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BIOLOGIST

WITH SPECIALITY IN AQUATIC RESOURCES & ECOLOGY

ACQUIRED APTITUDES

- Analyzer and problem solver
- Able to work alone and in a team-setting
- Quick learner
- Reliable, patient and adaptable

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Spanish Teacher FREELANCE, QUEBEC, CANADA	2007 -
Ecology department manager & tour guide MAYA TANKAH ECO-RESORT, MÉXICO	2004 - 2006
<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Guide groups on waterways and ecological establishments- Describe points of interest, answer questions and supply information- Provide historical and cultural facts related to plant and animal biology- Conduct environmental monitoring and compliance activities for the protection of the reef and fish population- Perform a range of technical functions in support of agriculture, plant breeding, animal husbandry, biology, aquaculture research and environmental protection- Collect data and samples of water, soil, plant and animal populations	
English – Spanish Translator / Interpreter FREELANCE, MÉXICO	1989 -
Writer of scientific articles and creative web design EL SITIO, MÉXICO	1999
Biology and Physics teacher (substitute) UNIVERSIDAD TECNOLÓGICA AMERICANA, MÉXICO	1999
Editorial and researcher of aquaculture and fisheries subjects PANORAMA ACUÍCOLA MAGAZINE, MÉXICO	1997 - 1998
Floor manager at a veterinary vaccine fabric BIOTELL, MÉXICO	1993 - 1997

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EDUCATION

Biochemical Engineering and Management of Aquatic Resources 1993
INSTITUTO TECNOLÓGICO DE ESTUDIOS SUPERIORES DE MONTERREY, MÉXICO

COMPUTER KNOWLEDGE

- ❑ PC Windows XP and Vista Platforms, MS Office & Internet
- ❑ Déjà Vu, TRADOS, Wordfast, FrameMaker, Acrobat Reader & Editor
- ❑ CorelDraw, Photoshop, AutoCAD, Fireworks, Dreamweaver

VOLUNTEERING

- Researcher for the Mesoamerican barrier reef conservation project (Reef Environmental Education Foundation).
- Research assistant for the Vaquita *Phocoena sinus* protection project (ITESM University, México).
- Research assistant for the Dolphin-Sardine study project (ITESM University, México).
- Research assistant for the Speckled Scallop *Agropecten circularis* aquaculture project (ITESM University, México).
- Research assistant for culture, fattening & harvest of Pacific white shrimp *Penaeus vannamei* (ITESM University, México).
- Researcher for data recollection and identification of qualities & biodiversity in the northwest estuaries of México (ITESM University, México).
- Assistant for the II and III Symposium of Biochemical Engineering in Food Processing and Aquatic Resources (Guaymas, México).
- Volunteer translator for The Academy For Future Science (AFFS, U.S.A.)
- Volunteer translator for The United Nations Environment Programme

MEMBERSHIPS & COURSE DIPLOMAS

- Advanced Scuba Diver (National Association of Underwater Instructors)
- Member of the Association des Biologistes du Québec (ABQ)
- Member of the Reef Environmental Education Foundation (REEF)
- Reef fishes identification course (REEF, México)
- Web Pages Design I & II course (EduWare, México)
- General Program for Inspection Supervisors course (IMECAQUIF, México)

(References available upon request)