MS Assistantship for Fall 2022

Silviculture & Applied Forest Ecology in Temperate Forests

Silviculture and Applied Forest Ecology: The School of Forest Resources at the University of Maine is seeking an MS student to study silvicultural systems in temperate forests of the northeastern United States. Research will address one or more of the following: 1) regeneration outcomes under commonly applied silvicultural systems, 2) response of managed forests to climate change, 3) evaluating tools for improved forest health and quality.

Funding: Funding is available from the University of Maine's School of Forest Resources. This position provides a 9-month stipend paid over 12 months, 50% of health insurance costs, and a tuition waver. Operating funds are available.

Qualifications: The ideal candidate will have experience with forest measurements and vegetation inventories, be comfortable working in and navigating to forest sites. The ideal candidate will also have experience with or a willingness to learn R and Q-GIS/ArcGIS. Strong written and verbal communication skills required. This position will start in Fall 2022, but funding is available to begin fieldwork during Summer 2022.

University of Maine School of Forest Resources: Visit http://forest.umaine.edu for more information on our graduate programs and application requirements.

Contact Dr. Nicole Rogers (Nicole.s.rogers@maine.edu) **to learn more.**

Applications Due: January 15th, 2022