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TripSchool Certified
Washington D.C. Licensed Guide #TGL20334
New York City License Guide #2094034-DCA

Destination Experience

I have led tours to the following destinations.

EAST COAST

Washington D.C., Philadelphia, NYC, Boston, Fall Foliage

WEST COAST

Los Angeles, San Francisco, Sacramento, Las Vegas, PNW

NATIONAL PARKS

Zion, Bryce, Grand Canyon, Mesa Verde, Grand Teton, Yellowstone, Yosemite, etc

Destination Training

The TripSchool

Boston
National Parks
NYC Bootcamp
Civil Rights Tour
Fall Foliage

EF

Washington D.C.
New York City
Philadelphia

Event Tours

La Tomatina, Bunol, Spain
Oktoberfest, Munich, Germany
Royal Ascot, Windsor, UK
Running of the Bulls, Pamplona, Spain, ABQ Balloon Fiesta

Familiarization Tours

*Walking Tour: various destinations, *Sandemans Tours*
*Las Vegas City Tour, *LATDG*
*Orlando Winter Park, *LATDG*
*New Orleans, *LATDG*
*Seattle, *Personal*
*San Francisco, *Personal*

Destination Knowledge

Domestic

Seattle, Portland, Las Vegas, San Diego, Disneyland/World, Universal Studios, Hawaii, San Antonio, Atlanta, Los Angeles, New Orleans, etc

International

UK

Tour Director Experience 2014 - present

Student Tours

EF Explore America
WorldStrides/Explorica/BrightSpark
Bob Rogers - Airport Greeter

Adult Tours

Go Ahead Tours
Globus Family of Brands
Collette

Education

London Metropolitan University, London (2011)
MA in Events Marketing Management: Distinction

California State Long Beach, Long Beach (2008)
BA in Communication Studies

TEFL Experience

Changsha Nanya Middle School (1 year, 11-13yr olds)
Oral English lessons plus weekly English Corner

Certifications

Trip School Certified
Online fundamentals course, on-site training, workshops

TEFL UK, 120 Hour Advanced Online TEFL Certification
Middle Kingdom Teachers, 60 Hour TEFL Certification

FAA Certification
First Aid/CPR/AED/Fire

Operations

Operations Manager Babylon Tours (2024 - 2026) *remote*
Scheduled guides on tours, customer service, kept databases accurate, updated itineraries in 8+ cities

Supervisor (3 years, 10 to 1000+ guests)
Steam Dreams Trains carriage host 2011-2013
VIP Boxes London Olympics 2012
Buckingham Palace Garden Parties Summer 2013

Lead TD (various)
Confirmation calls, direct contact with group leader, changed itinerary when needed, assigned tasks to other TDs

Additional Skills Personal Interests

Social Media Platforms, macOS, Microsoft Office
Reading historical fiction, cooking Italian, dreaming Disney, listening to podcasts, singing karaoke, reality tv bingeing