

Curriculum Vitae

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Overview:

As project director and a founder of Liquid Archaeology I plan and coordinate underwater surveys under license of the Ministry of Culture. Our group also performs historical research utilizing private and government archives.

I am a part time undergraduate student at McMaster University in Hamilton, Ontario. My primary area of study is anthropology and specifically archaeology. Outside of the university I am involved in various heritage initiatives and continued training in underwater exploration as it relates to marine archaeology and preserving our marine heritage.

Employed by the City of Hamilton as a Systems Manager, end user training, documentation and presentations are a large part of day to day activities. Training is conducted in formal classrooms, one on one and in the field. I am charged to develop and deliver presentations internally with upper management and externally at international conferences / symposiums.

Interests:

SCUBA Diving, Underwater Exploration, Hyperbaric Research, Archaeology, Marine Archaeology, History, Ships, Ship Building, Hiking, Climbing and Outdoor Survival.

Professional Experience:

PROJECT MANAGER Liquid Archaeology	Jan 2004 - Present
IWMS DEVELOPMENT ANALYST City Of Hamilton	Mar 2004 – Present
SR. NAUTICAL ARCHAEOLOGY SOCIETY TUTOR Save Ontario Shipwrecks	Jan 2009 - Present
MANAGER OF RETAIL OPERATIONS Mississauga Diving	July 2003 – Feb 2004
SR. SITE SUPPORT ANALYST / PROJECT MANAGER Kraft Foods North America	Apr 1999 – July 2003
SENIOR NETWORK ADMIN / WEB DEVELOPER All Areas Computers and Solutions Inc.	Oct 1998 – Apr 2005 (PT)
TECHNOLOGY CONSULTANT Pink Elephant Inc.	Sept 1997 – Apr 1999

Education / Certifications:

Anthropology BA , McMaster University	Ongoing
Completed 39 credits of 90 credit BA, Faculty of Social Sciences	
Cave 1 , NAUI	Completed 2009
NAS Tutor Training	Completed 2011
Advanced Recreational Trimix , IANTD	Completed 2009
Advanced Nitrox , TDI	Completed 2008
Decompression Procedures , TDI	Completed 2008
Nautical Archaeology Level 2 , NAS	Completed 2007
Fundamentals , Global Underwater Explorers	Completed 2006
Nautical Archaeology Level 1 , NAS	Completed 2005
Project Management , City of Hamilton	Completed 2004
Oxygen Provider , DAN	Completed 2004
Marine Advanced First Aid , Canadian Red Cross	Completed 2004

IT Related Education

Microsoft Project 2002, Level 1 and 2, CDI	Completed 2004
Supporting Windows 2000 Professional & Server Certificate, CDI	Completed 2002
Microsoft Windows 2000 Network Essentials Certificate, CDI	Completed 2001
Microsoft Windows NT Certificate, Knowledge Alliance	Completed 1998
Microsoft Office 97 Professional Certificate, BDT IT Training	Completed 1997
Computer Science Technician - Networking & Hardware Diploma, Mohawk College of Applied Arts & Technology (Co-op Program)	Completed 1997

Public Speaking / Instructional

Speaker –DIR Ontario Presents, Southern Trail, Thoroughbred of the Sea -2011
ARCHIBUS International User Conference, Orlando, FL –Speaker 2011
Speaker / Panelist –Research In Motion, Wireless Enterprise Symposium -2010
Trainer for CAFM Systems –City Of Hamilton
Instructor Trainer, Nautical Archaeology Society, Save Ontario Shipwrecks -2009
Shipwrecks 2009, Welland, ON –Speaker 2009
ARCHIBUS International User Conference, Scottsdale, AZ –Speaker 2009
Real Property Institute of Canada Conference, Ottawa, ON –Speaker 2008
ARCHIBUS International User Conference, Washington, DC –Speaker 2008
Aqua Systems Dive Shops, Toronto, ON –Dive Master 2004 - 2005

Memberships:

Save Ontario Shipwrecks,	Since 2005
Nautical Archaeology Society	Since 2005
Divers Alert Network	Since 2003
Global Underwater Explorers	Since 2006
Ontario Underwater Council	Since 2006
Liquid Archaeology	Since 2004