

**PROFESSIONAL WORK HISTORY**

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**Executive Director**

PATH: People for Active Transportation Hawai'i  
11/2020 to Present

- Manage equity-informed strategic plan development
- Facilitate Hawai'i County Vision Zero Task Force
- Manage Safe Routes to Schools' bike and pedestrian education and HIBIKE Bikeshare programs
- Successfully write and win over \$1 million dollars in active transportation investments for Hawai'i Island

**Executive Director**

Oregon Walks  
2018 to 2021

- Create and implement a development plan for Oregon Walks
- Increase Oregon Walks' capacity by funding a transportation justice manager
- Leader on Portland's Vision Zero Task Force and Bus Rapid Transit Lanes committee

**Interim Executive Director/Operations Director**

Community Warehouse  
2013 to 2017

- Recruit, train, supervise and inspire 32 staff members and two hundred volunteers.
- Manage a team of 5 department directors.
- Co-create and manage a budget of over \$1 million dollars
- Serve as Interim Executive Director during leadership transition
- Work collaboratively with the Executive Director and Board of Directors to develop comprehensive department plans and strategic plan

**Instructor/Instructional Coach**

Hillsboro School District  
2001 to 2012

- Lead a professional development community
- Implement Hillsboro School District's K-12 Literacy Framework
- Collect, track, and analyze student literacy data
- Conduct school-wide staff development trainings
- Teach literacy

**EDUCATION**

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Cornell College  
English and Women's Studies

Mt. Vernon, Iowa  
1996

Portland State University  
Teaching

Portland, Oregon  
2001

JESSICA  
"JESS"  
THOMPSON

Executive Leader

**MOST IMPORTANT ROLES**

Mother. Wife. Auntie. Executive Director.

**VALUES**

Equity. Collaboration across difference.  
Humor. Systems. Persistence. Hope.

**GET IN TOUCH**