

# Christopher T. Guerette

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## Education

**Syracuse University**  
– Syracuse, NY  
B.A. in English and  
Textual Studies  
May 2000

## Computer Skills

**Operating Systems**  
Mac OS  
Windows

## Software

Adobe InDesign  
Adobe Illustrator  
Adobe Photoshop  
Microsoft Office  
Google Workspace

## Coding & Markup

HTML  
CSS  
PHP

JavaScript

## Social Media

Facebook  
Twitter  
Instagram  
YouTube

## Interests

Hiking & Camping  
Canoeing & Kayaking  
Video Production  
Cooking  
Board Games  
Lego

## Work Experience

### Recreation Coordinator, RSU5 Community Programs – Freeport, ME

Aug. 2016-present

Develop and manage athletic, educational and creative programs for youth and adults, including seasonal leagues and camps; Hire staff and course instructors; Maintain budgets and payroll; Design advertisements, logos, brochures and flyers; Maintain social media, including YouTube channel

### Park Manager, Seacoast Adventure – Windham, ME

June 2015-Aug. 2016

Oversaw daily operations at a family amusement park; Hired, trained and supervised seasonal staff; Designed advertisements, brochures, logos and signs for the park and associated restaurant; Maintained a social media presence

### Trainer & Builder, Climb 1 Guiding/Adventure Más – East Hampton, CT

Seasonal 2007-2016

Travel to sites, building and maintaining ropes courses to meet industry and local standards; Train and certify staff to implement challenge course program; Facilitate team-building programs, including one program in Russia ('08)

### Systems Analyst & Graphic Designer, Post Road Press at Two Ems, Inc. – Madison, CT

Dec. 2011-June 2015

Maintained computer network and database for a small shop; Designed for customers and the business, including web sites, advertisements, logos, and business cards; Operated and maintained high-capacity digital presses

### Instructor, Deer Lake Day Camp and Wilderness School – Killingworth, CT

Seasonal 1993-2015

Instructed all ages in initiative and teamwork exercises and outdoor skills; Designed and maintained website [deerlakedaycam.org], maps and brochures  
Program Director, Day Camp Adventure ('11-'12): Hired, trained and supervised staff; Oversaw daily operations; Developed new programs

### Sports & Recreation Specialist, Soundview Family YMCA – Branford, CT

Mar. 2011-Mar. 2012

Coached and instructed children and adults in various activities, including climbing wall and ropes course, floor hockey, basketball and archery

### Park Ranger, Department of Parks, Recreation and Trees – New Haven, CT

Aug. 2005-Feb. 2011

Developed year-round programs for children and adults in nature education, team-building, high-adventure, and historical interpretation; Directed camps for adolescents; Trained and supervised part-time staff; Developed GPS accurate, illustrated maps of parks; Designed program flyers and brochures

### Substitute Teacher, Stamford Public Schools – Stamford, CT

Dec. 2001-Oct. 2002

Led classes in all subjects, especially for grades 6-8

### Help Desk, Newhouse School of Public Communications – Syracuse, NY

Sept. 1996-Sept. 2001

Help Desk Coordinator ('01): Managed technical support calls; Managed staff of student employees; Coordinated with technical staff  
Lab Manager ('96-'00): Assisted and tutored students in graphics software

### Boy Scouts of America

Apr. 2008-Apr. 2013

*National Camping School Staff:* Selected as a COPE instructor, training and certifying aspiring directors in low and high ropes course direction, including team-building and initiative games, as well as course safety and construction

Oct. 2004-June 2006

*Venturing Crew 497 Associate Advisor:* Organized a co-educational, high-adventure group for young adults ages 14-20

May 1996

Earned the Eagle Award

### Orange Source, Online Publication – Syracuse, NY

Feb. 1997-May 2000

*Editor-In-Chief (Jan. '99-'00):* Supervised publication, writers and designers; Allocated funds; Designed and produced content for the web

### Otto the Orangeman, Syracuse University's Official Mascot – Syracuse, NY

Apr. 1997-May 2000

Portrayed a positive image of the University at sporting, community events

## Leadership