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# **Kari Delany**

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## **Work Experience:**

**Contract: Community Access and Project Coordinator:** April 2009-Present  
Denver, CO

- Coordinate community outings and events for a young woman with cerebral palsy
- Facilitate activities focused upon improving quality of life, including modification of living space, basic care, organization and tracking of personal finances
- Assist with the development, organization, and implementation of short and long term personal and professional goals and projects
- Assist on outings for a young man with muscular dystrophy

**Summer and Afterschool Instructor:** June 2009- Present

**Rocky Mountain Theater for Kids, Denver, CO**

- Create and implement lesson plans for children ages 3-13, conveying objectives and lessons appropriate to each age group
- Evaluate abilities and needs of each class, modifying activities accordingly
- Maintain safe, effective, and flexible environment, encouraging children to learn through exploration
- Monitor and track progress of the class, maintaining consistent communication with company and parents

**Assistant Site Director:** June 2008- August 2008

**Nacel American Village, Rodez, France**

- Organized activities, both physical and creative, for French-speaking children ages 8-13, with goal of teaching English through active learning
- Directed team of language counselors, delegating tasks and evaluating progress
- Responsible for continuous monitoring of safety and discipline of campers, encouraging a lively and safe immersion environment

## **Volunteer Experience:**

**Volunteer duties include:** Event preparation and participation, transcription, meal prep, painting, filing

**Denver:**

- Colorado Children's Museum
- Urban Peak
- The Other Side Art Gallery
- Horace Man Middle School

**San Francisco:**

- At the Crossroads: Street Youth Support

## **Education:**

**University of Denver, Denver, Colorado, 2002-2006**

**B.A. Critical and Cultural Studies**

**Study Abroad:**

**Institute for American Universities, Aix-en-Provence, France, 2005**

**University of Granada—Centro de Lenguas Modernas, Granada, Spain, 2003**