on non-profit and social enterprise sectors, public service as well as outsource resistant trades. Kwabena works as an Author, Board Director, CEO, Chef, Commercial Truck Driver, Community Builder, Educator, Elected Official, Entrepreneur, Farmer, Master Cosmetologist, Minister & Theologian, Paid Speaker, and Urban Agriculture Project Developer.

Experience



North America Food & Farm PBC Inc (NAF2)/Board Chair & CEO

March 2020 - Present, Atlanta GA

Founder and corporate executive with a dynamic social enterprise consulting group, also responsible for leading its Local Food System Planning & Better Food Policy Advocacy Division as well as coordinating the company's Affiliate expansion to cities and regions across the North American continent and all U.S. Territories.



Pine Street Inn - iCater / Chef Instructor - Swing Cook

March 2018 - April 2021, Boston MA

Served as teacher and role model, teaching key skills and inspiring iCater Job Training Program participants in areas of food safety and sanitation, knife safety, proper knife handling techniques, recipe modification, cooking terminology, and preparing recipes, basic food preparation skills and industrial kitchen operations.





Georgia Food Policy Council / Chair

October 2014 - Present, Atlanta GA

Elected leader of a statewide network of better food policy advocates and activists. Facilitating communication between stakeholders and policy makers, as well as mobilization of citizens and membership.



Atlanta Food & Farm PBC (AF2) / Founder & Lead Principal

September 2011 - December 2017, Atlanta GA

Consultant for community food system design, planning, and policy. Proefessional urban agriculture project development and management.



Annie E. Casey Foundation - Atlanta Civic Site / Community

Builder for Family Economic Success (F.E.S.)

April 2008 - April 2009, Atlanta GA

Designing and implementing outreach and client recruiting efforts. Identifying community social networks for Family Economic Successs.

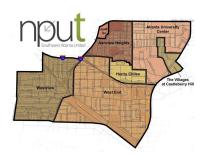


Civic, Community
Development Work, &
Volunteer Service

Neighborhood Planning Unit T (NPU-T) / Chairperson

December 2005 - December 2009, Atlanta GA

Four years as elected Vice-Chair and then Chair of a citizen advisory council in Southwest Atlanta that makes recommendations to the Mayor and City Council on zoning, land use, and other planning issues..



Creating Vibrant Communities Inc (CVC Inc) / Board Member, Grant Writer, Program Director

2006 - 2010, Atlanta GA

Founded CVC Urban Farms as the Director of the Urban Agriculture Program for a neighborhood based nonprofit working to develop 10 acres of land under intensive food production in the West End area of Southwest Atlanta.



Dudley Street Neighborhood Initiative (DSNI) / Coordinator,

Resident Development Institute (RDI)

2000, Roxbury MA

Established a leadership education tool and peer-to-peer learning program for community builders within a national model of neighborhood development.

