



## **Executive Director's Report**

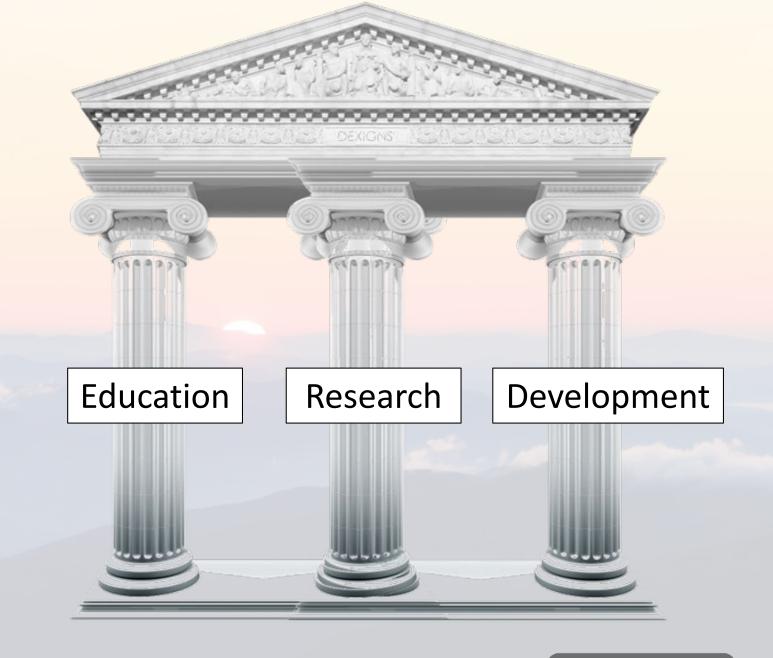
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# One Year Ago...

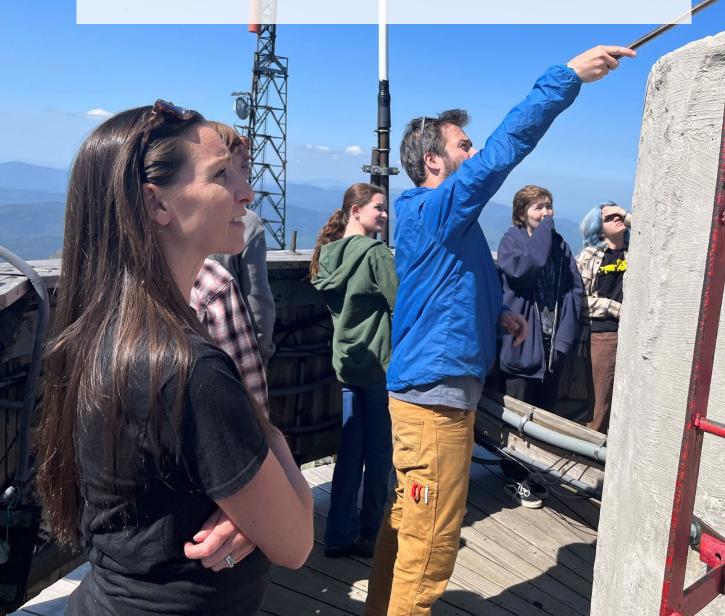
# Three Pillars for the Next 90 Years

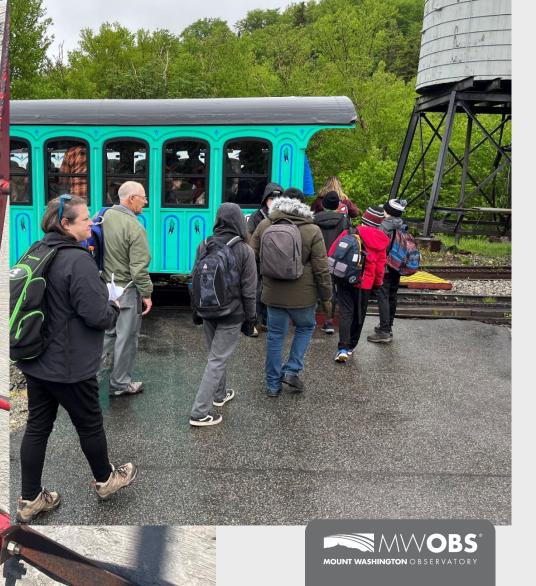




#### **Education and Outreach**

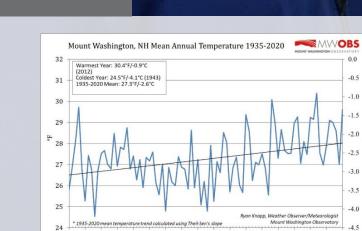






#### **Research and Technology**





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**Researcher services** 

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Well-supported internship program, with diversity component

Undergraduate Research Adventures

#### Development







# Where We Are Today...

### **Accessibility to Mount Washington**

#### SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH AND TECHNOLOGY

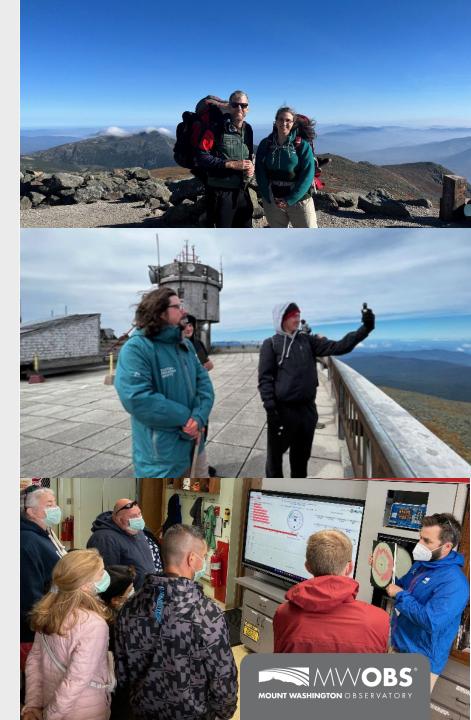
- Expanded Workforce Training and Diversity Internship Programs
- Joint internships with United States Forest Service, NOAA, Appalachian Mountain Club, Hubbard Brook Ecosystem Study
- Undergraduate Adventures in Meteorology
- Visiting Scholars Program

#### **EDUCATION AND OUTREACH**

- New school day, afterschool, virtual, and field trip programs
- Public weather station tours
- Summer teacher professional development and youth day camp
- A return to full winter trips schedule
- Assessment and improvement of Extreme Mount Washington Museum and other interpretative exhibits
- Better stewardship of our collections

#### **RECREATION AND SAFETY**

- Better public access to our forecasts and data
- New streamable weather products and content for media partners
- Personalized, tailored forecasts



### Educational Field Trips for Schools, Camps, and Adults



### **Research** for All Ages















#### Engaging New Communities with Safety





Tourism-based partnerships

Work with safety community

WARNING

New media partnerships

WEATHER

FOX

Reaching metropolitan regions

### Risk Management

#### **KEEPING OUR STAFF AND VISITORS SAFE**

- Updated our organizational safety plan
- Reviewing incidents bi-annually, as required
- Providing medical training for summit staff
- Developing a crisis communications plan
- Improving the maintenance of our summit facility with an eye toward future renovations



# **& SAFETY PLANNING**



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