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# Eric M Salter

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**OBJECTIVE** A position working in a challenging office environment where I can combine my strong communication skills with the problem solving skills and ability to work under pressure developed from working in the wilderness

**EDUCATION** Lawrence University, Appleton, WI  
Bachelor of Arts, Graduate Cum Laude  
Major: English  
GPA: 3.51  
  
New York University, New York, NY  
Major: Theatre Design

## RELATED EXPERIENCE

### Senior Field Instructor

Evoke at Cascades, Bend, OR

December 2014-Present

- ◆ Managed therapy group of up to 9 clients and 4 staff on 8-day shifts backpacking in Oregon wilderness
- ◆ Analyzed client needs and developed activities to support each participant's personal growth
- ◆ Communicated directly with clinicians and supported staff team to ensure that each client's therapeutic goals were met
- ◆ Managed crisis situations, including client escalation, medical emergencies, and environmental concerns
- ◆ Worked one on one with staff members to provide professional development opportunities
- ◆ Over 200 field days of experience in wilderness therapy setting

### Field Instructor

Second Nature Uintas, Duchesne, UT

September-December 2014

- ◆ Worked one on one with clients to achieve therapeutic goals laid out by clinicians and clients
- ◆ Submitted written weekly reports on client behavior and progress to clinicians

### Americorps Promise Fellow - Check & Connect Mentor

MN Alliance with Youth & Eastern Carver County Schools, St. Paul & Chaska, MN

September 2013-August 2014

- ◆ Worked at Chaska Middle School East to implement a Check & Connect mentoring program for 30 students in grades 6-8.
- ◆ Since the beginning of the year 68% of mentees improved GPA and 78% increased attendance
- ◆ Facilitated teambuilding training as part of community education staff professional development
- ◆ Attended regular trainings on intervention best practices, cultural competency, and youth development

### Logistics Coordinator

Manice Education Center, Florida, MA

May 2013-August 2013

- ◆ Supervised four Trips Assistants whose primary duties included leading gear packing sessions, packing trip foods, and assisting Outdoor Educators
- ◆ Provided mentorship and professional development activities for Trips Assistants
- ◆ Researched new gear purchases and replaced worn gear while overseeing and adhering to MEC's \$6000 gear budget
- ◆ Fully outfitted 152 campers for 2 to 6 day backpacking and canoeing trips

## ADDITIONAL SKILLS

- ◆ Skilled in Microsoft Office Suite (Word, PowerPoint, Excel, Outlook)
- ◆ Experienced using Adobe Creative Suite (Photoshop, Illustrator, Lightroom)
- ◆ Strong Typing Skills (WPM: 60)

## INTERESTS

Minnesota Local Music, American Literature, and Primitive Fire Building