Daniel Hale

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» Education

University of Connecticut, *Department of Natural Resources and the Environment*, Storrs, CT M.S. in Natural Resources, Expected August 2018

University of Vermont, Rubenstein School of Environment and Natural Resources, Burlington, VT B.S. in Environmental Science, Ecological Design Concentration, May 2011

» Work Experience

Appalachian Trail Conservancy, South Egremont, MA

Resource Management and Boundary Technician, May – November 2015

Coordinated with volunteers, project partners, and landowners. Mapped trail lands.

Monitored rare plants. Eradicated invasive plants. Established citizen science phenology.

Washington State Department of Ecology, Olympia, WA

Forest Practices Monitor, May – November 2013-2014

Conducted surveys of water quality, stream morphology, macroinvertebrates, canopy cover, and vegetation. Mapped study plots using GIS. Managed and analyzed data.

The American Chestnut Foundation, South Burlington, VT

New England Regional Science Assistant, May – October 2011-2012

Coordinated volunteers. Implemented tree breeding programs. Facilitated outreach and education. Created and managed online database. Published monthly outreach articles.

University of Vermont, Burlington, VT

Forest Ecology Research Technician, May – October 2011-2012

Researched forest health in field and laboratory settings. Surveyed plant species composition. Sampled increment cores. Tested cold tolerance. Analyzed foliar tissues.

Student Conservation Association, Burlington, VT

Land Steward, May – August 2010

Inventoried natural resources. Surveyed invasive species. Mapped GPS waypoints using GIS. Prepared and presented reports to governments, non-profits, and stakeholders.

USDA Forest Service, Durango, CO

Wilderness Monitor, May – August 2009

Located, mapped, and recorded conditions in wilderness campsites using GIS technology. Backpacked in remote areas for nine day stints.

» Skills and Interests

Computer Skills: Python, R, ArcGIS, Trimble GPS, Microsoft Office Suite.

Certifications: Leave No Trace Trainer, Permaculture Design, AIARE Avalanche Level 1. **Professional Ski Patrol:** Canyons, Park City, UT and Sugarbush, Warren, VT, 2011-2015

Eagle Scout: Boy Scouts of America, Southwick, MA, 2002-2007