



## Scott Stringer

### Consulting Arborist & Urban Forester

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#### Education

University of Illinois, Springfield.  
Master of Arts—Environmental Studies  
Concentration: Sustainable Development and Policy

Humboldt State University, Arcata, CA  
Bachelor of Science—Natural Resources Planning

Antelope Valley College, Lancaster, CA  
Associate of Science—Natural Sciences

#### Certifications

ISA Certified Arborist (WE-5544A)

Tree Risk Assessment Qualification

Tree Care Industry Association — Certified Tree Care Safety Professional

Municipal Forestry Institute—2009

#### Societies and Memberships

American Society of Consulting Arborists

International Society of Arboriculture

Illinois Arborist Association

#### Summary

Scott Stringer comes to HortScience | Bartlett Consulting (H|BC) with a over 20 years of municipal, commercial and residential arboriculture experience. He worked to develop Municipal Forestry operations in Missoula, Montana and Anchorage, Alaska. Scott worked as an Arborist Representative and Local Manager for Bartlett Tree Experts in the Chicagoland for over ten years before joining the Hort/Science | Bartlett Consulting team.

#### Selected Project Experience

Performed a case study analysis for three cities in each state WI, IN and MI to evaluate how public-private partnerships enhance urban forestry programs. The USFS and other Dept. of Agriculture agencies are able to pass grant money through state DNR programs to improve and enhance programs.

Created a Vegetation Management Plan for Redwood National Park as part of his senior practicum at Humboldt State. Developed site specific recommendations for managing invasive plants and opportunities for development to improve and link Jedediah Smith Redwoods State Park with Redwood NP.

Led the Youth Employment in Parks, forestry component, for the Anchorage Park Foundation teaching youth between 15-18 the fundamental of urban forestry, fire fuel management and spruce bark beetle mitigation.

#### Previous Work Experience

##### Bartlett Tree Experts—Bolingbrook, IL

Scott worked as an Arborist Representative and Local Manager for his office overseeing 25 staff and over \$5M in revenue. They took care of all aspects of commercial and residential tree and shrub care including: tree inventories, management planning, insect and disease management, structural support systems, soil and nutritional management, and pruning and tree removals.

##### Municipality of Anchorage—Anchorage, AK

Worked to create the first municipal forestry program for the Anchorage Parks and Recreation Department. He was responsible for the health and safety of trees throughout the entire municipality and 10,000 acres of parklands and forests. Much of his work was funded grants from USFS and State of Alaska DNR. He was also the municipal coordinator with the AK Cooperative Weed Management Area group, a multi-agency invasive plant resource group.

##### City of Missoula—Missoula, MT

Scott was the Urban Forester managing all trees in parks, city building and public rights of way. He worked with city council to develop sustainable budgets to enhance and preserve the urban forest and reduce conflicts in natural areas and forest lands.