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#### **HOBBIES & INTERESTS**

**Gardening**: I love to garden and be surrounded by things in bloom. I especially enjoy finding those plants that bloom when nothing else is, to give year-round beauty.

**Nature**: Being immersed in nature is my happy place. Hiking, wildlife viewing, a quiet wood and a gurgling brook are my joys.

**Disaster Relief Volunteer**: Helping others in times of need brings a special satisfaction to me.

# **Certified Professional Tour Director/Guide**

#### **GUIDING EXPERIENCE**

**World Classrooms** | 2021 6x, 2022 11x, 2023 6x, 2024 6x Local Expert

**WorldStrides** | 2020 1x, 2021 5x Course Leader

**GLR Tours** | 2021 2x, 2023 2x Tour Manager

Hemisphere Educational Travel | 2022 2x Tour Director

**Good News Travels** | 2022 2x Tour Manager

**Destination America** | 2021 4x, 2022 5x, 2023 4x and adding on

Insight Vacations & Trafalgar Wellbeing Director (2021 & 2022) & Travel Director (2021 – present)

# EDUCATION, TRAINING & CERTIFICATION

- TripSchool Fall Foliage (2023—scheduled)
- ITMI Southwest Parks Masterclass (2022)
- TripSchool Boston & New York Mega Training (2022)
- TripSchool Student Tour Mastery (2021)
- ITMI Student Tour Masterclass (2020)
- ITMI Tour Entrepreneur: How to Start Your Tour Business (2020)
- TripSchool Washington, DC Mega Training (2020)
- TripSchool Video Introduction Class (2020)
- TripSchool Storytelling (2020)
- ITMI Certified Tour Director/Guide (2019)
- Washington National Cathedral Certified Guide
- Washington, DC Licensed (#TGL20844)
- Guild of Professional Tour Guides of Washington, DC, Guild Guide
- Mount Saint Mary's College, Bachelor of Science, Accounting & Business & Finance

## PREVIOUS WORK EXPERIENCE Not-For-Profit Management

American Forest Foundation (13 years)
Alexander Graham Bell Association (2 years)
Special Libraries

ARHP (3 years)