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## WORK EXPERIENCE

### Program Leader

Rustic Pathways (Fiji) – May 2018 to Present

- Work directly with students, communities, and activities' operators in Fiji to plan and execute various marine-based, service, and adventure programs
- Ensure program logistics are executed smoothly and respond to medical conditions

### Educational Programs Outdoor Educator

Cape Eleuthera Institute/The Island School (The Bahamas) – January 2017 to May 2018

- Plan and execute logistics for multi-day marine/environmental educational programs
- Teach basic marine ecology and sustainability courses
- Participate in ongoing research (elasmobranchs, deep sea, aquaponics, lionfish, plastic pyrolysis, sea turtles)

### Urban Park Ranger / Community Associate

NYC Parks and Recreation (Queens) – June 2016 to November 2016 (seasonal)

- Provide nature and history-themed public education programs; promote parks and greenspace
- Patrol parks, respond to animal conditions, and help maintain safe park conditions

### Fishing Director

Ocean Beach Youth Group – Summer 2012 to Summer 2015 (seasonal)

- Plan and oversee the fishing program at OBYG; teach children island culture and how to fish while ensuring safety

### Live Sound Engineer/Technical Director

Binghamton Sound, Staging, and Lighting – September 2012 to May 2016

- Manage technical productions for student-run production company
- Oversee, maintain, assemble, and operate technical equipment for on-campus performances

### Student Supervisor/Safety Patrol

Binghamton University Police Department – September 2012 to May 2015

- Oversee the Safe Ride and Emergency Communications at Binghamton
- Interview and select new employees as well as oversee and submit employee time sheets

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## EDUCATION

### Binghamton University, State University of New York

Bachelor's Degree: Environmental Studies (Ecosystems), May 2016

### West Babylon Senior High School

High School Diploma, September 2008 – June 2012; Weighted GPA 102.75

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## LEADERSHIP

### Boy Scouts of America

- **Rank of Eagle Scout (11/2012)**; Boy Scouts since 2004
- Planned and conducted Eagle Scout project – building/installing mile markers in local running trail
- Community service includes: lawn mowing, flag planting, fund raising, car washes, beach cleanup, woodworking

### Iota Chi Chapter of Theta Chi Fraternity – Founding Father and Social/Brotherhood Chairman

- Work to establish charter for Theta Chi Fraternity at Binghamton University
- Plan and execute weekly events to promote brotherhood
- Participate in philanthropy events for USO, Habitat for Humanity, American Red Cross, and others

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## ACHIEVEMENTS

- Rank of Eagle Scout
- Wilderness First Responder Certified (CPR/AED Certification)
- Lifeguard Certification

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## SKILLS AND STUDIES

- Binghamton University, Independent Study Fall 2015  
*"Effect of Deer Exclosures on Soil Invertebrates"*
- Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Audacity, Ableton Live 9