

Key Skills & Talents

Nick Haas

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Nick Haas Intro Video

- Leadership
- Relationship Building
- Strong Communicator
- Empathetic Listener
- Meticulous Planner
- Insatiable Researcher
- Collaboration
- Strategic Thinker
- Time Management
- **Engaging Storyteller**
- On-the-spot Problem Solver

Tour Director Experience **Premier Alaska Tours: 2025** Africa Hope Fund: 2025

• Zambia literacy volunteer trip Just You/Travelsphere: Fall 2025 California & Southwest

Professional & Leadership Experience

President - Founder | Sep 2013 - July 2024

Bellingham Professional Finishes LLC, Bellingham, WA

- Managed all aspects of job acquisition, estimating, scheduling, staff onboarding and training, and project execution.
- Worked with residential and commercial clients, architects, and builders to achieve the desired aesthetic and protection for individual projects.

President - Founder | March 2023 - December 2024

Zodiac Adventure Vans, Bellingham, WA

- Designed and outfitted sprinter vans for adventure travel rental purposes.
- Responsible for trip-planning services.
- Customer service & support.

Education

Bachelor of Science in Business Marketing

Quinnipiac University, Hamden, Connecticut | June 2003

Aviation Certifications

Rotorcraft private pilot's license | 2013

Fixed wing private pilot's license | 2015

Safety & First Aid Certifications

Wilderness First Aid/CPR Certified | 2025

TD Destination Experience

- Alaska
- California
- Arizona
- **US Western NP**
- Zambia
- Las Vegas
- San Fran
- L.A
- San Diego

Personal Travel Experience

- United States (extensive)
- **US Western NP**
- Hawaii/Alaska
- Canada
- Mexico
- Costa Rica
- Dominica
- St. Lucia
- Jamaica Bahamas
- Zambia
- Netherlands
- Germany
- France
- Switzerland
- Austria
- Slovenia
- Italy
- Croatia
- Greece
- Dominican Republic

My Interests

- Hiking
- Backpacking
- Cycling
- Bike Touring
- Ocean Kayaking
- Reading to learn
- Healthy Cooking