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PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

- United States Coast Guard Veteran, 100 ton USCG Master Captains License.
- Multidisciplinary scientist: Geology, Oceanography, Marine Biology, and Underwater Archaeology.
- Ability to work in an office setting, in the field, out to sea, or remotely.
- 15 years experience as an instructor, 8+ years as a business manager and supervisor
- Dedicated, self-starter, team player with the ability to lead, work independently, and follow directions.
- Ability to communicate with individuals across different ages, disciplines, industries, and languages across multiple platforms (in-person, telephone, internet, social media).

EDUCATION

University of Rhode Island , Kingston, RI Bachelors of Science in Geology and Geological Oceanography Minors: Marine Biology and Underwater Archaeology	December 2017
Study Abroad: University of Texas at Austin, Antarctica and Scotia Arc GSA Geologic and climate research and mapping training.	January 2013
Study Abroad: SEA Semester Global Oceans Program, New Zealand Littoral, pelagic, and benthic geological oceanographic research.	December 2014
Continued Education: University of Geneva, Porto Cheli, Greece Submerged prehistoric landscapes course, continental shelf prehistoric research.	August 2016
Continued Education: University of Sao Paulo, Sao Paulo, Brazil Geological Sampling Equipment	December 2016
Continued Education: University of Bremen, Bremen, Germany ECORD Virtual Drilling Experience IODP Bremen Core Repository	March 2017

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Freedom Boat Club , Greater Boston & Cape Cod Training Captain	April 2018 – present
MATE Internship , Alaskan High Arctic STARC Tech Watch stander, WHOI Science Support	Oct – Dec 2018
Project Oceanology , Groton, CT Marine Science Educator and OUPV	Feb – May 2018
Poseidon Expeditions , Geographic North Pole & Franz Josef Land Expedition Staff trainee, Geologist, Zodiac Operations	July 2016
University Corporation for Atmospheric Research , Marshall Islands Mapping Watch stander- Explorer in Training Program	Mar – Apr 2016
Integrated Statistics , Falmouth, MA NEFOP Journeyman Editor	Dec 2015- Mar 2016
Fathom Research LLC , New Bedford, MA Marine Biologist and Diver	Sept 2015- Mar 2016
Marine Technology Society , Washington, DC Council Student Representative	Feb 2014 – Sep 2015
Fish ‘n Tales , Newport, RI 1 st Mate and Educator	Summer 2015
University of Rhode Island , Kingston, RI Divemaster and Scientific Diver Geosciences department, Geophysics E-Resources researcher	Sep 2012 – May 2013 Sep 2012 – Dec 2012

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WORK EXPERIENCE

Old Harbor Bike Shop , Block Island, RI Senior Dynamic Functionality Manager	2005 – present
J. Cairo Enterprise , Block Island, RI Secretary	2014- present
Ballard's Marina , Block Island, RI Dockmaster, Marina Concierge Representative	2010 – present
Yawgoo Valley Ski Area , Exeter, RI Hill Captain, Snowboarding Instructor, Instructor Trainer	2010 – present
Breezy Seas Diving Services , Portsmouth, RI Owner	2012 – present
United States Coast Guard , Alaska, California, Vermont, Maine, Connecticut Petty Officer 3 rd Class	2006 – 2010
1st Mate and Steward , Portsmouth, RI to Greenwich, CT 75' Hatteras Motor Yacht boat delivery	November 2015
Captain and Logistics , St. Martin-Maarten to Stewart, FL 44' Beneteau Sailing vessel boat delivery	April 2017
Production Assistant , Block Island, RI Expedition Unknown: The Search for Captain Kids Treasure	October 2016

CERTIFICATIONS

100 Ton USCG Master Captains License (ex 02/22)	Divers Alert Network Instructor #15596 (12/15)
100 Ton USCG towing endorsement (ex 02/22)	(incl. Emergency O ₂ , CPR, First Aid, AED
Maritime Offshore Safety 16 hour (2015)	Neurological Assessment, Haz. Marine Injrs.,
TWIC card holder (ex 04/19)	Emergency Management Provider)
US Customs and Boarder Patrol LBO and SVRS	DAN/AHA CPR, First Aid, AED provider (ex
Global Entry Card Holder (ex 01/23)	08/17)
AAUS Scientific diver (ex 10/18)	AASI Level I Snowboarding Instructor #235950
NAUI Scuba Instructor #54205 (10/2014)	AASI/ PSIA Children Specialist I #235950
(incl. O/W, Adv., Rescue, Divemaster)	Alaska Cold Weather Survival Training (02/2008)
NAUI Nitrox I (01/12)	OSHA 40hr HAZWOPER (05/2015)
NAUI Technical diver (07/13)	OSHA 8hr refresher ('16, '17, '18)
PADI Dry suit Diver (09/2014)	American Sign Language Level I (04/2013)
PADI Ice Diver (04/15)	3-year multi-entry visa to Russia (exp. 07/19)
	10-year multi-entry visa to Brazil (exp. 09/26)

COMPUTER SKILLS

Proficient in Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, Access and PowerPoint), Adobe Acrobat, Adobe Photoshop, QuickBooks, Google Drive, Google Earth, Social Networking sites, E-mail, Dockwa, In-touch, types 70 wpm
Knowledgeable in C++, QGIS, GIS, SQL, Python, Tableau, Django, Oracle, SigmaPlot, Sony Vegas Pro.
Ability to work several operating systems including Windows, Android, Mac, and Linux.

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OTHER SKILLS

Knowledge of power tools, hand tools, tractors, forklift, carpentry, towing, locksmith, seamanship and splicing, maritime logistics, painting, photography, videography, set design, international travel, public speaking, animal husbandry, housing restoration, high attention to detail, fast learner, ability to drive manual transmission, able to work in harsh outdoor environments for long periods of time.

AWARDS

(3) Connecticut Congressional Recognitions for Environmental Sciences 2004, 2005, 2006
Maine Congressional Recognition for Community Service 2010
Scubapro/PADI/ Beneath the Sea Deep Elite Ambassador Scholarship honoring Dr. Sylvia Earle 2014
Women Diver's Hall of Fame/ Scuba Made Easy Training Grant in Marine Science and Oceanography 2014
Yawgoo Valley Ski School Continuing Education Grant 2014
Woman Diver's Hall of Fame Advanced Training Grant 2015
IAG Submarine Geomorphology Working Group Seafloor Exploration Training Grant 2015
AASI/ PSIA Continuing Education Grant 2017
Yawgoo Valley Snowsports Management Training Grant 2017
Flyin Ryan Hawks Adventure Scholar 2018

AFFILIATIONS

American Academy of Underwater Sciences '13	National Association of Underwater Instructors '12
American Association of Snowboarding Instructors '10	Polar Educators International (2015) Council '18
American Professional Captains Association '14	Rhode Island Marine Archaeological Project '13
Association of Polar Early Career Scientists '15	Royal Geographical Society '18
Explorers Club Member National '17	Society of Women in Marine Science '17
Interagency Arctic Research Policy Committee'18	Women Divers Hall of Fame Associate '14

COMMUNITY SERVICE/ VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES

Block Island Early Learning Center , Special Event Facilitator	2010 – present
Boy Scouts , Geology Instructor	2011 – 2015
Chill Foundation , SUP and Snowboarding Instructor	2018- present
Institute of the Study & Practice of Non-violence , Instructor, Special Event Facilitator	2010 – 2014
Make a Wish Foundation , Snowboarding Instructor, Special Event Facilitator	2003 – 2006
Mystic Aquarium , Scientific Diver	2013 – 2015
Nature Conservancy , Geology and Marine Biology Guide	2012 - 2013
Pen-Quis Home Winterization Project , Coast Guard Liaison, coordinator	2008 -- 2010
Rhode Island and Massachusetts Schools , Mentor	2016 – present
Save the Bay , Scientific Diver	Fall 2012
Sedna Epic Expedition , Ocean Scientist, Educator, Explorer	2018- present
Society of Women in Marine Sciences , Mentor	2018- present
Special Olympics , Snowboarding Instructor, Special Events Facilitator	2002 – present
Surf for the Cause and Flying Kites , Special Events Coordinator	2011 – 2014
Tuesday's Child , Snowboarding Instructor	Feb 2016
Women Offshore , Mentor	2018- present