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Sailing Qualifications by Year

- 2016** RYA *Royal Yacht Academy* Yachtmaster Offshore- Sailing School Brittany, France
STCW 95 Basic Safety Training- California Maritime Academy
RYA VHF Radio SRC Course- Sailing School Brittany, France
RYA Diesel Engine Training- Sailing School Brittany, France
- 2014** PFI *Performance Freediving International* Intermediate Freediver, PFI San Diego
- 2013** ASA *American Sailing Association* Safety at Sea- San Francisco Yacht Club
NOLS *National Outdoor Leadership School* Wilderness First Responder- California
- 2012** ASA Basic Keelboat and Cruising- San Francisco Sailing School
SSI *Scuba Schools International* Open Water Diver- Bamboo Reef, San Francisco

University Education

2008-2011 BFA Bachelor of Fine Arts in Sustainable Textiles
California College of the Arts, San Francisco

Sailing Experience

20,000 Nautical Miles in 8 years on about 30 sailboats.

2010

Sailing double handed in the San Francisco Bay on 36 to 40' Beneteaus and Hunters chartered through Club Nautique, once a week for the next two years. Two-week double handed charter of a Beneteau Oceanis 41 around Antigua

2011

Two-week double handed charter of a Beneteau 38, sailing the Windward Netherlands Antilles

2012

Sailed Black Swan, Saga 409, racer cruiser yacht in the San Francisco Bay, double handed in San Francisco Bay about three days a week for the two years

2013

Joined an all-women's racing team in San Francisco, aboard Ouessant, a 1957 classic wooden 38' Farallone Clipper, Captain Jennifer Hinkel, foredeck position, Resilience Racing

2014

Spring

Purchased Itajime J130, 1996 racer cruiser in San Francisco with a partner, outfit her for ocean passages. Sailed down the California coast.

Summer

Sailing Southern California's Channel Islands.

Fall

Sailing the Baja Peninsula.

2015

Winter

Sailing the Sea of Cortez.

Spring

Sailing the Pacific coast of Mexico.

April

Sailing from Punta Mita, Mexico across the Pacific Ocean to the Marquesas Islands of French Polynesia on SV Naoma, Ericson 38, as deckhand, responsible for night watch.

May

Sailing from Nuku Hiva, Marquesas to Tahiti on SV True Dreamer Island Packet 38, as deckhand.

July to August

Sailing from Tahiti to the Tuamotu Archipelago, for two months aboard SV Sarava, a Jeanneau Lagoon 55 Catamaran, as deckhand.

September to November

Volunteering for the non-profit Project Va'a Motu on Fakarava atoll, French Polynesia, to construct and then captain a 30' traditional outrigger sailing canoe using modern materials.

2016

February

Sailing for two weeks with Sailing School Brittany, navigation training and Yachtmaster testing, in the Gulf of Morbihan and Bay of Quiberon

March to July

Captain for Project Va'a Motu, Fakarava atoll, French Polynesia

August to December

Purchased and refit a 1991 Edelcat 35 Open, on Raiatea island, French Polynesia, named her Pizza then sailed her to Tahiti and the Tuamotu archipelago.

2017

January to June

Sailing and living aboard Pizza in the Marquesas archipelago, French Polynesia, working as a multimedia journalist for Project Slow Marquesas.

July and August

Purchased and refit a Balboa 20 sailboat. I named her Beurre Salé and sailed her around Maine's offshore islands, sustainably harvesting wild seaweed from my paddleboard, and drying it on the foredeck, for eating and sharing with friends. Writing my book.

November

Return to the Marquesas to refit, paint, splash, then sail Pizza.

Excellent References Available upon Request