

Nathan R. Kile

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Education	Master of Education , <i>Georgia Southern University</i> Major: Counselor Education, Emphasis: Student Services in Higher Education Overall GPA: 4.0	Statesboro, Georgia May 2006
	Bachelor of Science , <i>University of Tennessee at Chattanooga</i> Major: Leisure Studies Overall GPA: 3.5	Chattanooga, Tennessee May 2000
Career Related Experience	Georgia Southern University, Campus Recreation and Intramurals <i>Outdoor Program Graduate Assistant</i>	Statesboro, Georgia August 2004-May 2006
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Managed the department's high and low ropes challenge course program• Managed the recreation center's indoor climbing wall• Co-managed the adventure trips program and outdoor equipment rental center• Hired, trained, scheduled and supervised the undergraduate student staff members• Ensured program safety by revising, improving, and enforcing risk management strategies• Maintained departmental budget and collaborated in its yearly development and future evolution• Developed and implemented successful new programs for the department• Marketed the department's services to both on and off-campus clientele• Led adventure trips in activities such as rock climbing, spelunking, kayaking, canoeing, and backpacking• Taught outdoor education/skill clinics for a variety of activities• Maintained program statistics and generated reports• Received the CRI lead team "Leader of the Pack" award (fall 2005)	
	Breckenridge Ski Resort <i>Professional Ski Patroller</i>	Breckenridge, Colorado winters 2002, 2003
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Provided outdoor emergency medical care and evacuation for over 300 patients in a high altitude winter setting under a variety of mountain weather conditions• Performed ski area risk management techniques including the implementation of avalanche control measures (including the use of high explosives)• Trained and practiced for emergency ski lift evacuation as well as for search and rescue situations• Deployed and maintained the ski area safety features and enforced ski area policies• Maintained legal documentation of incidents and assisted with accident investigation procedures	
	The Adventure Guild <i>Lead Associate</i>	Chattanooga, Tennessee August 1999-July 2004
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Lead program manager for a variety of challenge course and other outdoor adventure programs• Facilitated teambuilding and leadership development for a diverse range of clientele• Trained and supervised staff in safe challenge course operation for both the company and outside entities• Guided individuals and groups on outdoor adventure excursions in activities including rock climbing and rappelling, backpacking, mountain biking, canoeing and sea kayaking, and spelunking• Generated program reports, accounted for and maintained equipment and provided emergency medical care• Supervised the safe operation of the company's outdoor climbing wall	

Keystone Science School

Counselor Assistant Program Coordinator

Keystone, Colorado
summer 2002

- Supervised and guided a group of eight camp counselor assistants
- Planned and implemented a camp schedule for the participants that included community service projects, recreational opportunities, leadership and educational opportunities, and personal development activities
- Co-led environmental education classes and other outdoor activities and trips

YMCA Camp Greenville

Trailblazer Bicycle Tour Leader

Cedar Mt., North Carolina
summer 2000

- Planned, organized, and served as the primary trip leader for a three-week long bicycle tour around Lake Champlain in New York, Vermont, and Canada

Assistant Program Director for Adventure Camp

summer 1999

- Assisted in directing all adventure camp operations including staff training, planning and organizing session logistics, maintaining statistics, and supervising counselors and campers
- Primary facilitator for the camp's high and low ropes challenge course, as well as the indoor climbing wall
- Led outdoor adventure trips including mountain biking, hiking, and white water rafting excursions
- Managed the camp's travel logistics for all arriving and departing campers and staff

Camp Mondamin

Camp Counselor

Tuxedo, North Carolina
summer 1998

- Served as a cabin leader for six, eight to nine year old boys for ten weeks
- Instructed tennis and served as an assistant leader for a number of outdoor adventure trips including white water paddling, rock climbing, backpacking, and mountain biking

Chattanooga State Technical Community College

Student Assistant

Chattanooga, Tennessee
August 1997-May 1998

- Led student outdoor trips including hiking, whitewater canoeing, and snow skiing adventures
- Managed intramural sports leagues and events as well as other student recreation opportunities
- Received the "Campus Leadership" and "Campus Community Service" awards (spring 1998)

**Co-curricular
Involvement**

Student Development Committee Member for the Association of Outdoor Recreation and Education	2004-2006
Vice-President of the Chi Sigma Iota National Honor Society	2005-2006
Committee Head for the Campus Recreation and Intramurals Job Fair	spring 2005
Race Director for the Iron Eagle Challenge Adventure Race	fall 2005
Student Member of the National Intramural-Recreational Sports Association	2005-2006
Student Member of the Association of Outdoor Recreation and Education	2004-2006
Member of Georgia Southern University's First Year Experience Programming Committee	2004-2005
Member of Georgia Southern University's Camp Eagle Committee	2004-2005
Member of the Student Alliance for a Green Earth	2004-2006
Volunteer at the Hoofin' for Habitat 5K Run	2004, 2005

**Professional
Presentations**

- *Association of Outdoor Recreation and Education National Conference* (2005), Programming with a Purpose: Utilizing adventure based programming as a tool to encourage student development in college
- *INSPIRE Leadership Conference* (2005), The Lifeboat: An experiment in group decision making.

Certifications

SOLO Wilderness First Responder	renewal date 12/07
ARC CPR/First Aid/AED Instructor	
ARC Wilderness First Aid Instructor	
ARC Lifeguard	renewal date 01/08
ARC Adult, Child, Infant CPR/First Aid/AED	renewal date 12/06
ARC Small Craft Safety	