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Describe your research interests.

How do microorganisms in lake sediments impact climate change? What can we learn from bacteria, archaea, and fungi in lakes so that we can better protect our freshwater resources.

What is a question people always ask you when they learn what you do? What is your typical response?

What's your favorite lake in Minnesota? My response varies, but most of the time is White Iron lake near Ely.

What is one of your favorite aspects of your work? What is one of the most challenging?

Being on the lake is probably my favorite. Most challenging... writing.

Outside of your scientific studies, what other subjects or interests motivate you?

I love graphic design and art. I also really enjoy thinking about science education and how people interact with science in their everyday life (without even realizing it).