



Staff Spotlight

Top Ten Things You Likely Did Not Know About

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1. Her main bucket list item is to visit all of the (New) Seven Wonders of the World, she has seen two so far, Machu Pichu and the Colosseum.
2. She once broke her arm while hiking through a canyon in Charente, France, but still climbed the nearby mountain with a makeshift sling to see a cave where some of the earliest human remains had been found.
3. Her favorite animal is a raccoon, and she actually has two paintings done by a raccoon named Newt.
4. She and her partner like to collect records.
5. She loves to crochet in her free time.
6. She used to work at a 5-star hotel in Edinburgh, Scotland.
7. She has a 5-year-old Australian Shepherd named Samoa (because she has the same colors as the Girl Scout cookie) and a 1-year-old rescue cat named Busch's Baked Beans, Beans for short.
8. She started playing soccer at three years old, and when she stopped playing in high school, she started refereeing it instead.
9. Her favorite place she has ever travelled to is Peru, despite contracting a very rare parasitic infection while she was there.
10. She was raised bilingually, so her mother tongue is both English and German.