

Fall 2015 Rock SMAC Application

(Due Saturday September 12th at noon, email it to rmfrisch@uvm.edu)

SMAC stands for Site Management and Anchor Construction. SMAC is a leadership development course run by the Outing Club. Applicants should be interested in furthering their personal climbing knowledge with a focus on bringing others into the outdoors. Also, applicants should want to lead rock-climbing trips for the OC throughout their UVM career. The cost of the class is \$175, scholarships are available.

Weekend Classes

September: 19-20

October: 3-4, 17-18, 24-25

Weekly Class

Tuesday nights 5:30-7:00 (time could change depending on people's schedules)

Name _____ Major _____ Class _____

Local Address _____

Phone _____ E-mail _____

Wilderness Medical Certification? _____ Expiration Date _____

CPR? _____ Expiration Date _____ Van Certified? _____

Other Certifications? (with exp date)

First Things First: Are you absolutely available for all of the class and field dates?

1. Describe previous climbing experience. (Be detailed, include stuff such as: personal climbs, courses, what type of climbing...)
2. Describe other relevant wilderness and non-wilderness leadership experiences.
3. Are you currently involved in the outing club? How so?
4. What are you hoping to get out of SMAC? What are your goals as an aspiring trip leader? (***) Important(***)
5. What are your personal climbing goals?
6. Why do you climb?
7. Do you own any of your own climbing/camping equipment? (essentials: shoes, helmet, harness, belay device, prussic, sleeping bag/pad, and other camping gear) Please indicate what you would need to rent, owning your own gear isn't a requirement.
8. What actor/actress would play you in a movie about your life? Why?

9. Use three words to describe your favorite body of water?

Please answer on a separate sheet.