## **Dylan R. Cruess • 38 • Bedford**

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## Why did you choose your profession?

The short answer is that engineering was my family business. I have been involved with TFMoran in various capacities since I was 10. At first I didn't think I was going to join the firm; I interviewed at several places in Boston and New York, but after weighing all the different factors, being close to my family and the quality of life in New Hampshire drew me back.

## What motivates you to give back to your community?

I believe everyone benefits from a strong community and I find being involved very rewarding on a personal level. I am fortunate that my company believes in being active in the community and it encourages everyone at the company to get involved personally as well. As an engineering firm, we focus a lot on STEM initiatives and we support the personal causes of our employees and clients.

## What would you like to be doing when you're 40?

Forty is only a couple of years away for me, so I would like to be doing exactly what I am doing now. I work with amazing people and we get to help to shape our communities through new development every day.

**Volunteer activities**: Board of Directors, Manchester Chamber of Commerce; Treasurer, Manchester Masonic Foundation.

Who's in the photo: Dylan and his daughter, Catherine.