

Education Wesleyan University, CT

- Bachelor of Arts, U.S. History

- Minor, Physical Anthropology

## Certifications

ISA Board Certified Master Arborist (WE-10187B)

Tree Risk Assessment Qualification

CA Qualified Applicators License

#### **Societies and Memberships**

American Society of Consulting Arborists

International Society of Arboriculture

Western Chapter International Society of Arboriculture

#### Previous Work Experience The Urban Arborist

San Francisco, CA. Oversaw sales and operations for a San Francisco-based tree care company with a 12-member team and a \$2M budget.

#### F. A. Bartlett Tree Expert Company

San Francisco, CA. Worked with tree crews and as a registered Integrated Pest Management technician to develop and maintain public and private spaces as safe, healthy, and aesthetically pleasing attributes of a vibrant urban metropolis.



# Scott Wheeler

# **Consulting Arborist**

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#### Summary

Scott Wheeler is a Board Certified Master Arborist who has been climbing and caring for trees throughout the San Francisco Bay Area since 2001. Scott has worked extensively with residential homeowners, commercial enterprises, and city and state agencies to develop and implement tree installation, removal, and maintenance plans for private and public spaces.

He obtained his Qualified Applicator License through the CA Department of Pesticide Regulation in 2009 and became a Certified Arborist in 2010.

Scott managed a private tree care company in San Francisco from 2013 through 2024, and was accepted into the American Society of Consulting Arborists in 2019.

He has been working as a consulting arborist since 2018 and was recognized as a Board Certified Master Arborist in 2020.

Scott has appeared on several local news programs discussing tree issues in the SF Bay Area. In 2018, he featured on an NPR-affiliated radio show, "*Work with Marty Nemko*" to discuss what life is like as a professional arborist in San Francisco.

#### Selected Project Experience

#### Presidio Trust, San Francisco

March 2024—present

Large-scale inventory project which involves the identification, tagging, measuring, and assessment of approximately 10,000 trees in San Francisco's historic Presidio District. Imminent risks are located and reported to park managers for mitigation.

#### CalTrans, SM Hwy 82, Millbrae - San Bruno

May 2023—present

Responsible for coordinating the inventory, removal, and pruning of over 300 trees along nearly four miles of State Highway 82 (El Camino Real) in San Mateo County. This project involves the cataloguing, risk assessment, identification, and management recommendations for several hundred historically-registered trees as part of a highway improvement plan.

## Stanford University, Palo Alto, CA

April 2024 Provided recommendations for tree preservation prior to development of an off-campus medical facility.