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## EDUCATION and QUALIFICATIONS

1983	Bachelors of Science. School of Forestry. Resource Recreation Management. Oregon State University. Corvallis Oregon.
1992	Timber and Timberland Appraisal Course. World Forestry Center. Portland, Oregon.
1980 - Present	USFS Tree Health and Hazard Tree Assessor Training Course plus continuing seminars.
1995	Bachelors of Science. General Science Degree with Sociology Minor. Portland State University. Portland, Oregon
1997 - Present	Certified as an Arborist PN-1068A, by the International Society of Arboriculture (ISA).
2000	Graduate American Society of Consulting Arborists (ASCA), Arboriculture Consulting Academy
2001	Tree Failure Training Conference, Certified as Evaluator Portland, OR.
2003	Registered Consulting Arborist membership in ASCA, RCA #408
2006	Certified Tree Risk Assessor (CTRA) by PNW ISA # PN-0150
2010	USFS 6 <sup>th</sup> Western Hazard Tree Workshop Central Point, OR Recertify Tree Risk Assessor
2011	Certified Tree Risk Assessor requalified by PNW ISA # PN 0150
2013 - 2022	ISA Tree Risk Assessor Qualified
2013	USFS 7 <sup>th</sup> Western Hazard Tree Workshop Sedona, AZ Recertify Tree Risk Assessor
2016	USFS 8 <sup>th</sup> Western Hazard Tree Workshop Bend, OR Recertify Tree Risk Assessor
2017	Oregon Department of Forestry Forest Pest Detector

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### 1994 - PRESENT

*Consulting Arborist, David D. Hunter, Consulting Arborist LLC* Consulting Arborist and owner of tree service company servicing the Portland, Oregon metro area. Consulting Arborist without sales, work includes: Expert Witness-Arboricultural and timber trespass Issues, tree forensics as to why or how a tree or part failed, tree inventories, tree surveys, tree preservation plans, hazard tree evaluations and reports, Appraisal of Loss reports regarding landscape value loss as a Professional Plant Appraiser, arborist reports, and consulting regarding tree care and pruning techniques. Professional forester inspections for root diseases, wildlife damage, wildfire / forest fire damage, and tree health and/ or tree risk inspections. Timber trespass evaluations and expert witness. Tree service owner managing all aspects of the company from worker safety and training to money management and customer satisfaction. Volunteer as judge at the PNW ISA regional and International tree climbing competitions. Teach seminars about pruning, tree planting and tree health and hazard assessments. Use of Resistograph and Air Spade for tree health and safety inspections. Arborist Consultations and Expert Witness for Arboricultural and Forestry issues in Oregon and the western United States.

### 1988-1994

*Climber, Arborist, Various tree care companies in Portland, Oregon metro area.* Work as lead tree climber/ arborist on many smaller jobs in the Portland, OR metro area. Work as commercial, residential, and public entity. Professional aspects of tree care included technical fine pruning, view enhancement, removals, cabling, and storm damage repair. Help teach climbing and safety techniques for tree care professionals.

### 1986-1987

*Climber, F.A. Bartlett Tree Company Simsbury, CT.* Learn aspects of how to be a lead tree climber/arborist, climbing academy and foreman training. Learn operation of all aspects of tree care equipment used in commercial and utility tree care operations. Bucket operation safety training and EHAP (Electrical Hazards Awareness Program). Help instruct tailgate safety meetings for pruning techniques, first aid, dendrology, and safety.