



HIRING

Crew Members and Crew Leads

Interior Alaska Forest Inventory & Analysis (FIA)

State of Alaska Division of Forestry

Hiring Starts **Mid-December**

Salary: \$**21.79/hour** (Overtime Eligible) + benefits (NRT 2 Crewmember)
\$**24.77/hour** (Overtime Eligible) + benefits (NRT 3 Crew Lead)

Job Type: Seasonal

Work season: April – September

Duty Station: Fairbanks, AK

Field Schedule: 13 days on, 11 days off; 7.5-16 hour workdays, overtime eligible

For this job you will install helicopter and hike-in forest inventory plots throughout the State of Alaska. We collect data and measurements on trees, soils, fuels, understory vegetation, etc. You'll get the opportunity to work, monitor and access some of the most remote areas in Alaska. This position offers an avenue to gain proficiency in aviation operations, backcountry navigation, and ecological field measurements. Training in wilderness medicine and aviation as well as wildlife and firearms safety is included.

Desired qualifications:

- Well-organized, delegate tasks efficiently, and problem-solve independently
- Alaska backcountry skills (navigation, carry a 45lb backpack over rough terrain)
- Exceptional physical conditioning
- Application of basic scientific principles to collect field data is a plus
- Interagency aviation qualifications or previous work-related helicopter experience is a plus
- Supervisory experience leading field crews in backcountry settings (Crew Lead, NRT 3 positions)

Minimum qualifications:

NRT 2 - Six months of experience at the entry level performing technical functions of natural resource management equivalent to a Natural Resource Technician I, Forest Technician III or Environmental Technician I with the State of Alaska OR 16 semester hours or 24 quarter hours of college course work from an accredited institution OR Any combination of the above where 3 semester hours or 4 quarter hours is equivalent to one month of experience.

NRT 3 - One year of journey level technical experience in natural resource management equivalent to a Natural Resource Technician II with the State of Alaska OR Any combination of journey level technical experience in natural resource management equivalent to a Natural Resource Technician II with the State of Alaska and college course work from an accredited institution totaling one year.

How to Apply:

Full position description and online application at <http://workplace.alaska.gov> (open Mid-December)

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