



# Restoring Youth Rites of Passage

## Leadership Fundamentals Intensive

### PREPARE TO STEP POWERFULLY INTO THE SERVICE OF YOUTH

During this **four-day intensive course** we will cover the fundamental topics, skills and capacities you need to step more powerfully into service with youth — as volunteers, staff, guides and mentors. **Presentations, discussions, experiential activities and ceremonies** combine to offer you essential skills and information, and support your personal growth and professional development. When supporting youth through rites of passage, who we are with them is as important as what we do! Gain skills in:

- Youth and the Journey of Identity and Belonging
- Mirroring: The Art of Listening and Reflecting
- Conversations amidst Conflict
- The Magic of Mythology and Art of Storytelling
- Practice of Council
- Ceremony and Ritual: Holding Space for the Sacred
- And much more...

### YOUR GUIDES



**Gretchen (Grae) Gerlach** found her way to rites of passage work and the School of Lost Borders in 2016, where she has trained extensively for five years and now works as a guide.



**Phoebe Reid** holds a degree in Environmental Studies and is a core instructor in the adult program at Wilderness Awareness School. She loves archery, bird language & friction fire.

**April 20 - 21 &  
April 27 - 28, 2024**

*Weekends cannot be taken separately*

**Online Zoom Format**

*Two to three Zoom sessions per day*

**\$300 - \$650, Sliding Scale**

*Financial Aid always available*



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