

# ROBERT LOUIS KAHNE

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- Education:**
- Master's Degree in Public Policy, University of Kentucky Martin School for Public Policy: 2011.
  - BA, Economics (Magna Cum Laude, Honors), University of Kentucky (GPA:3.7).
  - BA, Political Science (Magna Cum Laude), University of Kentucky (GPA: 3.7).
  - High School Diploma, duPont Manual High School.

- Honors:**
- Twice awarded Metro United Way Service Scholarship (1 time award of \$5000 towards a public Kentucky College or University), 2005, 2006.
  - Arts and Sciences Deans List, fall 2005, spring 2006, fall 2006, spring 2006, spring 2007.
  - Order of Kentucky Colonels.

- Internships and Experience:**
- Graduate Assistant with University of Kentucky Office of Sustainability/UK Housing during 2010-2011 school year. Coordinates an energy reduction challenge across UK's campus, along with various other work for the Office of Sustainability.
  - Graduate Assistant with University of Kentucky Office of Residence Life during 2009-2010 school year. Coordinated Environmental Education programs and coordinated "GREEN" Living Learning Community.
  - Server, Rafferty's Restaurant and Bar, Summer/Fall 2009.
  - Member of Acts 1:8 Leadership Experience (a group of college students selected by the Kentucky Baptist Convention for a summer of service and Leadership Development), Summer 2008.
  - Pharmacy Technician, University of Louisville Hospital, Summer 2007.
  - Opinion Columnist for Kentucky Kernel (campus newspaper), 2006-2010.
  - Intern for John Yarmuth for Congress campaign, 2006.
  - Interned with Bluegrass FLOW/Vote Yes campaign (Lexington's campaign for local ownership of water), 2005.
  - Presented plan for expanded recycling capabilities to Louisville Metro Council, April 2005.

- Activities:**
- Senator, University of Kentucky Student Government Association, 2008-2009.
  - Member, University of Kentucky SGA Student Sustainability Selection Committee, 2008-2009.
  - Vice President, UK College Democrats, 2005-2007.
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  - President, Student Sustainability Council, 2010-2011.
  - Vice President, Student Sustainability Council, 2009-2010.
  - Member, President's Sustainability Advisory Council, 2009-2011.
  - Member, Kentuckians for the Commonwealth, 2005-2009.
  - Member, UK Greenthumb Club (Environmental), 2005-2010.
  - Member, Community Farm Alliance, 2008-2010.
  - President, Manual Students for Metro Wide Recycling, 2005.
  - Vice-President, later President, UK Water Democracy Project, 2005-2006.
  - Member, UK Students Taking Action Globally (STAG), 2006-2007.
  - Member, Students Educating and Empowering to Develop Safety (SEEDS, through UK Women's

Place) 2006-2007.

- Member, UK Baptist Campus Ministry, 2005-2011.
- Council Member, UK Baptist Campus Ministry, 2007-2008 (Campus Communications), 2008-2009 (Spiritual Growth).
- Member, Calvary Baptist Church College Ministry Leadership Team, 2006-Present.
- Member of Hurstbourne Baptist Church in Louisville, 1994-Present. Served as member of Youth Minister Search committee, Pastor Search Committee, and Youth Committee.
- Watchcare Member, Calvary Baptist Church, Lexington, 2005-Present.
- Treasurer, UK Res Publica, 2010-2011.
- Member, UK Student Athletic Council, 2005-2010.

**Volunteer  
Service:**

- Volunteer, Wildcat Wheels Campus Bicycle Shop (intermittently, 2007-Present)
- Volunteer, UK Women's Place Student Services Team (~5 hours a week), 2006.
- Upward Basketball Coach, 2005 (1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Boys) and 2006 (4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Boys).
- Upward Football Coach, 2006 (1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, & 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Co-Ed).
- UK FUSION volunteer, 2005
- Weekly volunteer (kid's clubs and tutoring) for Calvary Baptist Church's children's ministry at Crystal Springs (a mostly Latino apartment complex), 2005-2009.
- Mission Trip to New Orleans, LA (mission house repair), 2007.
- Mission Trip to Arlington, TX (mission house repair, children's club), 2008
- Mission Trip to Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic (water purification), 2008.
- Traveled to Juarez, Mexico to help build a house on three occasions. 1998, 2004, 2007.