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MATTHEW P. DARIN

EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE

CEO, Owner, & Lead Scientist at Bluepoint Environmental, LLC – Syracuse, New York. Overall responsibility for the operation, management, marketing, and sales for the company. Provide technical assistance and consultation to team members (2007-present).

Technical Manager and Quality Assurance Coordinator at Bluepoint Environmental, LLC – Syracuse, New York. Provided quality assurance oversight, compliance management, and proficiency demonstration for the AIHA Environmental Microbiology Accreditation Program (2006-2010).

Adjunct Faculty Member at SUNY College of Environmental Science & Forestry, Syracuse, NY. Provide research collaboration with Dr. Susan Anagnost, Ph.D. Provide guest lectures in a Introductory Mycology Course (2007-Present).

Director of Environmental Microbiology at Environmental Laboratory Services – Syracuse, NY. Overall responsibility for the operation and management, marketing and sales of Environmental Microbiology Laboratory and Indoor Air Quality Consulting Division (2003-2007).

Mycologist for Sherry Rogers, M.D. – Syracuse, New York. Provided fungal identification, enumeration and culture management for patients of Dr. Rogers throughout the country (2000-2005).

Research Assistant at The Field Museum – Chicago, Illinois. Provided technical research assistance to Dr. Sabine Hunderf, Ph.D. on the systematics and Biogeography of Costa Rican wood-inhabiting fungi. Provided Culture management, database systems development, fungal curation, and educational and professional symposia presentations (2001-2002).

Adjunct Professor at Columbia College of Chicago – Chicago, Illinois. Developed and taught a lab-based plant biology course emphasizing the economic and cultural significance of various plant species (2001-2002).

EDUCATION

A.S., Natural Resource Conservation, State University of New York, Finger Lake Community College, 1998.

B.S., Environmental & Forest Biology – Mycology & Forest Biology, State University of New York, College of Environmental Science and Forestry, 2000.

Graduate Studies towards a Ph.D. Degree, Evolutionary Biology, University of Illinois at Chicago, 2001-2002.

Ph.D. (in progress), Environmental & Forest Biology – Mycology & Forest Biology, State University of New York, College of Environmental Science and Forestry, 2013-Present.



PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE, PRESENTATIONS & AWARDS

2012-2013 – Provided scientific consulting and testimony to a Syracuse law firm on a Federal product liability and personal injury case related to mold contamination.

2012 – Part of a Catastrophic Loss Disaster Response Team mobilized to NYC, New Jersey, and Long Island to assess and consult on property restoration efforts in the wake of Hurricane Sandy;

2012 – Retained by the ESF College Foundation to conduct building inspection services and an environmental site assessment for a prospective property acquisition in Newcomb, New York;

2012 – Retained by the Murnane Building Contractors and Turner Construction Company to provide testing and consulting on the SUNY ESF Gateway Building construction project;

2012 – The CenterState Corporation for Economic Opportunity and City of Syracuse Chamber of Commerce awarded Bluepoint Environmental the 2012 Economic Champion award for their contribution to the economic development of the CenterState New York region;

2012 – Awarded the Syracuse Forty Under 40 award for role as a business leader and community service provider;

2011 – Graduate of the U.S. Small Business Association's Emerging Business Leader Initiative, known as the e200 program;

2008-2010 – Awarded a \$150,000 research grant from the Syracuse Center of Excellence (operated by Syracuse University) to research and develop macroarray-based analytical methodology for the detection and identification of airborne fungi. This research was conducted as collaboration between Bluepoint and SUNY College of Environmental Science & Forestry;

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS & CERTIFICATIONS

Certified Asbestos Building Inspector, New York State Department of labor;

Certified Lead Based Paint Risk Assessor/Inspector, US Environmental Protection Agency;

Certified Indoor Environmental Consultant, The American Indoor Air Quality Council

The Mycological Society of America (MSA), Full Member, since 2000

Outdoor Emergency Care Technician, The National Ski Patrol Eastern Division

Member of The National Ski Patrol, Eastern Division, Labrador Mountain, Truxton, NY

PUBLICATIONS, PRESENTATIONS & AWARDS

Weir, A., Hughes, M.B., DaRin, M.P. July 2000. The taxonomic status of *Mimeomyces bicolor* (Thaxt.), I.I. Tav., as inferred from developmental, morphological and molecular studies. MSA annual meeting poster presentation.

DaRin, M.P., Anagnost, S.E., Newhouse, A, & Dickinson, R.K. July 2008. A new analytical technique for the detection and identification of fungal bioaerosols in buildings. MSA annual meeting poster presentation.