

# Wisconsin Chapter of the Society for Conservation Biology

## Conservation Info Panel

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# Panel introductions, Q&A (20 minutes)

- ❑ Name
- ❑ Current position & past experience
- ❑ Education
- ❑ Inspiration to join conservation career field
- ❑ Best piece of advice for students



# Break-out sessions (20 minutes)

1. **Graduate school & Research** (Laura, Lindsey)
2. **Science communications** (Maria)
3. **Careers in the non-profit sector** (Hannah, Lindsey)
4. **DNR employment & LTE positions** (Sarah)



DNR & LTE  
EMPLOYMENT



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GRAD SCHOOL/  
RESEARCH



CAREERS IN  
SCIENCE  
COMMUNICATION

# Favorite resources

## → Job boards

- ◆ Conservation Job Board: <https://www.conservationjobboard.com/>
- ◆ The Nature Conservancy: <https://nature.org/careers>
- ◆ Wisconsin DNR LTE employment: <https://dnr.wi.gov/x87201/employment/lte/q207ltes.asp>
- ◆ Wisconsin DNR internships: <https://dnr.wisconsin.gov/Employment/internships> (*Student Diversity Internship Program deadline 3/19!*)
- ◆ Idealist: <https://www.idealists.org>
- ◆ Texas A&M (especially for fieldwork jobs in ecology): <https://wfscjobs.tamu.edu/job-board/>
- ◆ Society for Conservation Biology: <https://careers.conbio.org/>
- ◆ Student Conservation Association (internships): <https://www.thesca.org/>
- ◆ Land trust jobs: <https://www.landtrustalliance.org/list/land-trust-job-board>

# Favorite resources

→ Networking, informational interview resources, etc.

- ◆ <https://acsss.wisc.edu/informational-interviewing/>
- ◆ <https://news.continuingstudies.wisc.edu/tips-for-a-successful-informational-interview/>
- ◆ [https://cdn.ymaws.com/www.chicagowilderness.org/resource/resmgr/2020\\_congress/networking\\_101\\_slides.pdf](https://cdn.ymaws.com/www.chicagowilderness.org/resource/resmgr/2020_congress/networking_101_slides.pdf)
- ◆ <https://www.chicagowilderness.org/page/CareerCenter>
- ◆ Instagram pages: @womeninoutdoorwork
- ◆ Hashtags: #SciComm, #OutdoorJobs, #OutdoorIndustry

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