

The 'Broader Impacts' of Rope Rescue: Rescuing Fossils and Geologists

About the Presenter

Tom Evans “As a teenager I became interested in SAR, but was sidetracked by school, and later in college where I studied geology and biology. During my masters in paleobiology I was introduced to vertical caving and was instantly hooked. After graduate school I became a student of single rope techniques and, by extension, rope rescue. I attended NCRC and BCCR trainings after two years of personal study and a rope rescue course offered by my local SAR agency. Ultimately when I returned to school pursuing a doctorate, I was struck by the frequent and intense need of single rope and rescue techniques by the geologists and paleontologists around me. “

