



Make a Gift



A GLOBAL ECOSYSTEM

THOUGHTS FROM PRESIDENT & CEO, DALE PENNY

When I left Up with People in 1995, I worked with a national youth conversation service organization (SCA) for 17 years. Our mission was to develop young environmental leaders through stewardship of the land. College interns and high school volunteers worked to preserve and restore public lands in backcountry and urban settings.

What I came to understand was we weren't simply conserving the land . . . we were really working to sustain the ecosystem of the places where we worked. *An ecosystem is simply a community of mutually dependent parts - animals, plants, bacteria, soil, and water - which interact to sustain life. Each part of that system is dependent upon other parts to exist. Without them, it would ultimately die.*

[Read more about Up with People's global ecosystem.](#)



MEET CAST MEMBER STEPHON MATTHEWS

The 24-year old Denver native was working and volunteering as a dance and fitness instructor when he interviewed for the program.

[Read Stephon's story.](#)



DEDICATED SCHOLARSHIPS

Many casts have created scholarships in honor or in memory of a cast mate or dedicated friend of Up with People. It's a great way to ensure that that person's legacy will live on in future students. For a full list of current dedicated scholarships, [click here](#).

If you're interested in creating a scholarship, contact Jennifer Thompson, Senior Vice President for Advancement, at jthompson@upwithpeople.org.



EARLY BIRD PRICE EXTENDED

Join Up with People in Stockholm and Copenhagen for eXperience Scandinavia November 12-18, 2018. The early bird price of \$2,195 per person has been extended to Friday, October 12.

[Register TODAY for eXperience Scandinavia.](#)



JOIN UP WITH PEOPLE FOR IMPACT NEPAL

Travel with a purpose! Join Up with People and SAATH, a Nepalese nonprofit founded by one of our alumni, for an unforgettable week of hands-on volunteer work.

[Register to make a difference.](#)



FOLLOW CAST B 2018'S TOUR

Cast B 2018 is finishing its United States tour in Houston, TX before heading to Mexico. Find out if the cast is heading to a city near you, and follow the cast's tour and experiences:

[TOUR SCHEDULE](#)

[UP WITH PEOPLE'S FACEBOOK PAGE](#)

[UP WITH PEOPLE'S INSTAGRAM FEED](#)



GET INVOLVED WITH UP WITH PEOPLE JR.

Up with People Jr. is a nonprofit musical arts performance summer day camp for youth ages 8 to 12. Camps are already being planned for next summer. We hope you join us!

[Click here for Summer 2019 camp locations.](#)

REGISTER FOR CAMP WITH PEOPLE



Our international campers will gain life skills for the future, a sense of social responsibility, and confidence. Located in the heart of the beautiful Shenandoah Valley in Harrisonburg, Virginia, Camp Up with People is already preparing for its Summer 2019 camps:

Cast A | June 30—July 20

Cast B | July 21—August 10

[Click here to learn more and to register.](#)



EXPERIENCE
SCANDINAVIA
November 12-18, 2018



IMPACT
NEPAL
January 4-12, 2019



2019 GALA
DENVER
March 2, 2019

