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Amy draws on 17 years’ experience building two National Science Foundation-funded facilities at the University of Minnesota, including five years as a Director of Outreach, Diversity, and Education. Her unusual combination of a B.A. in English Lit and a Ph.D. in Geology is ideal for sharpening grant proposals and communicating science.

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