

David L. Rose Resume'



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US Citizen
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Born: February 18, 1949 in Takoma Park, MD
Physical Data: Height-6' Weight 195 lbs.
Health: Excellent [last complete physical, October, 2008]
Marital Status: Divorced, One grown child

Education

- Forest Lake Academy
500 Education Loop
Apopka, FL 32703
Received Diploma in 1968
- Cleveland State Community College
PO Box 3570
Cleveland, TN 37320
1976 General Associate Degree - Honor Graduate (3.51 GPA) - Magna Cum Laude'
with an emphasis in Business, Accounting and Photography
- Orange County Vocational School
Orlando, FL
1973 Diploma in Surgical Technology - Honor Graduate, President of Class
(this school no longer exists)
- Penn Foster
PO Box 1900
Scranton, PA 18501
2008 Diploma in Wildlife and Forestry Conservation and Management

Employment History

- **Job Title:** Interpretative Tour Guide
Duties Include: Interacting with visitors by providing historical and natural information pertaining to our resource while entertaining and guiding tour groups of up to 200 people daily of every continent, age and culture. I have received perfect 100% scores on all of my evaluations for this position.
Hours Per Week: About 20 hours per week
Employer: Ruby Falls, 1720 South Scenic Highway, Chattanooga, Tennessee 37409
Supervisor: Kara VanBrunt (You may contact directly. She is expecting your call. However to best and quickest way to reach her is through email. kara@rubyfalls.com) (See letter of recommendation with this application.)
Phone: 423.822.0553 Ext: 120
Years: August to Present 2008
Salary: Minimum wage

- Job Title:** Interpretative Docent

Duties Include: Interacting with individuals and groups of people of all nationalities, cultures and age groups who visit the Tennessee Aquarium. I rotate hourly through selected themes of the aquarium. One hour I may be presenting interpretative talks to people about stingrays and instructing them on how to safely hand feed them. The next hour I can be manning a booth about turtles. I converse with a wide variety of people. One moment I may be using a hand puppet to communicate with a 3-year-old child and the next moment I may be conversing with a marine biologist about the population growth of jellyfish in the oceans and what that means to the overall health of the earth.

Hours Per Week: 4 hours per week

Employer: Tennessee Aquarium, 1 Broad Street, Chattanooga, TN 37402

Supervisor: Julie Piper

Phone: 423.785.3057 (you may call her direct)

Years: September 2008 to present

Salary: Volunteer
- Job Title:** Museum Docent and Interpretative Guide, military history researcher, war era researcher, interpretative exhibit designer, museum visitor analysis, marketing, poor quality historical document and image restoration to museum quality, museum web site interpretative developer.

Duties Include: As an attendant of the museum, I greet visitors, provide orientation to museum visitors, conduct interpretative tours of the museum, answer questions, manage and operate multi-media equipment, maintain accurate record keeping, conduct commerce of sales items, restore damaged documents and images into museum quality display products, advise other volunteers about military history and military artifacts, design interpretative exhibits in the museum, research best deals from local vendors, research military and war era history, provide marketing recommendations, make presentations and expert recommendations to the board of directors, logo development, developing a website for the museum (a daunting task of 4,000 pages) and more.

Ours Per Week: 20 +-

Employer: National Medal of Honor Museum of Military History, PO Box 11467, Chattanooga, TN 37401

Supervisor: Executive Director Patty Parks

Phone: 423.698.4511 (the best and quickest way to reach her is with email pattyjoparks@yahoo.com)

Years: August 2008 to present

Salary: Volunteer
- Job Title:** Campground Host

Duties Include: greeting campers as they arrive to the campground, orienting campers to the payment system, assisting campers in locating available camp sites, orienting campers to the camp layout, facilities and activities, gave 10 minute bear talks to all campers, provided adverse conditioning to problem bears, filled out bear incident forms, cleaned and maintained bear food storage boxes, assisted bear technician and bear manager with problem bear issues, reported directly to bear manager regarding bear problems, calmed and educated children and families following close encounter bear incidents, making rounds, answering questions, making recommendation for park activities, informed law enforcement of illegal activities, assisted VUA rangers with rounds and collections, provided first aid, cleaned campground (When I arrived we had the dirtiest campground. When I left it was the cleanest.) Participated in daily radio reports of available sites, monitored and enforced camp rules.

Hours Per Week: 40 ++

Employer: Sequoia National Park, 37050 General's Highway, Three Rivers, California 93271

Supervisor #1: Ranger Kristen Gibbs, Sequoia National Park, 37050 General's

Highway, Three Rivers, California 93271 (see the letter of recommendation with this application)

Supervisor #2: Ranger Tracy Fayollat, Sequoia National Park, 37050 General's Highway, Three Rivers, California 93271 (see the letter of recommendation with this application)

Phone: 559.565.9651

Years: August to September 2008 (6 weeks)

Salary: Volunteer

- **Job Title:** Member Chattanooga Chamber of Commerce, President-Elect Market Center Council, Co-founding member Market Center Council, Producer of "Heart of the City Celebration", Webmaster, member Market Center Council Board of Directors, member Chattanooga Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors, seminar presenter, monthly membership meeting host and chair, member Market Center Council Advisory Board

Duties Include (but are not limited to): I presented internet business seminars for the Chamber four times a year for 6 years. Participants included adult business owners who required more information about how to utilize the Internet to help them grow their business. The seminar was presented in a formal setting with large screen multi-media presentation throughout the 4-hour seminar. My seminar was the longest running most successful seminar that the Chamber sponsored.

As webmaster, I developed an interpretative website from scratch that described the council and our goals and objectives, announces meeting schedules and offered a platform of member online interaction and discussion of relevant issues pertaining to the council.

Our Market Center Council represented the heart of downtown Chattanooga. It was our goal to work closely with the city to revive the culture and ambiance of the downtown area while preserving as much historical value as possible. We accomplished this by first successfully establishing a formal vehicle of authority by which to begin these tasks and operate. The Market Center Council worked closely with the Chamber, City Council and the City Planning Commission to replace old abandoned buildings with new downtown living facilities, new retail fronts and much more.

I produced a major downtown event called "Heart of the City Celebration". The event was developed to increase retail traffic downtown, increase the public and downtown retail shop owner awareness of the downtown activities and goals of our organization.

Hours per week: 5

Employer: Chattanooga Chamber of Commerce: 817 Broad Street, Chattanooga, TN 37402

Supervisor: Kathy Reed

Phone: 423. office@billshoresframes.com

Salary: Volunteer

- **Job Title:** Founder and President of the Catoosa County Chamber of Commerce Business Networking Organization, board member of the Catoosa County Small Business Development Council, member of the planning committee for the annual Catoosa County Business Expo, Webmaster for the Catoosa County Business Expo, host for the Catoosa County Business Expo.
Duties Include: As president of the business networking organization, I chaired weekly meetings of 20 to 30 businesspersons from the chamber membership. During the organizational stage of the meetings I established the format of the meetings and then week after week I hosted that format.
As a member of the Small Business Development Council, I brain stormed, planned developed new business in the community.
As a member of the Business Expo planning committee, I interviewed and selected keynote speakers, recruited sponsors, sold booths established programming.
As Webmaster, I developed an interactive website that sold booths online to businesses, provided public information regarding the expo location and

programming.

As a host of the business expo, I greeted visitors at the door, escorted them to their points of interest and provided repetitive information.

Hours per Week: 5

Employer: Catoosa County Chamber of Commerce

Supervisor: Martha Eaker, President

Phone: 706.965.5201

Salary: Volunteer

- **Job Title:** Founder, Co-owner and Vice President of the National Association of Business Networking. Education Director, Marketing Director
Duties Include: I hosted and chaired eight 90-minute breakfast or luncheon business meetings per week. I provided business training, customer service training and chaired a business networking referral program.
Hours per Week: 12+
Employer: National Association of Business Networking
Supervisor: Myself
Phone: 423.364.9999 (Myself)
Salary: \$50,000
- **Job Title:** Sole Owner, President
Duties Include: Consulting with business owners regarding their business. Acquire information from clients regarding their business or organization to develop a web site, Internet marketing, Internet seminars, customer service and much more.
Hours per Week: 80
Employer: 4allthingsweb.com
Supervisor: Myself
Phone: 423.364.9999 (Myself)
Salary: \$180,000
- **Job Title:** Director of Surgery, First Surgical Assistant
Duties Include: Department management of surgery, recovery and central service. Staff education, writing policy and procedures, preparing for and successfully completing national regulatory national examinations, budgeting, physician recruitment, first assisting in surgery, interviewing applicants, equipment research and selection.
Hours per Week: 40 plus 112 hours on call
Employer: Highland Hospital
Supervisor: Judy Silva, President
Phone: DNA (This hospital has been closed permanently)
Salary: \$60,000
- **Job Title:** President, Chairman of the Board and Chief Operations Officer
Duties Include: Conceived, designed and marketed a satellite communication network to a major church denomination. Researched and designed equipment, researched, produced and hosted interactive educational TV programs. Traveled North America promoting the project and spoke to leaders of the denomination and the individual church population.
Hours per Week: 60+
Employer: International Satellite Network
Supervisor: Myself
Phone: 423.364.9999 (Myself)
Salary: Volunteer
- **Job Title:** Owner
Duties Include: Customer service to a community of 10,000, natural health lectures, store manager, cashier, staff training
Hours per Week: 10

Employer: Nature Bank
Supervisor: Myself
Phone: 423.364.9999 (Myself)
Salary: \$50,000

- **Job Title:** Producer
Duties Include: Production of music festival in the front of my estate in Nashville, Tennessee. Stage design, talent auditions and selection, brochure design, promotions, sponsor recruitment, program director.
Hours per Week: 10
Employer: Rosewood Music Festival
Supervisor: Myself
Phone: 423.364.9999 (Myself)
Salary: Volunteer
- **Job Title:** Combat Medic
Duties Include: Intense Vietnam wartime setting. Medivac helicopter medic retrieving severely wounded US troops from the ground for transport to an evacuation medical facility. Emergency Room medic in evacuation hospital. First assistant to the surgeon in surgery.
Hours per Week: 87+
Employer: US Army
Supervisor: DNA
Phone: DNA
Salary: DNA
- **Job Title:** Stand-up Comedian
Duties Include: Preparation of material, performance of novelty songs and stand-up comedy to a diverse audience that includes but is not limited to, professional persons, college programs, conventions, banquets, dinners, campfires, personal concerts.
Hours per Week: 10
Employer: Myself
Supervisor: Myself
Phone: 423.364.9999 (Myself)
Salary: \$500 to \$2,500 per concert
- **Job Title:** Concert Classical Guitarist
Duties Include: Preparation of and rehearsal of classical guitar, performance of classical guitar, interaction with the audience, performance to church groups, banquets, weddings, receptions and private concerts.
Hours per Week: 10
Employer: Myself
Supervisor: Myself
Phone: 423.364.9999 (Myself)
Salary: varied
- **Job Title:** Page
Duties Include: Frontline customer service in lobby of a major hospital in Orlando, Florida, "Information Desk", patient information, visitor escort, patient transport, messenger, delivery, telephone customer service.
Hours per Week: 20
Employer: Florida Hospital
Supervisor: Dolores Ham
Phone:
Salary: minimum wage

Other Qualifications

- **Job-related Training Courses:**

- Indiana University
Eppley Institute for Parks and Public Lands, 2008
 - Introduction to the National Park Service – The History of the NPS
 - Introduction to the National Park Service – The Organization of the NPS
 - Introduction to the National Park Service – The NPS and the Federal Government
 - Foundations of Interpretation
 - Informal Visitor Contacts
 - Interpretive Talk
 - Interpretive Writing
 - Training and Coaching Interpreters
 - Working as a Park Board Member: The Basics
 - Working as a Park Board Member: Being Effective
 - Understanding Wellness: Applications for Parks and Recreation
 - Conducted Activities
 - Universal Design
 - Understanding American Wilderness
- Dodd and Associates Training, Chattanooga, Tennessee, 2008
Armed Security Guard Training – Tactical Shotgun
- National Association for Interpretation
Training for Certified Interpretation Guide, 2008
- Landmark Learning/Wilderness Medicine Institute
Wilderness First Responder Training leading to Certification, 2008
- Fuqua Armory
Concealed Handgun Permit training, 2008
- Tennessee Wildlife Agency
Boat Safety Certification Course, 2008
- Dr. Sandy McKenzie and Associates
Outstanding Receptionist and Ambassador for Your Organization, 2008
- Chattanooga Police Department
Citizens Police Academy, 2008

- **Job-related Skills**

- I owned a web development firm from 2000 to 2007. During that time I personally developed over 400 commercial websites. I am proficient with Dreamweaver and Photoshop, secure shopping cart development and installation, Search Engine Optimization, design and much more.
- I am a skilled wilderness navigator with topographical maps, compass and GPS.
- I type 50 WPM
- I am comfortable with and have a lot of time on farm equipment such as tractors with a variety of implements, chain saws, splitters, etc.

- I am a guitarist and vocalist/comedian and I have entertained many people of varied professions, cultures and age groups all my life from age 6.
 - I am a formally trained sub-surface radar operator. In the last 20 years I have been all over the country and parts of the world providing radar services for archaeological projects.
 - I am an avid hiker. I own a website called Hiking Chattanooga. The site describes and rates hiking trails within a 60-mile radius of Chattanooga. Go to: <http://hikingchattanooga.com>
 - I am a certified search and rescue/recover SCUBA diver. I have been diving all over the world.
 - I am a professional level photographer. You can view some of my work here: <http://istockphoto.com/4allthingsweb>
 - I have authored and published 5 books. Go here: <http://davidrose.biz>
- **Job –related certificates and licenses**
 - Certified Interpretive Guide by the National Association for Interpretation (2008)
 - Certified Wilderness First Responder Medic by Wilderness Medical Institute (2008)
 - Certified Professional Trainer by the American Association of Professional Trainers (2004)
 - Boat Safety Certification by the Tennessee Wildlife Agency (2008)
 - Tennessee State Registered Unarmed Security (2008)
 - Tennessee State Registered Armed Security (2009)
 - Certified Search and Rescue/Recovery SCUBA diver by PADI (1988)
 - Certified Webmaster and Designer by the International Association for Webmasters and Designers (2001)
 - Certified Lifeguard and White Water Rescue (1966) (expired)
 - Adult, Child and Infant CPR Certification (current through December 2010)
 - Certified Surgical Assistant by the National Surgical Assistant Association
 - Certified Surgical Technician by the Association of Surgical Technologists
 - "F" endorsement drivers license
- **Job-related honors, awards and special accomplishments**
 - **Honors and Awards**
 - Member of precision drill team called the "Lancers" in military school.
 - President of the Class and "Student of the Year" at Orange County Vocational School in Orlando, Florida
 - Honor Roll, Cleveland State Community College
 - Graduated Magna Cum Laude', Cleveland State Community College
 - "Southeastern Division Champion" of Sports Car Club of America
 - "Driver of the Year" with Tennessee Region Sports Car Club of America
 - Medical Staff Initiative Honors Award from the medical staff of Highland Hospital in Portland, Tennessee
 - "Web site of the Year" competing with 1836 other webmasters internationally.
 - Multiple "Peoples Choice" and other awards from car shows for show cars that I have built.
 - **Special Accomplishments**
 - The first in Tennessee to be certified in my area of surgical expertise as a Surgical Assistant

- Produced a major musical event called "Rosewood Music Festival" which took place on the front lawn of my estate. The event was broadcast live in part and taped for later national television broadcasts.
- Performed Concert Classical Guitar in colleges, universities and private concerts all over the USA and in 7 foreign countries
- Recorded Classical Guitar album
- Performed stand-up comedy in colleges, universities and private parties in the southern USA
- Recorded comedy album
- Conceived, founded, marketed and developed a world wide satellite network for a major church denomination with over 4000 active down-link sites in 40 countries
- Designed space and earth segments and hosted multiple North American and international live interactive talk shows and educational programs on satellite television
- Filed for and was awarded from the FCC, FAA and local codes, a construction permit to construct a major full power television station
- Elder in local church
- Member of an invitational "think tank" comprised of other creative, positive thinkers who solve problems, conceive products and markets, develop companies, etc.
- Coached a softball team to a final-four state championship competing with 1400 other teams
- Built my own 4000 sq. ft. log home by acquiring, disassembling and moving materials from 27 barns and other structures for construction materials
- Created a word puzzle book entitled "MindManglers" which is being published by the largest word puzzle publisher in the world and appears in a national magazine in 46 states with 500,000 weekly readers
- Authored three other books which have been published by Amazon.com and other online book sellers
- Directed a floundering surgery department from shambles to what the surgical staff referred to as "the best in the area" within six months utilizing existing staff.
- Regional Director with Excel Communications, a long distance telephone company.
- Conceived, developed, designed and produced a popular model car web site called Model Car Gallery International. There are over two thousand model car images of over 800 cars, in 44 categories and it is written in seven languages.
- Founded a model car museum in Chattanooga, Tennessee in association with the International Towing Museum.
- Conceived, proposed and chaired a committee that produced the largest and most educational model car show in the southeast. "The Scenic City Classic"
- Founded and developed a business networking company to help individuals grow their business called the National Association of Business Networking
- Conduct internet seminars four times a year for the Chattanooga Chamber of Commerce
- Produce an annual event in downtown Chattanooga called "Heart of the City Celebration" for the Market Center Council of the Chamber of Commerce
- Contributing technical editor of the technology section of the Pulse newspaper
- Reiki Master Teacher/Counselor

Major Workshops, Seminars and Classes

- Personnel Management - Nashville, TN - 1992
- Computer Technology - Gallatin, TN - 1993
- Effective Time Management - Nashville, TN - 1993
- Multi-Task Management - Nashville, TN - 1994
- Success '95 - Nashville, TN - 1995
- Advanced Internet Page Construction - Nashville, TN - 1996
- Business Etiquette from "Your Manners" - Chattanooga, TN - 2002
- Professional Executive Coaching from Dr. Sandy McKenzie - Chattanooga, TN - 2003

Related Books Read

- "Handbook of Chemical Immobilization" by Terry Kreeger
- "Zoo Animal and Wildlife Immobilization and Anesthesia" by Gary West
- "Radio Tracking and Animal Populations" by John Marzluff
- "Analysis of Wildlife Radio-Tracking Data" by Gary C. White
- "Interpreting For Park Visitors" by William J. Lewis
- "Environmental Interpretation" by Sam H. Ham
- "The Science and Art of Tracking" by Tom Brown, Jr.
- "Living with Bears" by Linda Masterson
- "Backcountry Bear Basics" by Dave Smith
- "Black Bears - A Natural History" by Dave Taylor
- "Black Bear - North America's Bear" by Stephen R. Swinburne
- "Mineral King" by Louise A. Jackson
- "The Weather Identification Handbook" by Storm Dunlop
- "Park Ranger" by Nancy Eileen Muleady-Mecham
- "Sequoia & Kings Canyon Great Walks" by Robert Gillmore
- "Mount Whitney" by Paul Richins, Jr.
- "National Park Service Camping Guide" by William C. Herow
- "One Man's Wilderness" by Sam Keith
- "Encyclopedia of Outdoor & Wilderness Skills" by Chris Townsend & Annie Aggens
- "SAS Survival Handbook" by John Wiseman
- "Lip Smackin' Vegetarian Backpackin'" by Christine and Tim Conners
- "Backpacking Basics" by Thomas Winnett
- "Caves of Chattanooga"

Books in Progress

- "Sharing Nature with Children" by Joseph Cornell
- "Interpreting Our Heritage" by Freeman Tilden
- "Interpretation for the 21st Century" by Larry Beck and Ted Cable
- "Interpretation of Cultural and Natural Resources" by Douglas Knudson
- "Managing 12 Volt's" by Harold Barre

Volunteering

- US Department of the Interior - National Park Service - Sequoia National Park - Campground Host
- Tennessee Aquarium - Docent
- National Metal of Honor Museum - Docent, Exhibit Designer and History Researcher
- Tennessee River Rescue - TV Spokesman
- Friends of Mountain Creek - Greenway Development
- Chattanooga Chamber of Commerce - Board of Directors - Event Producer
- Catoosa Chamber of Commerce - Founder and President of Business Networking Groups - Expo Producer

Memberships (Past and Present)

- American Bear Association
- National Association for Interpretation
- Tennessee River Gorge Trust
- River Rescue
- Friends of Moccasin Bend Park
- Tennessee Aquarium
- Friends of Mountain Creek
- National Board for Certification of Orthopedic Technologists
- National Surgical Assistant Association
- Association of Surgical Technologists
- Association of Central Services and Distribution
- American Training Seminar Association
- The HTML Writers Guild
- International Webmasters Association
- International Professional Publishers Association
- The World Wide Web Chamber of Commerce
- Chattanooga Chamber of Commerce / Board of Directors
- Chattanooga Photographic Society
- Association of Visual Arts
- National Institute of Standards and Technology
- Sports Car Club of America (Member Board of Directors/Tennessee Chapter)
- National Street Rod Association
- Chattanooga Internet Consortium
- Business Networking International
- National Association of Business Networking – Owner – Vice President
- Uptown Network – Founder – President
- 1 Source Technology Group – Founder - President
- Golconda Associates – Assistant Director
- Market Center Council – Founding Member - President Elect
- Catoosa County Chamber of Commerce Business Networking – Founder - President

Personality and Character

- Self Starter
- Finisher
- Tenacious
- Can work reliably unmanaged and unsupervised
- Introverted but can be extroverted on call when necessary
- Intuitive and creative
- Honest and truthful
- Good sense of humor
- Reliable and punctual
- Calm and easy going but firm and decisive
- Loyal and true
- Christian
- Thinker, not a reactor, but can blend logic with intuition when necessary