

Alexandra Flevarakis

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Education:

Fall 2013 -
Continuing Virginia Tech University: Class of 2017
3.08 Overall GPA
Major: Wildlife Conservation

Research Experience:

Fall 2014 -
Continuing Undergraduate Research Assistant at Virginia Tech
Agricultural & Applied Economics, with Dr. Michael Ellerbrock

- Research involves analyzing the economic impact of outdoor recreation activities such as paddling on job creation and generated income within Virginia.
- Performed administrative duties to aide and expedite research.

Spring 2015 -
Continuing Undergraduate Research Assistant at Virginia Tech
Natural Resources and Environment, with Jennifer Wagner

- Research involves measuring the effects of incubation temperature on the growth and development of a Zebra Finch population.
- Practiced in handling, capture, husbandry, preparing blood smears, and restraint

Work Experience:

May 2014 -
August 2014 Sales Representative
Verizon Wireless: Herndon, Virginia

- Sold phones and accessories in store to customers and assisted in providing technical knowledge about Verizon products.
- Given the responsibility of opening and closing the store and re-organizing the store's merchandise layout.

August 2010 -
July 2012 Hostess Manager and Server
Pieros Corner Restaurant: Herndon, Virginia

- In charge of training new hostesses on procedures and skills needed to adequately perform the job.

Related Experience:

August 2013 -
Continuing Livestock Experience at Virginia Tech
Copenhaver Sheep Farm, Swine Center, and Beef Center

- 50+ hours managing and basic care of livestock at three Virginia Tech run farms dealing with sheep, swine, and cattle

Volunteer Work:

Summer 2011 Pacuare, Costa Rica

- Traveled to Costa Rica with I to I volunteer group for two weeks, assisting in protection and research of leatherback sea turtles.

Publications:

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1. M. Ellerbrock, N. Ferraro, J. Ellerbrock, J. Kull, A. Flevarakis, "Assessing Economic Impacts of Ecotourism in the Roanoke River Basin: Metrics Program Development Services," RRBA, Virginia Tech, October 2014.