# Lauren Mitchell

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#### **Education**

Bachelors of the Arts in Spanish – California State University of Long Beach Long Beach, California June 2011

### **Licenses and Certifications**

USCCG 200 ton Near Coastal Master – The Maritime Institute

GMDSS – Pacific Maritime Institute

STCW 95 Basic Safety Training – The Maritime Institute

STCW Maritime Security Awareness – Marsec Training

STCW Advanced Fire Fighting – Fremont Maritime Institute

STCW Crowd Control Management – Calhoon MEBA Engineering School

Padi Rescue Diver

Serve Safe Certification and Alaska TAP certified.

## **Fishing Experience**

Dungeness Crab – F/V Neto Fall 2017

Longline Halibut – F/V Hoyden Spring 2018

Longline Black Cod/ Trolling – F/V Norfjord Spring 2020

Tendering – F/V Northwind Spring 2016- Fall 2020

### **Professional Work Experience**

SITKA FLEET MANAGER SITKA SALMON SHARES Sitka Alaska December 2020 - Present

Responsibilities include: new member recruitment, all coordination with fleet members, other fishermen and tender vessels to procure product and ensure efficient dockside operations, strategic planning and implementing new operational procedures to help adapt with the company's growth.

STAFF MEMBER ALASKA LONGLINE FISHERMEN'S ASSOCIATION Sitka Alaska September 2020 —December 2020 Responsibilities include: Assisting in coordinating and planning of the Fall Fishermen's Expo and Fall Fundraiser Events. Outreach with local fishermen on issues related to the longline fishery. Coordinating with local fishermen to distribute donated fish to local communities in need. Preparing orders for Alaskans Own CSF purchases. General assistance with both ALFA and ASFT projects.

### CAPTAIN AND DECKHAND F/V NORTHWIND Sitka Alaska March 2016- September 2020

Alternate Skipper and Deckhand on an 86 ft Tender operating in Southeast Alaska for Sitka Sound Seafoods and Icicle Seafoods. Seasonal tender for Tanner crab, Sitka Sac Roe Herring, Summer Salmon, Chatham Black cod and Sea Cucumber fisheries. Responsibilities include: Driving and docking the vessel, coordinating with fishermen, operating cranes, operating the refrigeration system, unloading vessels on the grounds, basic engineering and maintenance.

DECKHAND AND GUIDE M/V SIKUMI Juneau Alaska May 2015-July 2016

Deckhand on a 67 ft. Custom cruising yacht taking guests for 7-day charters around Southeast Alaska. 8-12 guests and a 4-person crew. Responsibilities include: Coordinating and guiding all guest activities such as hiking,

kayaking, fishing, whale watching; All exterior cleaning, line handling, assisting in engine room, wheel watches, painting.

2ND CAPTAIN M/V AZTEC San Diego, CA September 2015- On-Call

Second Captain and Deckhand on a 65 ft charter sport fishing vessel. 1-3 day trips with 12-28 guests. Responsibilities include: Night watch, Setting up fishing gear, gaffing fish, fileting fish, all exterior cleaning and guests service. I worked for this vessel on a part time basis over the last few years after salmon season.

LEAD HOSTESS & DECKHAND M/Y NAUTILUS EXPLORER Cabo San Lucas, México Jan 2007- Mar 2015

One to three month contracts as Lead Hostess or Deckhand aboard 116 ft. luxury scuba diving charter yacht; 5-16 day live-aboard trips in the Pacific Ocean and Sea of Cortez, Channel Islands and Vancouver Island; Stewardess responsibilities included: daily stateroom cleaning, all meal service and clean up, baking, assist in food preparation, bartending, maintain inventories, submitting purchase requests, new stewardess training and development of standards of training and shipboard procedures. Deckhand responsibilities include: cleaning and exterior maintenance, painting, skiff driving, assisting guests with gear, carrying tanks, standing as second watchman, assisting engineer and dive masters.

FLIGHT ATTENDANT SKYWEST AIRLINES

Seattle, WA March 2013 – July 2014

Flight attendant for largest regional airline in the Continental USA: safety, security and service.

DECKHAND M/Y CONCEPTION

Santa Barbara, CA June 2012 – September 2012

Full time deckhand on a 79ft charter yacht in the Channel Islands of California; 1-5 day trips with up to 40 guests; activities offered included scuba diving, spear fishing, kayaking, photography, group charters, whale watching; Responsibilities include: cleaning and exterior maintenance, assisting guests with gear, conducting dive operations including tank filling.

DELIVERY CREW M/Y ICEBERG

El Gouna, Egypt August – November 2010

Delivery crew of 74ft private yacht from Roses, Spain to El Gouna, Egypt. The delivery was completed by the captain and me in a 48 day period. Duties included: keeping interior tidy, exterior wash downs, polishing, lite maintenance, cooking, lines, anchoring, watch keeping and navigation, chart plotting, directly assisting Captain in all affairs.

STEWARDESS/DECKHAND/ COOK M/Y CARPE DIEM

Seattle to Juneau May 2010-July 2010

Stewardess and Cook for 120 ft private yacht with 2 full time owners onboard with various guests and 3 crew. Responsibilities included: vessel provisioning for the full season and in various ports on the coast, all meal preparation for guests and crew, all interior service and cleaning, assisting in deck duties including fishing. The vessel cruised Seattle to Juneau for the summer months.

#### REFERENCES

Marsh Skeele	Vice President Sitka Salmon Shares	Marsh@SitkaSalmonShares.com (907)738-9509	
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