Patrick James Smith

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EDUCATION

Environmental Science, BS (August 2022 - May 2026)

College of Agriculture, Auburn University, Auburn, AL

GPA: Major: 4.00/4.00 **Overall:** 3.97/4.00

EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE

Auburn, AL; 16 February 2025 – 2 May 2026

Alabama Cooperative Extension System (ACES) – 4-H Administration Student Employee

- Assist with setting up and conducting statewide Alabama 4-H Natural Resources and Environmental Education Events.
    - Lead events in Alabama State 4-H competitions with participants aged 9-18.
    - Prepare materials for use in individual and team competitions during these events.
- Prepare materials and assist with preparing Alabama 4-H teams for National Forestry Invitational and Wildlife Habitat Education Programs.
- Prepare materials and assist with preparing Alabama 4-H coaches for instructing youth teams in the Alabama State 4-H Forestry Invitational and Wildlife Habitat Education Programs.
- Update Alabama 4-H State Forestry Invitational and Wildlife Habitat Education Program training materials according to National 4-H Content Standards.
- Manage data including post-training participant survey responses, educational programming planning documentation, and program evaluation forms for 4-H Sportfishing and 4-H RiverKids programs; and CPR, Paddle Sport Safety, and First-Aid certification data for 4-H RiverKids leaders and volunteers.

Auburn, AL; 13 May 2024 – 16 August 2024

Alabama Cooperative Extension System (ACES) – ACES AFNR Field Intern

- Assisted with setting up and conducting statewide Alabama 4-H Natural Resources and Environmental Education Events.
    - Led events in Alabama State 4-H competitions with participants aged 9-18.
    - Prepared materials for use in individual and team competitions during these events.
- Composed an article and companion map for the ACES website pertaining to the dangers of low-head dams.
- Participated in meetings of several organizations related to community watershed stewardship.
- Collected water data on local streams in Lee County, AL, through Alabama Water Watch.

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Montgomery, AL; 26 May 2018 – 4 August 2023

ZooTeen/ZooTeen Leader/Docent – Montgomery Zoo Education Department

- Provided mentorship and training to incoming ZooTeen (teenage) and Docent (adult) volunteers.
- Worked with both animals and the public in Community Outreach/Education programs across the state of Alabama.
- Assisted in the supervision and instruction of children aged 5-12 during Montgomery Zoo's annual seven-week Summer and two-week Winter Camps.

REFERENCES

Dr. Emily Nichols—Extension Specialist II	Danielle Crowe—Education Curator
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