Summer Forestry Internship

Silva Solutions LLC is a small forestry consulting company located in Kitsap County Washington. We are looking to hire one or two hard working and self-motivated Junior or Senior level forestry students to help us with various field projects over the summer break.

The owners of the company are Andrew Wodnik and Ryan Schlecht, both graduates of the University of Montana College of Forestry. Combined, we have over 35 years’ experience working in the forest industry all across the US. We work on a wide array of forestry related projects for many different types of clients. Some examples of projects we’ve completed in the past year include:

* Inventory and tree marking for commercial thinning treatments
* Forest inventory cruising
* Timber appraisals
* Stocking & survival surveys
* Mapping and geographic analysis
* Growth and yield modeling
* Harvest schedule planning and modeling
* Other forestry related research and analysis projects

Our list of clients is fairly big and is currently growing. It includes several large industrial land owners and government entities:

* Compraise
* Green Diamond Resource Company
* Mason, Bruce, and Girard
* Oregon Department of Forestry
* WA Department of Natural Resources
* BTG Pactual
* Forest Investment Associates
* The Conservation Fund
* Zip-O-Log mills
* Bainbridge Island Parks and Recreation
* Lone Rock Timber Management Company
* Jefferson Land Trust
* Avista

We are looking for someone who is familiar with navigating in remote areas and using forest measurement instruments. The work will primarily be focused on collecting data in the field, but there are opportunities for training in the office and analysis portions of projects if the candidate shows an interest in learning those aspects.

Compensation will be negotiated at an hourly rate with eligibility for overtime. Interested candidates please email a resume and brief introduction letter to:

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