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Personal Statement

Dynamic Australian bike tour guide with a passion for creating memorable experiences, eager to return home to for the 2025–2026 summer season. With experience leading cultural cycling tours with Berlin on Bike in Germany and wine-focused tours in Bordeaux, I bring theatre-trained storytelling and engaging presentation skills to captivate international guests. Having lived and worked in Japan for 18 months and traveled across Southeast Asia, the Australian outback, and beyond, I offer cultural fluency and adaptability, complemented by expertise in group management and bike maintenance. I'm committed to enriching Australia's tourism industry with vibrant narratives and personalized guest connections, ready to travel nationwide for bike tour and adventure companies.

Professional Experience

Freelance Tour Guide

Berlin on Bike, Berlin, Germany

2025–Present

- Lead 3–4-hour historical bike tours for tourists and school groups (5–15 participants), covering Berlin highlights, Berlin Wall alternative culture.
- Deliver captivating narratives using theatre-trained public speaking and storytelling, tailored to diverse international audiences.
- Ensure group safety, route navigation, and timekeeping, maintaining high guest satisfaction in dynamic urban settings.

Freelance Bike Tour Guide

Monsieur Bacchus Bike Tours, Bordeaux, France

2023 & 2024 (high session)

- Guided small-group bike tours (8–12 participants) through Bordeaux's historic sites, sharing regional history and culture in English.
- Engaged diverse audiences (e.g., American, British, Australian tourists) with compelling stories, enhanced by theatre training in audience interaction.
- Collaborated with operators to ensure seamless logistics and exceptional guest experiences.

Second Chef

Molly Mellon's Irish Pub, Bordeaux, France

2024 (7 months)

- Advanced from kitchen hand to second chef, preparing over 140 plates per shift in a high-pressure environment.
- Developed teamwork and adaptability, skills transferable to managing tour groups effectively.

Farmhand

Jackaroo School Leconfield, NSW, Australia

2019 (6 months)

- Supported tourism farm operations, horse trails ride guide assistant, including fence maintenance, cattle feeding, horse care, and guest assistance honing customer service skills for tourism roles.

Farmhand & Store Manager

Stealing Cattle Station, NT, Australia

2019 (8 months)

- Managed on-farm convenience store and performed farm duties, building organizational and guest interaction skills relevant to tour guiding.

Receptionist

Trace Hostel, Tokyo, Japan

2018 (9 months)

- Handled check-ins/outs for up to 60 guests daily, communicating in English and conversational Japanese, enhancing cross-cultural engagement for tourism work.

Receptionist

Small Hostel, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

2018 (3 months)

- Managed front desk during varied shifts, providing personalized guest experiences, strengthening adaptability for tour guiding.

Waiter

Kactus Resort, Cambodia

2018 (5 months)

- Served holiday guests in English and basic Japanese, developing communication skills for diverse audiences, applicable to bike tours.

Education & Training

Diploma of Theatre and Screen (Acting)

Sydney Theatre School, Sydney, Australia

2020

- Developed advanced public speaking, storytelling, and performance skills, enhancing ability to deliver engaging tour narratives.

Atelier Mask Movement Theatre

Italy

2024 (3 months)

- Completed intensive course in physical theatre and mask work, refining expressive communication for captivating tour audiences.

Skills

- **Languages:** Fluent English, conversational Japanese.
- **Tour Guiding:** Historical storytelling, group management, route navigation, basic bike maintenance.
- **Communication:** Theatre-trained public speaking, audience engagement, improvisation.
- **Interpersonal:** Cross-cultural communication, adaptability, teamwork, developed across four continents.
- **Other:** Basic first aid, hospitality, customer service.

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