

## The Art and Science of Sustainable Trails

A workshop for maintainers, trails and recreation professionals, resource managers and trails enthusiasts May 3-4 at Warren Wilson College

Woody Keen, President of the Professional Trail Builders Association and President of Trail Dynamics LLC is partnering with the Appalachian Trail Conservancy and Warren Wilson College to provide the 2-day workshop "The Art and Science of Sustainable Trails" free to the public at Warren Wilson.

### **Workshop Highlights**

- Trail planning, user motivations, and determining desired experience
- Designing for sustainability
- Enhancing the user experience
- Construction techniques
- Steps, Bridges, Switchbacks
- Trail Maintenance
- Trail system management

### **To Register:**

Contact the Appalachian Trail Conservancy's Southern Regional Office at (828) 254-3708 or e-mail Andrew at [adowns@appalachiantrail.org](mailto:adowns@appalachiantrail.org)

### **Who Can Attend?**

This workshop is designed for Warren Wilson students and Appalachian Trail maintainers, but almost every trail professional or enthusiast can benefit from this free course

- Land Managers
- Landscape Architects
- Community Planners
- Mountain Bikers
- Homeowners

### **What you need to know**

- May 3-4 at Warren Wilson from 8-5
- Hosts will provide tools and equipment
- Bring your own food and water
- Register soon, space is limited!
- Learn more about the course and instructor at:  
[http://www.trailbuilders.org/conference/2006/art\\_science06.html](http://www.trailbuilders.org/conference/2006/art_science06.html)



An example of a Trail Dynamics trail at the Biltmore Estate

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