

EP SPOTLIGHT

Hunter Davis

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Hunter Davis, a Vermont native, moved to New Hampshire to live and work after completing his B.S. in Architecture at Keene State College. He is currently working as a Junior Designer for Michael Petrovick Architects, PLLC in Keene. When he is not working, he can be found at the gym or playing various sports.

Davis's lifelong passion for history and problem-solving has guided his career path. As a child, he dreamed of becoming a paleontologist to uncover the mysteries of the past. Today, he finds similar satisfaction in architecture, where he can delve into the history of building elements and structural components to find innovative solutions for modern projects. One of Davis's driving passions is improving infrastructure in small rural towns, particularly in the construction of fire stations and public safety buildings, most recently in Westmoreland. This passion stems from a desire to support these communities and provide them with the essential facilities they need to thrive.

To further his career, Davis has actively sought out career development opportunities, attending the NESEA conference and Autodesk University to stay abreast of the latest technology and innovative design solutions. His education at Keene State College was also instrumental in shaping his career, where he valued the personal connections with professors and the sustainable design features of the campus. His time at KSC also taught him valuable lessons in time management and collaboration, skills that are crucial for success in his career.



Rendering of Westmoreland Fire Station by Michael Petrovick Architects, PLLC.

In his current role, Davis finds fulfillment in seeing projects from conception to completion and values the collaborative process. His most proud professional accomplishment to date is his involvement in the construction of the new Westmoreland Fire Station, where he not only played a key role in the design but also gained experience in construction administration. Looking ahead, he hopes to continue making a difference in his community through his work in architecture.

In offering advice to younger professionals, Davis emphasizes the importance of broadening one's understanding of design and gaining experience in construction. By doing so, he believes that young professionals can develop a greater understanding of structures and design, ultimately leading to more innovative and impactful work in the field of architecture.

Would you like to nominate an emerging professional for an EP spotlight? Perhaps they deserve recognition for an accomplishment or a project they have worked on? For nominations, please email Brooke DeYoung at brooke.deyoung@lbpa.com