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**Kern County Library Appoints New Branch Supervisor in Frazier Park**

Megan Eileen Logsdon, a 2004 University of California Berkeley (CAL) graduate with a Bachelor of Arts degree with a major in Integrative Biology, has been appointed "Library Associate" in charge of the Frazier Park Branch. Her role as Branch Supervisor is multi-faceted including management of the branch, handling program design and implementation for all ages, reference questions selection of new materials, teaching information literacy classes and one on one use of the library, assisting the public with reader's advisory, online catalog use, community relations, interlibrary loans, and connecting people with information via the Internet, print materials and many other sources, to name a few.

Diane Duquette, Director of Libraries for Kern County remarked, "Megan was selected from a large pool of nearly 50 applicants. We are thrilled to have her join the Kern County Library to provide excellent customer service to our mountain community residents and tourists. The combination of her education and experience with program planning and implementation with all ages including her most recent position as an Interpretive Guide with the Humboldt Redwoods State Park, and previous positions as a Naturalist with the LA County Outdoor Science School, a closing Manager with Lassen's Natural Foods, a substitute Teacher with the Kern County Superintendent of Schools, and as a Naturalist with the Windwolves Preserve, together with her supervisory experience, public relations, enthusiasm for working with people of all ages, and with a passion for the outdoors including eco-tourism themes, made her the natural choice for this post."

Here's what Megan says about her new position, "I am excited to get to know the mountain communities and to help people discover the wealth of resources available at their local library." During her first few months learning her new responsibilities, she is already cooking up a storm of new programs starting with a long awaited weekly preschool story time on Saturdays at 2 p.m. beginning March 6, 2010.

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