

Katie Vincent

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EDUCATION

2008–2011 **Bachelor of Arts** in English (Creative Writing emphasis)
University of Washington, Seattle

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2022–present **Founder, Ecological Garden Coach & Consultant**
Tending Alive, Duvall, WA
Ecological garden coaching & consulting for homeowners throughout Western WA.

2017–2021 **Botanical Garden Supervisor**
Bastyr University, Kenmore, WA
Managed all aspects of 8 gardens (medicinal, edible, ethnobotanical) and an industrial greenhouse with organic and ecological principles.

2013–2017 **Garden Hotline Educator & Educator (other)**
Tilth Alliance/Seattle Tilth, Seattle, WA
Classes for diverse audiences in organic and ecological land care principles.

2006–2013 **Nursery Staff**
Sky Nursery, Shoreline, WA

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2022–Present **Lecturer: ‘L ARCH 423: PNW Plant Identification & Management’**
University of Washington, Seattle, WA

2018–2019 **Adjunct Faculty: ‘Horticultural Research and Grantwriting’**
Bastyr University, Kenmore, WA

2017–2021 **Mentor & Teacher: Botanical Garden Supervisor**
Bastyr University, Kenmore, WA
Organized and taught workshops for BU students and wider community. One-on-one student mentoring across all departments in land stewardship practices.

2013–2017 **Teacher: Garden Hotline Educator**
Tilth Alliance/Seattle Tilth, Seattle, WA
Classes and one-on-one mentorship for diverse audiences in organic and ecological land care.

2006–2013 **Mentor: Nursery Staff**
Sky Nursery, Shoreline, WA
Classes and customer mentorship for diverse audiences in organic and ecological land care.

PRESENTATIONS & PUBLICATIONS

Vincent, K. "The Sacred Seeds Ethnobotanical Trail At Bastyr University: Lessons Learned In Decolonizing An Established Native Plant Garden." Journal of Medicinal Plant Conservation, United Plant Savers. 2020.

Poster: "The Bastyr Sacred Seeds Ethnobotanical Trail Project: Growing community, educational opportunities and reciprocity in an ethnobotanical garden." Tilth Conference. 2019

COMMITTEES

2018–2021 **Chair** Sacred Seeds Advisory Committee, Bastyr University, Kenmore, WA

2017–2021 **Member** Landscape Committee, Bastyr University, Kenmore, WA

TRAININGS

2021–present **Wildlife Tracking Intensive** Wilderness Awareness School, Duvall, WA

2019–present **Intermediate Herbal Course** Herbal Academy, Bedford, MA

2021 **Wilderness Rites of Passage Guide Training Program (month-long)**

School of Lost Borders, Big Pine, CA

2020 **Antiracist Facilitator Training** Holistic Resistance, Phelan, CA

2019 **Tend, Gather & Grow Teacher Training** GRuB, Olympia, WA

2018 **Art of Mentoring** Wilderness Awareness School, Duvall, WA

2018 **Advanced Bird Language** Wilderness Awareness School, Duvall, WA

SERVICE

2022–present **Na'ah Illahee Fund** Seattle, WA

Support indigenous-led restoration ecology work parties at Daybreak Star Cultural Center.

2021–present **Holistic Resistance** Phelan, CA

Support with permaculture and organic landscape strategy, and BIPOC apothecary creation.

2015–2016 **Picardo P-Patch** Seattle, WA

Medicinal Herb Garden design and installation

2008–2011 **WWOOF (Willing Workers on Organic Farms)** Italy, UK, New Zealand

Various organic and permaculture techniques, herbal medicine, livestock rotation