

Robert McNatt Board Leadership Portfolio

Background:

I was born in New York City, raised in Teaneck, N.J., went to Yale, and since college I've lived mostly in New York—notwithstanding a few years since then in Detroit and in Montclair, N.J. I'm now a financial writer at Standard & Poor's. Previously I've been an editor at BusinessWeek, a reporter at the Detroit Free Press and Crain's New York Business, worked the wires at Reuters, the Web site at CNN, and wrote stories for Money. In my youth I was a struggling actor in the East Village during the "Rent" era.



What attracted you to The Mountain?

My wife, the Rev. Rosemary Bray McNatt, senior minister of the Fourth Universalist Society in the City of New York, has worked with the Mountain for years doing various summer ministries and has also been on the board. My two sons have attended summer camp here since 2001. And not least of all, I just like the place a lot.

What would you like to accomplish in your Board role?

To help expand The Mountain's reach and to help put it on a stronger financial footing, some of which has been accomplished already, and some of which will always entail more work.

About your family:

My wife is Rosemary, my sons are Allen and Daniel, ages 15 and 12, respectively

What do you find most important in life?

We are all on the road to the Godhead. We take different paths to get there, but it's undertaking the journey that counts the most.