

W h i t e y L u e c k

Teacher Horticulturist Landscape Designer Naturalist Linguist Secretary

ACADEMIC BACKGROUND

Pennsylvania State University...BS in Landscape Horticulture; graduated first in class, *summa cum laude*; L. C. Chadwick Award from American Society for Horticultural Science as outstanding horticulture student in the United States (1970-74)

Oregon State University...MS in Plant Ecology and MA in German; President of Graduate Student Association (1977-80)

University of Wisconsin...PhD work in Ornamental Horticulture (1981-83)

TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE

Longwood Gardens...summer internship in horticulture at 350-acre former DuPont estate near Philadelphia (1973)

Nantes, France; Umeå, Sweden; and Bern, Switzerland...internships as Horticultural Engineer and Landscape Designer for municipal parks departments (1974-77)

Portland (Oregon) Parks Department...horticulturist in city parks (1981)

Consulting Horticulturist...residential and commercial clients, public agencies, architects, attorneys, *et al.* (1988-2010)

TEACHING

Oregon State University...graduate teaching fellow for introductory botany and plant taxonomy courses (1977-79)

University of Wisconsin...graduate teaching fellow for introductory horticulture courses (1981-82)

Linn-Benton Community College...instructor for three-term series in Basic Swedish (1983-84)

Lane Community College...instructor for landscape courses (plant identification, landscape design, pruning, greenhouse design); field classes in natural history, from Baja California to the Canadian Rockies and Yellowstone National Park (1984-2004)

Linfield College (McMinnville, Oregon)...adjunct instructor of ecology (2002)

OUT-OF-DOORS...providing private field classes in natural history throughout the Pacific Northwest (2004-2014)

University of Oregon...instructor in Department of Landscape Architecture for *Trees Across Oregon* (2005-present); *The Nature of Eugene* (2010-present); and *Living Landscapes* (2015-present)

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PUBLICATIONS

Trees for the Pacific Northwest...university-level text for identification and care of cultivated trees (1987)
New Perspectives in Urban Forestry ...booklet for urban forestry professionals (1995)
The Springfield News...gardening columnist (1993-2003)
Wild Garden...Pacific Northwest regional writer and member of editorial advisory board for nationally-distributed magazine on landscaping with native plants (1996-98)
Eugene Tree Foundation Newsletter...editor and chief writer for quarterly publication (1999-present)
Countless pamphlets, guides, articles...on topics relating to *The-World-Around-Us*—trees, natural history, horticultural practices, etc. (1984-present)
Staying Put in Lane County...collection of essays (2015)
Words from the Woods: 2004-2008...collection of essays (2016)
Words from the Woods: 2009-2011...collection of essays (2017)
Sixty-Four Trips Around the Sun...collection of essays (2017)
The Trees of Eugene...collection of tree-related articles and essays (2019)

OTHER EXPERIENCE AND ABILITIES

Eugene Tree Foundation...co-founder, board member, and tree-planting coordinator (1997-2002); the organization is now called *Friends of Trees Eugene*
NeighborWoods Program...developed first street tree planting program for City of Eugene (1992)
Languages...English, French, Swedish, German, Spanish; plus some Norwegian, Russian, Italian, Latin, and Greek
Swedish Film Series...introducing the campus and Eugene communities to Sweden, the Swedish landscape, Swedish language, and Swedish culture through weekly films each winter term (2006-2010); *Nordic Film Series*—with films from Norway, Sweden, Finland, Denmark, and Iceland (2011-present)
Male cocktail waitress...delivering alcoholic and other beverages to thirsty patrons of the Corvallis (Oregon) Moose Lodge, both on the dance floor and in the bingo hall (1977-78)
Secretary...for a great variety of businesses—including banks, architecture firms, Hewlett-Packard—and university departments (1973-86)
Outdoor Lighting Advisory Group...co-founder of group and principal writer of outdoor lighting standards for Eugene's updated land use code; assistance in the implementation and enforcement of the standards (1997-2001)

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