



**North Carolina Department of Agriculture
and Consumer Services**
N.C. Forest Service



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The N.C. Forest Service (NCFS) is excited to announce its **Summer 2023 Paid Internship Program**. Most interns will assist with a wide range of projects and become familiar with many of the NCFS's core forestry programs and services. These include but are not limited to: forest management; forest protection, including wildland fire suppression & emergency response; water quality protection; urban forestry; and educational outreach. Duties will include a diverse combination of office and fieldwork, as well as opportunities to interact with forest landowners, natural resource professionals, conservation stakeholders, etc. Summary details include:

Title: Forest Mngt. & Development Intern
Preferred applicants: junior or senior year of a SAF-accredited forestry program; future NCFS foresters
Location: likely Raleigh area
Hourly rate: \$17.00/hr.
Contact: Sean Brogan, FM/D Div. Director
sean.brogan@ncagr.gov 919-857-4818

Title: Forest Health Intern
Preferred applicants: junior or senior year of a forestry-related program; future NCFS forest health specialists or foresters
Location: likely Clayton
Hourly rate: \$17.00/hr.
Contact: Jim Slye, Forest Health Branch Head; james.slye@ncagr.gov 919-857-4858

Title: Forest Inventory & Analysis temp positions* (multiple)
Preferred applicants: junior or senior year of a SAF-accredited forestry program; future NCFS foresters
Location: Asheville; Lexington; Clayton
Hourly rate: \$18.00/hr.
Contact: Don Roach,
don.roach@ncagr.gov 919-857-4851

Title: Mountain** Forest Technician Intern
Preferred applicants: students pursuing an associate degree in forestry; future NCFS forest technicians (rangers)
Duty Location: TBD; western NC
Hourly rate: \$15.00/hr.
Contact: Michael Cheek, R3 Asst. Regional Forester-FM
michael.cheek@ncagr.gov 828-665-8688

Title: Piedmont** Forest Technician Intern
Preferred applicants: students pursuing an associate degree in forestry; future NCFS forest technicians (rangers)
Duty Location: TBD; central NC
Hourly rate: \$15.00/hr.
Contact: Brian Yeich, R2 Asst. Regional Forester-FM
brian.yeich@ncagr.gov 919-542-1515

Title: Coastal** Forest Technician Intern
Preferred applicants: students pursuing an associate degree in forestry; future NCFS forest technicians (rangers)
Duty Location: TBD; eastern NC
Hourly rate: \$15.00/hr.
Contact: Paul Mowrey, R1 Asst. Regional Forester-FM
paul.mowrey@ncagr.gov 252-520-2402

* Forest Inventory & Analysis temporary positions are structured differently than other internships. Refer to Don Roach for details.

**Refer to attached map showing some of the NCFS's offices and our Mountain / Piedmont / Coastal Division's regional boundaries.

Anticipated start date: Mid-May, 2023

Anticipated end date: Early to mid-August, 2023

Application Process: Interested candidates should email their resume and a cover letter to the applicable "Contact" listed above. Please list "*NCFS Summer 2023 Internship Application*" in your email's subject line and include your name after it. The cover letter should address your interest in the internship; strengths that would be a benefit to the NCFS; and what you would hope to get out of the experience.

Applications must be received by 5:00 P.M. on February 15, 2023.

These internships are not open to previous NCFS summer interns. Individuals that may represent groups currently under-represented in the NCFS's workforce are strongly encouraged to apply. The N.C. Forest Service has a successful history of working with interns, with many becoming some of our organization's leaders.

We look forward to hearing from you!



State Forest Offices

- 1 Bladen Lakes State Forest 910-588-4964
- 2 Clemmons Educational State Forest 919-553-5651
- 3 DuPont State Recreational Forest 828-877-6527
- 4 Holmes Educational State Forest 828-692-0100
- 5 Jordan Lake Educational State Forest 919-542-1154
- 6 Mountain Island Educational State Forest 704-822-9518
- 7 Rendezvous Mtn. Educational State Forest 336-667-5072
- 8 Turnbull Creek Educational State Forest 910-588-4161
- 9 Tuttle Educational State Forest 828-757-5608

Other Offices

- 1 B.R.I.D.G.E. 828-438-6267
- 2 Goldsboro Forestry Center/Clairidge Nursey 919-731-7988
- 3 Griffiths Forestry Center 919-553-6178
- 4 Linville River Nursery 828-733-5236
- 5 Mountain Training Facility 828-733-4242

To find your county ranger's phone number, visit ncoforestservation.gov > Contacts > NCFS Statewide Contacts

District Offices

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| D1 Asheville | 828-667-5211 |
| D2 Lenoir | 828-757-5611 |
| D3 Rockingham | 910-997-9220 |
| D4 New Bern | 252-514-4764 |
| D5 Rocky Mount | 252-442-1626 |
| D6 Fayetteville | 910-437-2620 |
| D7 Elizabeth City | 252-331-4781 |
| D8 Whiteville | 910-642-5093 |
| D9 Swva | 828-586-4007 |
| D10 Lexington | 336-956-2111 |
| D11 Hillsborough | 919-732-8105 |
| D12 Mount Holly | 704-827-7576 |
| D13 Fairfield | 252-926-3041 |

Central Office

1616 Mail Service Center
 Raleigh, NC 27699-1600
 Archdale Building
 512 North Salisbury St.
 Raleigh, NC 27604

Regional Offices

- 1 Kinston 252-520-2402
- 2 Jordan Lake 919-542-1515
- 3 Asheville 828-665-8688

Aviation Bases

- 1 East (Kinston) 252-520-2402
- 2 Central (Sanford) 919-775-7534
- 3 West (Hickory) 828-322-8234