Samlau Kutana

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EDUCATION

Bachelor of Arts, Psychology - Minors: Computer Science, Behavioral Science

2012 - 2016

• McGill University Faculty of Arts, Montreal, QC

WORK EXPERIENCE

Adventure Activities (Sharon, MA, USA)

Freelance Instructor –

June 2017 – Present

• Planned and executed introductory and intermediate lessons for outdoor activities such as Stand-Up Paddleboard, Kayaking, Archery, Arrow Tag, and Axe Throwing.

Everwood Day Camp (Sharon, MA, USA)

Paddleboard Specialist –

May 2017 – Present

Water Safety Instructor –

Summers, May 2014 – August 2016

- Worked with team of individuals dedicated to providing a transformative summer experience, where campers develop communication, collaboration, creativity and critical thinking skills.
- Provided structured swimming lessons and safety education for groups children (K–8).
- Acted as a first responder ready to make a water rescue or perform CPR/First Aid at any time.

Sharon Recreation Department (Sharon, MA, USA)

Lifeguard –

Summers, May 2010 – August 2013

- Spotted hazards or potential hazards, taking measures to prevent accidents
- Acted as a first-responder, performing rescues in the event of drowning or swimming accidents, and performing first-aid on injured beachgoers when necessary.
- Monitored unsafe and unruly behavior, evicting individuals not adhering to behavior protocols

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Ran Tong Elephant Save and Rescue Center - Chiang Mai, Thailand

July – August 2016

- Aided with the cleaning and maintenance of the facility, providing care for the elephants and other animals.
- Built a bamboo fence around the facility to protect the animals from crossing roads.
- Created a lesson plan and taught English to schoolchildren in Ban Chang.

Lydon Lab, Mcgill – Montreal, Quebec

2015

Aided research assistants in preparing to run an experiment, ensuring that the procedure was effective and efficient.

PROJECT WORK

Website Development

2015-2017

- Created a small website in spare time to showcase projects I've made using p5.js drawing / animation software. Integrates HTML, CSS, JavaScript, p5.js, and Firebase.
- Constructed a mini theme-based social media website integrating parts from C, Python, Perl, HTML, CGI, and Bash into a single application. Back-end functions included a member registry and photo/text uploads associated with a member.

SKILLS & INTERESTS

Coding/Computers: Java, Python, C, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, Microsoft Office, p5.js, Windows, Unix, Linux Other: Cooking, E-Sports, Game Design, Trombone, Piano, Stand-Up Comedy