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Jason is Co-Founder and Director of Education and Programming at Bald Mountain Meadow, an organization delivering interdisciplinary, place-based learning opportunities for students and teachers. He is also a tenured member of the English Department at Phillips Exeter Academy where he directs the Environmental Literature Institute. Jason has worked with GCI for the last four years as a Harkness® faculty member and facilitator of place-based and team building programs, and he is thrilled to deepen Bald Mountain's partnership with GCI's 2025 Summit.

Jason's work as a teacher weds the values of traditional and experiential classrooms, and he has written and presented internationally on the intersections of Harkness® pedagogy and experiential education. He teaches a wide range of classes, from traditional reading and writing courses to field-based environmental humanities and design thinking courses. He is a former Instructor at the National Outdoor Leadership School (NOLS) and has created and facilitated dozens of interdisciplinary learning expeditions to places like Iceland, Alaska, Tanzania, Utah, and Vermont. He is a master at building programs that guide students to connect deeply with a place, to become aware of the innate human and environmental complexities endemic there, and to help students consider how they fit within the breadth of that landscape. At his core, though, Jason is a Harkness® teacher who demonstrates a profound commitment to student-centered learning, a teacher who learns alongside his students and who emphasizes what he calls the *pedagogy of joy*, the relevant, hands-on, joyful education he believes students most need and crave right now.

Jason holds a BA in English and Religion from St. Olaf College and an MA in English from Middlebury College. He has served on the Board of Trustees at the Northwoods Stewardship Center in Charleston, VT, and his nonfiction essays have appeared in *NAIS*, *The Leader*, and *Terrain.org*.



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