LYNDON B. JOHNSON NATIONAL HISTORICAL PARK (TX)

Growing up in the rural foothills of California, Cheyenne Dolin’s experiences were beautiful yet limited. She studied literature at UC Santa Cruz – focusing on the evolving relationship between man and nature and finding inspiration in the works of Thoreau, Abbey, Solnit, and T.T. Williams. Following college, her plans changed and she had no idea what to do next. So, she decided to solo hike the Oregon section of the PCT to think it over. She came out knowing she wanted to work in the field of conservation, but wasn’t sure in exactly what field or where to begin. Exploring different career paths, and embarking on more solo adventures, Cheyenne tried to figure it all out. After realizing she wasn’t satisfied just being outside, feeling a bit selfish as a recreational guide, and wanting more responsibility than a park guide, one thing remained clear - she was still in love with the outdoors and passionate about promoting and protecting public lands. She remains interested in how nature influences people and how people work to conserve nature, so now she’s eager to work with volunteers, nonprofits, and partners to engage others with their public land. This year, at Lyndon B. Johnson National Historic Park, she’s eager to utilize her energy to promote historic preservation and stewardship in the beautiful Texas Hill Country.