



Shannon McGuire
Community Engagement Manager

When Shannon joined MPS in 2017, she immediately got involved in pro bono projects, working her way up to project lead, and then Community Engagement Manager. She enjoys scoping out projects for nonprofits in the community, and the challenge of figuring out how to help them solve the difficulties of achieving their mission with limited funds.

She moved to DC from her native Bay Area to attend The George Washington University for undergraduate and graduate school. Shannon has her bachelor's degree in Human Services and Social Justice and her master's degree in Public Administration, concentrating in Nonprofit Management. She is very passionate about serving her community through various outlets inside and outside of work.

Prior to MPS, Shannon was a graduate intern at Capitol Hill Partners, a nonprofit consulting firm, where she worked to provide effective services and targeted advocacy on behalf of nonprofit clients. In addition, she worked at Smith Center for Healing and the Arts, a holistic nonprofit that provides yoga, cooking, and art classes for individuals affected by cancer. Shannon has worked at several nonprofits in the Washington, DC area, taking on development and management roles.

Her professional interests include health issues, technology, poverty alleviation, social enterprises, and nonprofit development. In her spare time, Shannon enjoys playing rugby, painting pottery, volunteering in her local community, and playing with her golden retriever Rigger.