


# KYLE BRADSHAW (HE/HIM)

## EDUCATOR & COMMUNITY BUILDER

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## SUMMARY

My empathetic leadership, strong organizational and interpersonal skills make me a valuable asset to any organization. My Geography and Community Development education prepared me for a lifetime of place-based learning in any environment. Over the last seven years as an Environmental Educator, Outdoor Adventure Guide, Director of Youth and Family Ministry, and Small Social Business Owner, I've developed programs, worked with students of all ages, taught groups large and small, and built partnerships with people different than myself - all with a focus on creating authentic community.

## SKILLS

- Project Management
- Event Planning
- Collaboration & Connection
- ArcGIS Online, Canva, Google Suite
- Volunteer Management
- Public Speaking
- Working with Students
- Commitment to Justice & Inclusion

## WORK EXPERIENCE

### Civic Roasters Coffee

Co-Owner • 2021 - 2024 • Tacoma, WA

- Roasted high-quality third-wave coffee and sold at markets, grocery stores, cafes, and through our online store.
- Contributed to a 500% increase in company revenue over 3 years.
- Facilitated community and partnership with other Tacoma small businesses.

### Trinity Presbyterian Church

Director of Youth and Family Ministry • 2018 - 2024 • Tacoma, WA

- Led all aspects of the Trinity Youth Group of 60+ students. Provided bi-weekly programming for Middle and High School Students and their families.
- Trained, equipped, and managed a team of 15+ volunteers. Preached once a quarter to a group of 100-150 people.
- Designed and implemented events for our students including quarterly community events and yearly summer service-learning trips to Kansas City, MO and the Yakama Nation.

### Metro Parks Tacoma

Outdoor Adventure Guide • 2018-2020 • Tacoma, WA

- Led kayaking, rock climbing, hiking, geocaching, and canoeing trips all across the Puget Sound Region for 100+ students in Middle and High School on Summer Outdoor Adventure Trips.
- Created community, and led team-building activities and kayaking with the Thrive Program for 100+ students at Hilltop Heritage Middle School.

### Nooksack Salmon Enhancement Association

Education Coordinator • 2017-2018 • Bellingham, WA

- Served 1700+ hours at a community-based non-profit as a Washington Service Corp AmeriCorps member.
- Led the Students for Salmon (SFS) Program teaching 1000+, Fourth graders in Whatcom County about salmon, restoration, and stewardship.
- Trained, scheduled, and managed a team of 16 volunteer interns that helped run the SFS program.

## EDUCATION

### BA Geography

Calvin College • 2013-2017

- Minor in Community Development
- Classes in Geography, History, GIS, Sociology
- Worked as a Resident Assistant
- Study Away in Hawaii

## VOLUNTEER WORK

### Trinity Afterschool Program Literacy Tutor

2018-Present

### Hilltop Action Coalition

2023-2024

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