
SCOTT ANDREWS

ACCT'S INTERIM POLICY DIRECTOR



The ACCT Staff family is growing just a bit more! ACCT would like to formally introduce you to Scott Andrews, our new Interim Policy Director. Like the others on the ACCT staff team, Scott has come to us from within the industry and brings a wealth of industry knowledge to this new position where he will be coordinating the association's government relations initiatives as well as serving as the Secretary to the Consensus Group. To assist you in getting to know Scott we did a Q&A to help you learn more about him and his goals in his new role.

What did you do before joining the ACCT Staff?

I was the owner of Northwest Teambuilding in Seattle WA. Northwest Teambuilding is a full-service PVM also operating a challenge course and a zip tour.

Where were you when you decided you wanted to make a career out of this industry?

Wait, What? It's a career? I thought this was a vacation.

What do you like most about the industry?

Really good people who work hard, compete hard, and at the end of the day treat each other well and with respect. The fact we do this while making the world a better place is a great bonus.

What would you like to accomplish at ACCT?

I really want to support the publication of our great standards and distribution of them to regulators and course owners around the world. I would also like to support more operators and owners being part of the standards development process. I would like to do all I can to make ACCT THE voice of the Challenge Industry.

Now for some fun questions about you personally, What is your favorite Ice Cream?

Today it is Mint Chocolate Chip. Not sure what it will be next week.

What do you do to relax?

Cook for friends and family and sail my boat with my wife and best friend Laurie. Sometimes I do them at the same time.

What is your morning wake up beverage?
COFFEEEEEEEEEE!!!!!!!

What else would you like people to know about you?

Once upon a time, I climbed a lot of rock. Maybe I should do that again. I am really excited to help move our industry forward in this complex world. I look forward to talking with and getting to know members in all parts of the world.