



Natural Resources Conservation
Academy
University of Connecticut

Lead Environmental Action as an NRCA Difference Maker Mentor!

Build leadership skills while engaging in culturally-sustaining environmental education and authentic community action!



SPRING TRAINING

Selected DMMs take a 1-credit independent study that builds skills in culturally sustaining environmental education, critical community science, & authentic community engagement.

SUMMER LEADERSHIP

During the summer field experience, DMMs apply their skills by supporting logistics & instruction, leading a group of teens, & facilitating 1-2 activities alongside NRCA faculty.

YEAR-LONG MENTORSHIP

From July to April, DMMs mentor 4-5 teens with community partners as they design and implement meaningful environmental action projects aligned with mentee interests & community needs.

SPRING SHOWCASE

DMMs help mentees prepare to present their environmental projects at the CT Science Center showcase, offering valuable professional learning & networking for both teens & mentors.

THIS COULD BE YOU!

APPLY TODAY!

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