# Andrew K. McMillan

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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

# Senior Environmental Specialist, Aug. '09 - Present

# Vermont Electric Power Company (VELCO), Rutland, VT

- Lead sustainability program initiatives within the organization
- Plan, manage and budget all facets of comprehensive natural and cultural resource assessments, permitting, and reporting to support Section 248 compliant project filings from initial scoping to post-construction monitoring
- Coordinate and conduct environmental compliance inspections, contaminated site remediation projects, trainings, and regulatory reporting to ensure compliance with state and federal rules, regulations, and permits
- Geographic Information Systems (GIS) spatial analysis, data management, and mapping
- Public Water System operations, including water quality sampling, treatment system maintenance, and protection and sampling plan development and inplementation

## Assistant Environmental Manager, Oct. '07 - Jan. '09

## Noble Environmental Power, Churubusco, NY

- Coordinated site suitability assessments, environmental studies and surveys, and developed windpark layouts
- Ensured regulatory compliance with federal and state environmental permits during construction and restoration of multiple windparks, substations, and wetland mitigation sites
- Executed natural resource assessments and mapping using GPS and GIS applications

## Fish & Wildlife Technician, May '07 - Oct. '07

# NYS Dept. of Environmental Conservation, Warrensburg, NY

- Performed Article 15 and Article 24 permit compliance inspections throughout update state NY
- Developed and enforced remediation plans for projects not meeting Department standards
- Assisted in jurisdictional wetland delineations and various wildlife management assignments

## Research Assistant, May '05 - Jan. '07

## SUNY Plattsburgh & Boquet River Association, Essex County, NY

- Collected hydrologic and plant survey data from 40 wetland sites throughout the Boquet River Watershed
- Field data QA/QC and Project Director assistance as assigned (site survey coordination, equipment maint., etc.)

#### Permitting, Compliance, & Engineering Intern, Sept. '05 - Aug. '06

## Casella Waste Systems, Schuyler Falls, NY

- Analyzed and reported on groundwater monitoring data to show landfill liner efficacy and water quality trends
- Assisted with water quality sampling, air emission monitoring, and equipment calibration
- Studied solid waste landfill liner engineering, construction sequence, and integrity testing

#### **EDUCATION**

#### Castleton University, Castleton, VT, May 2020

Master of Business Administration

## The Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA, Dec. 2014

• Post baccalaureate Certificate in GIS

#### State University of New York College at Plattsburgh, Plattsburgh, NY, May 2007

- BA in Environmental Science, Study Option in Environmental Planning & Management, summa cum laude
- Applied GIS Minor

#### **CERTIFICATIONS**

- Certified Professional in Erosion Prevention and Sediment Control (CPESC)
- Certified Vermont Class 3 Public Water System Operator
- OSHA 40-Hour Hazardous Waste Operations and Emergency Response (HAZWOPER)
- CPR and Wilderness First Aid
- Delineating Jurisdictional Freshwater Wetland Boundaries