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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**Synapse Energy Economics**, Research Associate, 2007-present

Attend NEPOOL Participant, Markets and Reliability committee meetings. Represent the interests of consumer advocate, environmental, and renewable resource clients at numerous NEPOOL and ISO-NE stakeholder meetings. Investigate electricity market price trends and fluctuations. Analyze economic and environmental implications of renewable portfolio standards and clean energy policy scenarios.

**Weyman I. Lundquist, Heller Ehrman, Dickey Center for International Understanding at Dartmouth College**, Office Administrator, Feb-May 2007

Administrative Assistant to attorney and Senior Fellow at Dartmouth's Institute of Arctic Studies. Administered information regarding real estate transactions, financial investments, tax information, charitable & political contributions, medical reports & insurance, personal finances and business expenses. Organized articles, memorabilia, and transcribed recollections for Soviet Lawyers and the Rule of Law proposed book project for publication by the American Bar Association.

**National Public Radio's Living on Earth**, Editorial Intern, June-Aug 2006

Researched and Reported Emerging Science Note weekly. Assisted Producers with research and fact-checking, book reviews, and archiving.

**Vermont Public Interest Group**, Research Intern, June-Aug 2005

Researched and produced educational information on the impact of global warming in Vermont. Engaged in community outreach and education for alternative energy.

## EDUCATION

**Vermont Law School**, M.S. in Environmental Law, Energy concentration August, 2007

**Harvard Summer School**, Completed coursework in Managerial Finance, August 2006

**Dartmouth College**, B.A. in Environmental Studies, June 2006

## LEADERSHIP AND SERVICE

**Dartmouth College Fund**, Team Captain, May 2006

Generated highest participation rate among Senior Class donor teams for Class Gift Committee.

**Sea Education Association**, Woods Hole, MA, Student/Researcher/Crew Member, March-June 2004. Studied physical and biological oceanography, Nautical Science, and Maritime studies.

Researched the Deep Chlorophyll Maximum aboard student-run brigandine schooner. Presented

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final paper and project to fellow students and staff. Sailed from Key West, FL to Lunenburg, Nova Scotia.

**Women in Leadership, Co-Chair, Dartmouth College Rockefeller Center**, Sept-March 2003-2004. Organized speakers and questions for weekly discussion groups of 10-40 students with the goal of empowering women to pursue leadership roles in a variety of careers.

**Tucker Foundation Cross Cultural Exchange Service Program**, Team member, Dec. 2003. Traveled with students and doctors from Dartmouth to Siuna, Nicaragua to serve the community through nutrition counseling and education, community gardening, and constructing latrines.

**Broadreach: Insights Ecuador**, Team Member, June-July 2001. Trekked Andean Mountain terrain, attended Spanish immersion language and cultural study. Applied language skill while building homes with Habitat for Humanity in an impoverished urban community.

#### **CONFERENCES ATTENDED**

**Investors' Circle** May 2007

**CERES Advancing Sustainable Prosperity** April 2007

**Tuck Business Sustainability Initiative** March 2007

**Simmons School of Management Leadership Conference** April 2004

#### **SKILLS**

Microsoft Word, Excel, Power Point – PC and Mac adept

Spanish: Intermediate

Communication: Daily Dartmouth and Green Magazine, Contributing writer