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Coastal Geologist

Mr. Betenbaugh is a coastal geologist with an interdisciplinary background in coastal geology and environmental policy. His primary research experience has involved surveying, mapping, and modeling coastal environments. While attending graduate school he led a yearlong study of the geomorphology of Dewees Island in Charleston County, SC. Mr. Betenbaugh is very familiar with the utilization of Geographic Information Systems (GIS) software as a tool for mapping, analyzing, and managing coastal resources. He has participated in data collection for several RPI projects and contributes regularly to the production of ESI atlases.

EDUCATION

M.S., Environmental Studies, College of Charleston, Charleston, SC. 2007

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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PUBLICATIONS

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