

COMING THIS FALL!



Prescribed Fire Training Exchange OCT 29–NOV 9, 2018

You may see smoke in the air this fall in the mountains of South Carolina and portions of North Carolina. Not from wildfires, but rather from prescribed burning, also called controlled burning.

A 2-week Prescribed Fire Training Exchange, called, **TREX**, will be held for Wildland Fire Professionals from around the country to train, share knowledge, and apply good fire to our forests. The purpose is to train fire professionals and build capacity in using controlled burning. This will reduce fuels, which in turn lessens negative impacts of future wildfires while also enhancing wildlife habitat. **TREX will be based at Table Rock Wesleyan Camp in Pickens, SC.** Controlled burns will take place on conservation lands within a 1.5-hour radius of the Wesleyan Camp.



The Nature Conservancy is sponsoring this event in conjunction with multiple partner agencies. Please stay tuned for future announcements about this exciting training event. And for more information please visit <https://apfire.wixsite.com/sbtrex2018>.



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