

Natural Resource Employment Opportunities

There are diverse job opportunities for people interested in protecting and managing our natural resources.

This is not intended to be a comprehensive list of career options and possible employers, just a few examples of employers of natural resources professionals.

Forestry

Conservation

- www.usajobs.opm.gov
- Environmental Protection Agency – www.epa.gov
- Florida Division of Forestry – www.fl-dof.com
- Society of American Foresters – www.safnet.org
- Environmental Careers Organization – www.eco.org
- State Forestry Departments – www.stateforesters.org/jobs.html
- National Park Service – www.nps.gov/gettinginvolved/index.htm
- Florida's 5 Water Management Districts - www.dep.state.fl.us/secretary/watman
- Florida Department of Environmental Protection – www.dep.state.fl.us/law/jobs
- J.W. Jones Ecological Research Center – http://www.jonesctr.org/job_ops/index.html
- Tall Timbers Research Station – <http://www.talltimbers.org/index.htm>
- Natural Resources Conservation Service – <http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/about/employment.html>
- UF Extension – <http://personnel.ifas.ufl.edu/pjobs.html>

Business/Industry

- Society of American Foresters – www.safnet.org
- Rayonier – www.rayonier.com
- Georgia-Pacific – www.gp.com/careers/index.html
- American Forest and Paper Association – www.afandpa.org
- Koppers – www.koppers.com
- Seneca Jones Timber Company – www.senecatimber.com
- International Paper – www.ipaper.com
- F&W Forestry – www.fwforestry.com
- American Forest Management – www.americanforestmanagement.com
- Florida Forestry Association – http://www.floridaforest.org/industry_careers.shtml

Urban

- Davey Tree Company – www.davey.com/
- ACRT – www.acrtinc.com
- Tree Line Connection – www.utilityarborist.com
- Most large and mid-sized cities hire urban foresters.

Consulting Firms – environmental scientists, hydrology, forestry, GIS

- Wilson Miller – www.wilsonmiller.com
- Soil & Water Engineering Tech. – www.swert.com
- Jones Edmunds – www.jonesedmunds.com
- Miller Legg – www.millerlegg.com
- Stantec – www.stantec.com
- Environmental Services, Inc. - www.esinc.cc/careers.asp

Environmental Jobs Websites

- EHS Careers – www.ehscareers.com
- www.environmentaljobdirectory.info
- Science Careers – aaas.sciencecareers.org
- Earthworks – www.earthworks-jobs.com
- Society of American Foresters – www.safnet.org
- Environmental Careers Organization – www.eco.org
- www.usajobs.opm.gov
- Society for Conservation Biology – www.conservationbiology.org/jobs
- National Association of State Universities and Land-Grant Colleges – <http://www.nasulgc.org/NetCommunity/Page.aspx?pid=813&srcid=183>

Recreation and Ecotourism

- EcoColors – www.ecotravelmexico.com
- International Ecotourism Club – www.ecoclub.com
- The International ecotourism Society – www.ecotourism.org
- Adventure Life, Central & South America – www.adventure-life.com
- Our For Adventure Wilderness Tours – www.outforadventure.com/Employment_Opportunities.htm

Marine Science

- The Society for Marine Mammalogy – www.marinemammalogy.org
- Mote Marine Laboratory – www.mote.org
- Coastal Engineering – www.coastal-engineering.com

Environmental Policy

- Earth Justice – www.earthjustice.org
- National Association of State Foresters - <http://www.stateforesters.org/staff.html>
- Society of American Foresters - <http://www.safnet.org/careercenter/showClassifieds.cfm?adType=SAFJOBS>
- Environmental Defense – <http://www.environmentaldefense.org/careers.cfm>

Internships

- Student Conservation Association – www.thesca.org
- Environmental Careers Organization – www.eco.org
- Student Jobs – www.studentjobs.gov

Universities

- University of Georgia – <http://jobs.forestry.uga.edu/>
- Auburn University – <http://www.sfws.auburn.edu/employment/Default.htm>
- Stephen F. Austin State University – <http://www2.sfasu.edu/forestry/current/jobs.html> & <http://www.fp.sfasu.edu/environmental/links.html>