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I am an avid diver with a BA in Biology from Concordia College of Moorhead, MN. I hold certification as a PADI Advanced Open Water diver as well as specialties in dry-suit diving, ice diving, and science diving, and am currently working on Rescue Diver certification. I own all of my own gear including dry-suit, am a member of AAUS, and member of local search and rescue dive team. Looking for research opportunities for the 2008-2009 year before applying to graduate school in marine sciences. I am available as soon as August 2008, when I will return from participating in marine conservation volunteer research in Madagascar.

Education

Concordia College Moorhead, MN Sept. 2004 -
April 2008
Degree: Bachelor of Biology
(Natural Resources/Ecology emphasis)

Relevant Coursework

- Ornithology - ID, taxonomy, anatomy and physiology
- Evolution, Ecology and Diversity - Evolutionary and ecological theories, vertebrates, diversity of life.
- Vertebrate Biology - Anatomy and physiology.
- Microbiology - Principles and techniques, role of microorganisms.
- Human Anatomy and Physiology - Structure and function of human body, examination of human cadavers.
- Geology - Historical and present geology, geomorphology, ID and interpretation, fossil records.
- Botany - Identification and general understanding of plant life and ecological importance, taxonomy, life cycles.

- SCUBA - Certified to Advanced diver. Ice Diver, Dry-Suit diver, and Scientific Diver specialties. EFR certified. Currently pursuing Rescue Diver. 95 logged dives to date.

Employment History

Company: Designed Glass Inc.
 City/State: Burnsville, MN
Job Title: Installer/Glazer
 Supervisor: David Drill
 Erica Chandler
 Phone Number: 952-895-1095
 E-mail: Erica@designedglass.com
 Website: www.designedglass.com
 Date employed: 5/04 - 8/04, 5/05 - 8/05, and 5/06 - 8/06 (Seasonal)

Responsibilities:

- Cut, polish, and prepare glass.
- Customer service.
- Installation and repair of shower doors, mirrors, windows, and custom glass.

Company: Concordia College Campus Information
 City/State: Moorhead, MN
Job Title: Customer Service/Dispatch
 Supervisor: Sherri Arnold
 Phone Number: 218-299-3123
 E-Mail: sarnold@cord.edu
 Date employed: 12/06 - present

Responsibilities:

- Answer phones/provide information.
- Deal with security/dispatch.
- Record incidents on campus.

Company: Aquarena Center, Texas State University
 and Our World - Underwater
 Scholarship Society
 City/State: San Marcos, TX
Job Title: Intern - Scientific Diver/Tour Guide
 Supervisor: Ron Coley
 Phone Number: 512-245-7570

E-Mail: rc13@txstate.edu

Date employed: 5/07 - 7/07

Responsibilities:

- Cleaning and care of lake and springs.
- Tour guide/boat operator.
- Dive supervisor.
- Aquarium duties.

Extracurricular activities

Valley Water Rescue Team (tender) (2006 - present)

Concordia Intramurals (2004 - present)

Exotic Animal Husbandry Club (Present)