

# Annabelle Raines

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## Objective

To obtain a position on the board for the Michigan Alliance for Environmental and Outdoor Education.

## Education

Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN

May 2018

*Bachelor of Science in Agriculture, Department of Forestry and Natural Resources*

Major: *Wildlife Sciences*

## Work-related Experiences

*Nature Center Programmer*, Farmington Hills Nature Center, Farmington Hills, MI February 2014, 2022-present

- Ensuring daily responsibilities in the nature center are completed in a timely manner
- Supporting summer camp staff as the Summer Camp Programmer through training, daily check-ins, and providing needed materials for success
- Overseeing care and enrichment of animal ambassadors to promote a healthy lifestyle and enclosure
- Creating and presenting programs for the public, scout groups, outreach, and school field trips
- Oversee the volunteer program through conducting volunteer interviews and leading volunteer days

*Part-time Park Naturalist*, WB Parks & Rec, West Bloomfield, MI March 2020-February 2022

- Facilitated private nature appointments for school groups, community groups, and more
- Marketed nature appointments and maintain relationships with community groups and schools
- Created diets and cleaned enclosures for animal ambassadors to promote healthy habitats
- Created and supply enrichment for animals to promote an active lifestyle
- Created, managed, and maintained a nest box program for 10 nest boxes on a property

*Seasonal State Park Interpreter*, Lake Metigoshe State Park, Bottineau, ND May 17, 2018-September 2019

- Created programs for the public, school groups, and campers based on audience and age group
- Presented programs to the public to promote environmental education
- Communicated with public about local wildlife and natural resources
- Maintained trail and amphitheater using lawn mowers and weed eaters

*Student Supervisor*, Purdue Village Preschool, West Lafayette, IN January 2015-May 2018

- Engaged children in activities and games to promote a healthy learning environment
- Aided teacher in preparation of activities, food, art, etc.
- Interacted with children to broaden vocabulary, learning, social skills
- Communicated with international parents about children's behavior

*Student Maintenance*, ST. Croix State Park, Hinckley, MN June 2016-August 2016

- Operated weed eaters and lawn mowers
- Sanitized campground bathrooms and showers
- Cut and delivered firewood to campground

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## **Certification & Trainings**

Project Learning Tree Facilitator	February 2024
Certified Interpretive Guide	December 2023
Narcan Training	December 2022
Master Naturalist Certification	November 2022
USA Archery Level 2 Instructor Certification	April 2022
Aquatic WILD Certified	October 2021
Basic Wildland Fire Training Certified	December 2017
Project Learning Tree Certified	February 2017
QPR Suicide Prevention Program Certified	March 2016

## **Activities & Honors**

MAEOE Marketing Committee Board Member	January 2023-present
Michigan Alliance for Environmental & Outdoor Education Member	2021-present
National Association of Interpreters Member	2021-current
Boiler Gold Rush Orientation Program, Orientation Supervisor	November 2015-August 2016
Boiler Gold Rush Orientation Program, Orientation Team Leader	March-August 2015