



The Boreal Wilderness Institute is dedicated to giving you the best quality wilderness instruction and guiding available. Our goal is to provide the highest level of instruction in modern wilderness survival, wilderness navigation, GPS training, and safe wilderness travel skills. Ask us about our **Custom Corporate & Group Training**. Our schedule can be made to fit into your needs!

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Bruce has over 18 years' experience working full time as a Professional Wilderness Survival Instructor. He guided his first backpacking group in the mountains in 1981. Since then he has developed his skills in leading groups and team building at the University of Alberta, Augustana University College, PADI College, the Nordic Ski Institute, and through his military experience. Bruce is a lifelong outdoor enthusiast, completing a 90 day 3600km Canoe Expedition as the highlight of his Outdoor Education training at the UofA.



Bruce has studied with Mors Kochanski and developed his teaching skills through years of instruction and practice. This along with his vast experience has allowed him to pass on his great wealth of knowledge of modern wilderness survival, wilderness navigation, and wilderness travel. He the author of the Canadian Wilderness Survival Manual (a course handbook on modern wilderness survival) and is also our Custom Training Specialist. His expertise at teaching both modern wilderness survival and wilderness navigation ensures that your training a BWI will be the best available.

"I know that given the training and the time to practice in a positive environment, everyone can master outdoor skills and enjoy safe wilderness travel."

—Bruce Zawalsky

BWI Mission Statement

The Boreal Wilderness Institute is a World Class outdoor education institute that is dedicated to providing you the best quality wilderness instruction available. Our goal is to carry on our tradition of providing the highest level of instruction in modern wilderness survival, aviation survival, wilderness navigation, GPS training, and wilderness travel skills.

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