Forest Engineer
Weyerhaeuser - Longview, WA

**Background:**
Weyerhaeuser's Columbia Timberlands business is seeking an experienced Forest Engineer. This role reports to the NW Oregon Team Leader and is an integral part of the team providing planning and management of activities across several counties of northwest Oregon. This role will be based out of the Longview, Washington office. It is a full-time, exempt position. Salary level dependent on skills and experience.

This position is responsible for the planning and management of field engineering activities. In addition, it requires active involvement in the planning of road construction and road maintenance activities, and will be involved in harvest scheduling and harvest planning. The successful candidate will be expected to participate in the Integrated Skills Development Process (ISDP). The objective of ISDP is to provide for a structured process for individual development matching business skill set needs in the areas of forestry, engineering, land use, and harvesting.

**Key Functions:**

- Employ professional engineering skills in the planning and field implementation of road layout, road construction, road maintenance, cable/ground-logging systems, and harvest unit layout.

- Ensure compliance with state and federal wildlife, water and forest practice rules/statutes.

- Full participation in the management of expense and capital budgets.

- Appropriate level of participation in negotiating, preparing, and administering contracts.

- Act as company representative with landowners, government agencies, and community representatives.

- Strong advocate for safety within the team and throughout the operation for company and contractor activities.

- Ensure compliance with state and federal safety statutes, environmental requirements and Weyerhaeuser resource and stewardship goals.

About Weyerhaeuser
We grow trees and make forest products that improve lives in fundamental ways. Our wood products are used to build homes, where families are sheltered and raised. Our cellulose fibers are used to make diapers and other hygiene products that keep people clean and healthy. We innovate to use trees in products you may not expect, such as fabric, plastics and energy. We’re serious about safety, focused on performance and proud of what we do. In every corner of our company, you’ll find talented people who care about each other, the communities where we operate, and the planet we all share.

We know you have a choice in your career. We want you to join us as we work together to grow a truly great company for our shareholders, customers and employees.

About Our Timberlands Business

We’re experts in growing, nurturing, harvesting and replanting trees without harming the environment or exhausting the supply. Our timberlands team attracts world-class professionals who understand how to make the most of our remarkable, renewable resource — to meet the needs of our investors, customers and communities today, and for decades to come.

Qualifications

Requirements:

- BS Forest or Civil Engineering with some forest harvest unit layout and road layout/construction experience. Will also consider BS Forest Operations or related field with minimum of 5 years of forest harvest unit layout and road layout/construction experience.

- Northwest regional field experience is a plus.
- Must be highly motivated, a self-directed team player.

- Ability to deal with state and federal wildlife, water and forest practice rules/statutes.

- Excellent interpersonal and communication skills (written and oral) needed to effectively function as part of a team.

- Will be required to learn how to prepare, negotiate, administer and monitor contracts.

- Able to develop, prioritize, plan, implement and manage activities to meet targets and deadlines.

- Should be familiar with Forest Practice rules.
- Strong analytical skills w/ proficiency in use of personal
computers and related software applications such as MS Word, Excel, PowerPoint, and Geographical Information Systems are highly desirable with desire to learn.

- Current driver’s license is required as work involves driving company vehicles on rough roads (25,000 miles per year).

- Minimum of 50% of work time is spent in the field, much of it on steep or broken ground covered with slash and brush.

- Field work accomplished under variety of weather conditions; all that the Northwest has to offer.

- Operations are highly weather dependent; responsibilities may include occasional weekend work.

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