

## Summit Adventure Seasonal Staff Positions

### Instructors

Summit Adventure Instructors conduct exciting, spiritually inspiring, and physically demanding wilderness courses for a variety of populations including but not limited to families, youth, adults, the disabled, and church groups. Courses range from 1-21 days in length. Positions are seasonal from late-May through August or September. However there may be opportunities to instruct non-summer courses in the Sierra Nevada and Ecuador.

#### Instructor Requirements:

- Christian faith
- 19 year of age or older
- Wilderness First Responder
- Adult CPR
- Successful completion of Summit Adventure's Wilderness Instructors Course
- A 2-season commitment
- Excellent physical condition

The **Assistant Instructor** has responsibility for teaching technical skills as well as leading group discussions and will assist the Senior in all areas. This is where all instructors begin. It is an opportunity to learn more about the Summit process and to develop one's teaching and technical skills and processing abilities under the mentoring and encouragement of the senior and course directors. This position requires strong wilderness leadership and interpersonal skills. Compensation includes room, board, and starts at \$55/day.

The **Senior Instructor** has significant experience with Summit, or a comparable program, and is very familiar with the Summit process. The Senior is ultimately responsible for decision making in the field. He/She will facilitate the trip in all areas and provide opportunity to allow the Assistant to gain experience. Position includes room, board, and starts at \$65/day.

### Basecamp Staff

The following positions require only a 1-summer commitment:

The **Basecamp Coordinator** is responsible for Basecamp operations, such as maintaining a safe and pleasing Basecamp, the enforcement of policies concerning Basecamp, and Basecamp Life. The BC supervises the other Basecamp staff. This position requires administrative gifts and previous administrative experience. Compensation includes room, board, and \$650-\$700/month, depending upon experience.

The **Basecamp Cook** prepares meals for the summer staff and course participants before and after courses. Meals are typically for 10-60 people. The Cook monitors the kitchen budget, supervises cleanup, and orders and purchases groceries. Compensation includes room, board, and \$650-700/month, depending upon experience. The **Basecamp Cook Assistant** will assist the Cook in meal preparation, cleanup, and purchasing groceries. Compensation includes room, board, and \$400/month.

The **Basecamp Assistant** works alongside the BC to maintain Basecamp for summer operations. Tasks include assisting the Cook in preparing meals, office administrative tasks, cleaning and upkeep of Basecamp and grounds, and assistance with projects. Compensation includes room, board, and \$400/month.

The **Logistics Staff** is the backbone of our program. This team provides logistical support for the courses. They are responsible for all of the various preparations (gear, equipment, food, etc) necessary for the smooth operations of our wilderness courses. Those interested in this position should have a desire to learn and grow, a willingness to work hard and an aptitude for fun. Compensation includes room, board, and \$650/month for **Logistics Coordinator** and \$400/month for **Logistics Assistants**.