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**Clean Air-Cool Planet presents a 2010 Climate Champion Award to
Christopher Skoglund**



Christopher Skoglund, while still a master's degree candidate at UNH, became interested and involved in engaging entire communities to raise awareness of the causes and solutions to climate change and to facilitate the adoption of sustainable behaviors. In his current capacity as an Energy and Transportation Analyst in the Air Resources Division at the New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services, Chris served as the staff coordinator for Governor Lynch's Climate Change Policy Task Force, which was charged with developing greenhouse gas reduction targets for the New Hampshire and a Climate Action Plan to achieve those goals. In addition to this work, Mr. Skoglund represents DES during transportation planning, working with the DOT and the Seacoast MPOs.

Prior to working at DES, he was actively engaged in efforts that targeted reductions in greenhouse gas reductions through community-based behavior change campaigns as well as innovative building design projects. Before attending UNH graduate school, he was engaged in education for almost a decade as a naturalist at outdoor environmental schools on both coasts and in traditional classroom settings with middle and high school students.