

WE ARE HIRING!



SIERRA NEVADA ADAPTIVE MANAGEMENT EXPERIMENT

The Bisping Forest Ecology & Silviculture Lab at UNR is hiring full-time temporary **forestry research technicians** as part of the Sierra Nevada Adaptive Management Experiment (AMEX).

Research technicians will collect data to support on-going research studying the impacts of silvicultural treatments to mitigate climate change impacts on forest ecosystems. Duties include but are not limited to: installing and re-surveying permanent plots; collecting pre- and post-treatment tree, plant community, fuels, and health data; mapping forest composition and structure, and conducting survival and regeneration assessments. Additional responsibilities may include data entry and data quality control.

Crews will live on-site with non-traditional housing at most locations (tents, trailer, etc.), though housing (i.e., barracks) may be available at few sites. A field vehicle is provided for job use only (if traveling home on days off, you would need to drive your personal vehicle near the job site). Crew members should expect a dynamic schedule with time spent at multiple research sites across the Sierra Nevada mixed-conifer forest over the course of the season: (March 1st, 2024 – End date dependent upon availability or weather (i.e., snowfall)). Field sampling may occur in burned areas and/or in challenging terrain. Ideal candidates will have a strong ability to solve problems that arise in the field and the constitution to both act independently and work well as part of a field team.

To apply, send a cover letter, resume, and list of three references compiled into a single PDF to: adaptiveforestmanagement@gmail.com. Review of applicants will continue until the positions are filled.

JOIN OUR FORESTRY RESEARCH TEAM

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\$19/HOUR
FULL-TIME TEMPORARY
START MARCH 1st, 2024
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WORK IN BEAUTIFUL
PLACES, GET EXPERIENCE
WITH FOREST
MEASUREMENTS AND
DATA COLLECTION
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Minimum Requirements:

- Confident driving (i.e., freeway, traffic, long distance, off road)
- Physically capable to hike/work off trail
- Willingness to live in a dynamic work environment

Preferred Qualifications:

- Previous ecology-related field experience
- Plant identification skills
- Knowledge of tree measurements and forest ecosystem sampling

