JOB DESCRIPTION

Under the supervision of a botany crew leader, the successful applicants will conduct botanical surveys on SPI forests located throughout northern & central CA. Qualified applicants must be able to collect detailed field data, work in remote field locations, hike steep slopes over uneven terrain, and work full days in all types of weather. Transportation from the base location to the field is provided.

Duties include, but are not limited to:
- Navigating forest roads & terrain using digital and hard copy maps.
- Recording geologic, topographic, and habitat site characteristics.
- Plant ID of CA flora to family, genus, and species.
- Survey proposed timber harvest areas and other special projects for rare plant species & collect supporting documentation and vouchers.

QUALIFICATIONS

• College coursework in botany, biology, forestry, or related natural resource field. Coursework must include plant taxonomy or plant ID.
• One season of botanical field work is desirable, but not required.
• Ability to ID plant species in the North Coast, Klamath, Cascade, Modoc, and Sierra Nevada regions.
• Map/photo interpretation ability. Prior GPS and data recorder/tablet use desirable.
• Driver license required

DEADLINES

Applications open: November 4th 2020
Applications close: February 12th 2021

APPLY ONLINE

Applicants must provide a cover letter and resume when submitting application.

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Interviews will be ongoing as applications are received. Position may be filled prior to deadline.

SUSTAINABLE FORESTRY INITIATIVE

Drug and tobacco free workplace. Hiring process includes drug testing.

SEASONAL 2021
EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

BOTANIST AIDE

BASE LOCATIONS
Anderson, CA
Camino, CA
Chico, CA

Devils Lake,
Trinity Mountains, CA

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Botanists gain experience with nearly 100 plant families across the Company’s ownership and have unique opportunities to work in California’s North Coast, Klamath and Cascade Ranges, Modoc Plateau, and Sierra Nevada.

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