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## NIC Instructor Makes the News

North Island College's David Pinel made the national media this week with a prominent story in the *Globe and Mail's* Travel section.

The story, *Sea Kayaking on Vancouver Island's wild Wet Coast* (*Globe and Mail*, Saturday, Aug. 14), by Bruce Kirkby tells the story of the author's adventures on the outer coast with his pregnant wife, mother-in-law, and three-year old son. More than just a typical travel piece, Kirkby tells the tale of an adventurous family and their vacation on the outer edge of Vancouver Island. The accompanying pictures are not to be missed.

Pinel teaches and co-ordinates Coastal Adventure Tourism programs at North Island College, where students learn the latest marine-based guiding and tourism skills.

NIC offers a five-month Coastal Adventure Tourism Certificate and a two-year Adventure Tourism Management Diploma. Students are taught by instructors, with a love of the outdoors and west coast expertise.

Read the story <http://bit.ly/aP4j2N> here.

For more information on the Coastal Adventure Tourism Certificate or the Adventure Tourism Management Diploma visit our Tourism programs online [http://www.nic.bc.ca/programs/tourism\\_and\\_hospitality/](http://www.nic.bc.ca/programs/tourism_and_hospitality/)



One of Bruce Kirkby's amazing pictures of his vacation with NIC instructor David Pinel.  
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