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“We’re all in this together . . . we need environmental leaders from every background.” —PROFESSOR STEVE TROMBULAK, DIRECTOR

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PRACTICAL EXPERIENCE MANAGING PROJECTS, WITH GUIDANCE ON HOW TO CREATE AND FUND THEM • A LIFELONG NETWORK OF FELLOW CHANGE AGENTS • THREE RIGOROUS, INTERDISCIPLINARY CLASSES WITH CREDIT FROM MIDDLEBURY COLLEGE

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In the field

In the lab

In discussion

In the community

SIX INTENSIVE WEEKS IN VERMONT • OUTSTANDING FACULTY • UNMATCHED RESEARCH FACILITIES • LEADERSHIP TRAINING TO ADVANCE YOUR IDEAS • MENTORS AND GUESTS FROM THE FOREFRONT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PRACTICE • FINANCIAL AID AVAILABLE

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Why Middlebury?

BEFORE THE FIRST EARTH DAY, MIDDLEBURY WAS TEACHING ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES. We innovated a liberal arts approach that explores the connections between the natural world and the human enterprise. The Middlebury School of the Environment grows out of that half century of innovation.

LEADERSHIP ABILITY IS KEY TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRESS, NO MATTER YOUR FIELD OF INTEREST:

Can you persuade others that your ideas have merit?
Can you empathize and work with others’ concerns?
Can you lead people and manage projects to further your ideas?

Over six weeks, you’ll fully engage in developing these skills and combining them with new scientific abilities and hands-on project experience.

YOU’LL JOIN A SMALL GROUP OF COMMITTED UNDERGRADUATES who will live and study at Middlebury’s scenic Vermont campus. We’ll use the College’s science labs, Geographic Information System, and the R/V Folger, Middlebury’s new research vessel on Lake Champlain. We’ll work with Middlebury’s active community partners on real-world issues, using the Champlain Valley’s farms, forests, waterways, towns, and cities as our place-based laboratory. We’ll also study global issues and avenues for change.

YOU’LL MAKE CONNECTIONS TO HELP ADVANCE YOUR CAREER GOALS. Middlebury’s prominence in environmental studies has produced a global network of alumni, parents, and friends who lead environmental organizations, progressive businesses, government organizations, and educational and policy institutions. At the School of the Environment, you’ll work with some of these leaders, all of whom will become part of your network as you move forward in your education and career.

REQUIREMENTS: Previous college-level coursework in some aspect of the study of the relationship between humans and the environment, as well as at least one college-level course in a natural science (for example, environmental science, biology, chemistry, geology, or any other science) that included a lab or field component.

DATES: June 20 to August 1, 2014

CREDITS: Three Middlebury College credits (or the equivalent of nine semester-hour credits)

FEES: The $8,095 comprehensive fee includes tuition plus six weeks’ room and board. Financial aid is available.

JOIN US ON THE WAY FORWARD. Please visit www.middlebury.edu/environment to find out more and to apply. Because solutions to environmental challenges will require engagement with and from all segments of society, we actively encourage students from all socioeconomic and ethnic groups to apply.

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