



# SHAUNA DANOS

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USA / EUROPEAN UNION CITIZEN

## TOUR DIRECTOR EXPERIENCE

- **Cycling Tour Leader**--curated unforgettable travel experiences for guests on award-winning luxury cycling trips emphasizing exquisite accommodation and the finest local cuisine and wine
- **Adventure Guide**--led multi-day backpacking trips, teaching participants critical skills such as gear selection, meal preparation, on / off trail navigation, water purification, and campsite selection
- **Experiential Educator**--developed and implemented guided reflection exercises uniquely connected to international outdoor education, cultural immersion, and service-learning curriculums
- **Guide Trainer**--overhauled the guide training program for Europe's largest festival tour operator
- **Logistics Coordinator**--managed multi-city coach transportation program escorting guests to festivals all over Europe

## PUBLIC SPEAKING AND CUSTOMER SERVICE EXPERIENCE

- **Performing Artist**--creator of immersive theater focused on powerful narrative storytelling and personalized interactions
- **Mountain Patrol**--promoted a safe skiing environment through hazard evaluation / mitigation and providing first responder medical aid to injured guests

## QUALIFICATIONS AND SKILLS

- **Medical training**--Wilderness First Responder, CPR / First Aid
- **Self-supported cycle tourer**--solo tours ranging from one week to two months in Central America, Europe, and USA
- **Long distance trekker**--multi-day solo and group treks including Alaska Range (Denali NP), John Muir Trail, Laugavegur Trail, Mount Kilimanjaro, Wonderland Trail (Mt Rainier), Zion NP Traverse
- **Living history reenactor and interpreter** since age 13, showcased in feature films, documentaries, and TV programs
- **Extensive food and wine knowledge**--prepare gourmet picnics, pair wines with meals, develop specialty cocktails for tour guests; former sommelier assistant at Wine and Spirits Magazine
- **Distinguished graduate** of US Army and Marine Corps elite leadership, survival skills, and flight training courses

## EDUCATION

- **Wake Forest University**, Bachelor of Arts, History and Politics

## DESTINATION EXPERIENCE

### Africa

*Tanzania*--Ngorongoro, Kilimanjaro, Serengeti NP, Tarangire NP, Zanzibar

### Americas

*Alaska*--Denali NP

*California*--Death Valley NP, Napa / Sonoma, San Francisco, Yosemite NP

*Pacific NW*--Idaho, San Juan Islands

*Southwest USA*--all Utah NPs, Big Bend NP, Moab, Santa Fe, Taos

### Asia and Oceania

*Australia*--Great Barrier Reef

*China*--Chengdu, Hong Kong, Jiuzhaigou, Kunming, Yangshuo

*Korea*--Chuncheon, Daecheon, Gyeongju, Jeju, Seoul, Suwon

### Europe

*Austria*--Innsbruck, Salzburg, Vienna

*Belgium*--Bruges

*Croatia*--Dalmatian Islands,

Dubrovnik, Split, Zadar, Zagreb

*Czech Republic*--Český Krumlov,

Kutná Hora, Olomouc, Prague

*France*--Avignon, Bordeaux, Côte

d'Azur, French Alps, Nice, Paris, Tours

*Germany*--Bavarian Alps, Berlin,

Dresden, Munich, Stuttgart

*Greece*--Cyclades Islands

*Hungary*--Budapest

*Iceland*--Golden Circle, Jökulsárlón,

Laugavegur, Snæfellsnes, Reykjavík

*Italy*--Cinque Terre, Florence, Lake

Como, Milan, Rome, Tuscany, Venice

*Netherlands*--Amsterdam

*Poland*--Krakow

*Portugal*--Lisbon, Porto

*Slovakia*--Bratislava

*Slovenia*--Lake Bled, Ljubljana

*Spain*--Barcelona, Bilbao, Madrid,

Salamanca, San Sebastián, València

*Switzerland*--Bern, Gimmelwald,

Lauterbrunnen, Luzern, Jungfrau