

Alexander James Emert- CIG, WFR

“Alex enjoys teaching... his programs are fun and appropriate.”

Lynda Mealue- Redwood National Park Education Specialist

Summary

Highly motivated, creative and versatile interpretive professional with over 15 seasons in the outdoor field. Skilled in storytelling and communication skills looking for an environmental education or park ranger position with an organization that is looking to better connect with the general public and nature.

Selected Accomplishments

- ◆ Created the Kings Mt. NMP Jr. Ranger program
- ◆ Designed a plant identification field trip program
- ◆ Wrote new environmental education lessons for 4-8th graders

Professional History

NPS Delaware Water Gap National Recreation Area

Interpretative Park Ranger 6/2012 - 10/2012

NPS Redwood National Park

Education Technician 3/2011 - 6/2011, 9/2011 - 11/2011

NPS Capitol Reef National Park

Interpretative Park Guide 6/2011- 9/2011

Nature's Classroom

Outdoor Educator *Spring and Fall* 9/2007 - 12/2010

NPS Great Basin National Park

Interpretative Park Ranger 5/2010 - 9/2010

California State Parks- Tahoe Sector

Senior Interpretative Specialist 6/2009 - 9/2009

BSA Minsi Trails Council- Camp Minsi

Nature Director 5/2008 - 8/2008, 5/2002 - 8/2002

Ashokan Field Campus

Outdoor Education Instructor 9/2006 - 4/2007

SCA Kings Mountain National Military Park

Jr. Ranger Intern 5/2006 - 9/2006

BSA Cradle of Liberty Council- Camp Big Springs

Nature Director 5/2003 - 8/2003

Other Work History

Stroudsburg Area School District

Substitute Teacher *Winter* 2007-Present

Education

Conservation Law Enforcement Training Program
University of Massachusetts Amherst (2009)

Bachelor of Science in Biology
Bachelor of Arts in Chemistry, Minor Computer Science
East Stroudsburg University (2006)

Awards

Boy Scouts of America Eagle Scout
2012 West End Fair 16 photography ribbons

Training

- ◆ Certified Interpretative Guide, National Association for Interpretation
- ◆ Tread Lightly Outdoor Ethics- Tread Trainer 7/17/10
- ◆ Wilderness First Responder- expires 6/5/2015
- ◆ Eppley Institute for Parks and Public Lands courses- 5
- ◆ National Recreation and Park Assn. courses- 4
- ◆ American Assn. for State and Local History courses- 2

Affiliations

- ◆ American Association for State and Local History
- ◆ National Association for Interpretation

Interests

- ◆ Hiking
- ◆ Camping
- ◆ Canoeing ~ 400+ lifetime miles
- ◆ Kayaking
- ◆ Photography