

## Education and Training

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- 1998 - Bachelor of Science: University of Minnesota Duluth, Geology
- 2004 - Master of Science: University of Minnesota, Water Resources Science
- 2018 - Certified Energy Manager designation earned
- 2019 - Sustainability Impact Accelerator and Professionals Retreat, Association for the Advancement of Sustainability in Higher Education
- 2020 - Flow Leadership training, through the Urban Sustainability Directors Network, taught through the Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health

## Research and Professional Experience

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- Sustainability Officer, City of Duluth (2020 - present)
  - Integrate sustainability into the City to improve policies, programs, and initiatives
  - Create and implement a Climate Action Work Plan for the City
  - Inspire change through partnerships and pilot projects
  - Track and communicate progress on City goals and carbon commitments
- Sustainability Director, University of Minnesota Duluth (2008 – 2020)
  - Developed, coordinated, and tracked programs and initiatives at UMD
  - Supported collaboration on initiatives across operations, research and education
- Coastal Nonpoint Specialist, Minnesota's Lake Superior Coastal Program (2006 –2008)
- Senior Conservation Specialist, South St Louis Soil & Water District (2004 –2006)

## Award and Honors

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- 2022 - League of Minnesota Cities **Sustainable City Award**, for development of the City's Climate Action Work Plan
- 2021 - **Environmental Initiative Award** in Energy and Climate: Decarbonizing Duluth: Duluth Energy Systems' Transformation
- 2017 - Named one of the **Minnesota Women in Energy**, Clean Energy Resources Teams

## Publications

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- Granley, Mindy, ***Climate Adaptation & Resiliency in Duluth, MN***. Presented to the Minnesota-North Rhine Westphalia Climate Smart Municipalities delegation in Munster, Germany. September 2021
- Granley, Mindy, ***A Strong Start: Integrating Environmental Goals with Economic and Social Systems: creating a sustainability office in the city of Duluth***. Public Management Magazine. December 2020
- Christiansen, Mary, Hoxie, Alison, Granley, Mindy, and Slick, Jodi; ***Shines! University Engineering Students Advancing Duluth's Sustainable Development***. Sustainability: The Journal of Record. December 2017, 10(6): 359-363
- Granley, Mindy, Toothman, Lora, Enright, Nicole, Cowan, Jane, ***From Gown to Town: Bringing the Benefits of Solar Energy to the Community***. Workshop presented at Association for the Advancement of Sustainability in Higher Education, San Antonio, TX, October 2017
- Greco, Michael, Mercer-Taylor, Beth, and Granley, Mindy, ***Building Resilient Communities Through University-Community Partnerships***. Association for the Advancement of Sustainability in Higher Education, Nashville, TN, October 2013.
- Granley, Mindy, and Sinclair, Maddie, ***Helping Students Lead on Solar: Collaborations to Advance Renewable Energy on Campus***. Presented at Association for the Advancement of Sustainability in Higher Education, Baltimore, Maryland, October 2016
- Lonsdale, M., T. Carlson, R. Axler, J. Walker, C. Hagley, J. Schomberg, M. Granley and G. Host, ***Linking data, public outreach and education: the city of Duluth stream outreach program*** ([www.lakesuperiorstreams.org](http://www.lakesuperiorstreams.org)). Water Environment Federation annual meeting, 79th annual conference and exhibition, October, 2006, Dallas, TX.

## Synergistic Activities

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- 2022: Department of Energy Communities LEAP grant award for City of Duluth, co-directing with Ecolibrium3
- 2021: Love Your Block grant through Cities of Service: Community-engaged planning and action to reduce blight and abandoned waste in the City of Duluth
- 2016 - Served on two Solar Market Pathways team projects, funded by Department of Energy through the Institute for a Sustainable Communities: [Ecolibrium3 and the City of Duluth team](#) and the [Midwest Renewable Energy Association](#)
- 2014: Urban Sustainability Accelerator Project City of Duluth co-hort, with Portland State University's Toulane School of Urban Studies & Planning
- 2010 - 2015: Served as Board Member of the Northeast MN Regional Sustainable Development Partnership and Minnesota Clean Energy Resources Team
- 2009: Sustainable Twin Ports, City of Duluth member