

Job Announcement: Forester

Responsibilities: West Fork will be hiring one or more foresters to work on forestry and other natural resource projects throughout the Northwestern US. These positions will require the incumbent to travel and work at remote job sites. While on the road, all expenses are paid.

Primary Duties: Foresters at West Fork will conduct forest inventories, grade cruises, and apply general forest engineering knowledge through use of a variety of traditional methods and instruments at the plot, stand and forest levels. Inventories will be used for volume calculations and carbon sequestration assessments. Grade cruising and harvest system analysis will be utilized for the determination of value for timber and timberland appraisals.

Other Duties: Foresters may have opportunities to assist other permanent West Fork field biologists and specialists on novel natural resources projects in the disciplines of fish and wildlife sciences and associated technology of RFID tracking and detection and UAS LiDAR data collection and processing.

Qualifications: The successful applicant will have either a 2- or 4-year degree in Forest Management, Forest Engineering or a related field, and a demonstrated ability to follow strict sampling protocols and achieve a high level of accuracy. Map reading, accurate interpretation of aerial photography, and orienteering skills are required. Experience using forestry software especially those based on ESRI and MBG platforms is essential. Prior professional interdisciplinary experience in the fields of fisheries and wildlife is highly desirable.

General Information: Successful candidate will be highly motivated, hardworking, self-managing team player.

Compensation: Full time salaried position (negotiated based on education/experience), paid holidays and PTO, 100% paid health insurance, SIMPLE IRA participation.

Start Date: Immediate

Closing Date: Open until filled.

Application: Submit an electronic letter of interest and resume to info@westforkenv.com

Web link: www.westforkenv.com/careers