# HEARTLAND FOREST CONSULTING, LLC



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## Job Opening Announcement

Heartland Forest Consulting, LLC is seeking a qualified candidate to fill one open position of Field Forester. The position is considered full-time. Most work is located in central Missouri, although some travel is required. No experience is necessary; however, experienced foresters are encouraged to apply.

### Job Responsibilities

Under the direction and supervision of the Consulting Forester, Field Forester will:

- ➤ Conduct Forest Stand Improvement using various methods, including cut/girdle with a chainsaw, and "hack-and-squirt".
- ➤ Properly apply herbicides to control invasive exotic species.
- ➤ Collect and analyze forest inventory data using forest inventory software.
- > Cruise and mark timber for harvest.
- ➤ Prepare maps and analyze data using GIS software.
- Write stand management prescriptions and develop forest management plans.
- Work as part of a team to safely conduct prescribed burns.
- > Communicate with current clients.
- > Other general duties as required.

### **Qualifications and Skills Required:**

- ➤ 4-year or Bachelor's degree program in Forestry or related Natural Resource field.
- ➤ Ability to work outside in weather extremes.
- > Self-motivated and independent, but also able to work as part of a team.
- Good communication and writing skills.

#### Qualifications and Skills Preferred:

- Experience with operating a chainsaw in a safe and efficient manner.
- > Experience with GIS software.
- Missouri Pesticide Applicator's License, category 2.

#### Pay Range/Benefits:

- > Starting pay will be dependent on qualifications.
- ➤ Health, vision, dental, life, and disability insurance available.
- > Retirement plan available.
- ➤ Paid holidays after 3 months of full-time employment.
- Paid vacation after 1 year of full-time employment.

If interested, please email a cover letter, resume, and at least three references to Chris Lohmann at chris@hlforest.com.

#### About the Company

Heartland Forest Consulting, founded in 2009, is a steadily growing consulting forestry company that provides a wide array of forestry services to landowners across much of Missouri. The success of the company lies in our dedicated commitment to performing top-quality work.