

# MAX BLASDEL

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Skilled data analytics generalist with experience including academic research, project based consulting, and large corporate entities. I thrive in situations where I can learn new systems and apply automation to processes.

## EXPERIENCE

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### Data Consultant IV - Kaiser Permanente Apr 2022 – Current

- Implemented process automation with R and Python for multiple projects saving 40+ hours/month & 12K/month
- Spearheaded transition to R Shiny spatial data dashboard reporting bringing new business to team
- Lead internal R package development and design for standardization across developers
- Work to modernize data infrastructure through linux server automation
- Work to manage airflow instance supporting multiple projects

### BI Engineer - Wavicle Data Solutions Dec 2021 – Apr 2022

- Brought on to debug legacy R modeling codebase
- Fixed issues with existing Shiny application used for reporting

### Data Analyst - CLEAResult Jun 2021 – Dec 2021

- Created economic analysis tools for assessing efficiency gains
- Developed Power BI dashboards for ongoing incentive program
- Development of R package to model heat pump efficiency based on geographic location

### Data Analyst - Cadmus Group Mar 2020 – Jun 2021

- Development of R Shiny applications for modeled EV adoption
- Converted excel based economic model into R package
- Lead use of python model for solar adoption project

### Research Assistant - Schatz Energy Research Center Aug 2017 – Mar 2020

- Built JavaScript web tool to display project results, meeting project scope requirement
- Wrote and maintained R code for parallel processing of large spatial datasets
- Generated spatial analyses of wind generation potential for use in public presentation and discussion
- Provided mentorship and guidance for student and staff members

## PUBLICATIONS

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### Reduction potentials for particulate emissions from household energy in India

- [Lam, N., Goel, V., Blasdel, M., Xu, L., Ruiz-Mercado, L., Ozaltun, B., Aoudi, L., Whitacre, J.V., Bond, T.C. \(2023\) Reduction potentials for particulate emissions from household energy in India. Environmental Research Letters. Volume 18. Number 5](#)

### Moving beyond incineration

- [Fingerman, K., Anderson, D., and Blasdel, M. \(2019\). Moving Beyond Incineration: Putting Residues from California Forest Management and Restoration to Good Use. Sierra Club of California. San Francisco, CA](#)

## EDUCATION

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Humboldt State University, MS Environmental Sciences 2017 – 2019

Portland State University, GIS Certificate 2015 – 2016

Oregon State University, BS Natural Resource Management 2011 – 2014

## SKILLS

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- Scripting Languages: R, Python, SQL, JavaScript,
- Databases: SQL Server, Postgres, Oracle, SQLite
- Geospatial: ArcGIS, GDAL, sf, geopandas
- Cloud: Github, Gitlab, DigitalOcean, AWS
- ETL Tools: Airflow, Alteryx, Databricks