

# Early-career Development Program

# **Forestry Technician**

**Discipline:** Natural Resources

Installation: Joint Base Lewis-McChord

Location: Fort Collins, CO # of Positions Available: 1

**Duration:** Minimum of 6 months **Annual Salary:** \$37,000 - \$40,000

(Prorated for positions lasting less than 1 year)

Desired Start Date: 1 April, 2024

## **Position Summary**

Forest Planning Internship with the Center for Environmental Management of Military Lands (CEMML) Early-Career Development Program (ECDP). The Forestry Technician will assist with forest planning and modeling for the Joint Base Lewis McChord (JBLM) Forestry program. The program has a complete tree inventory and needs support to extract forest metrics such as average height, average diameter, and gross volume from management units using the Forest Vegetation Simulator (FVS) to prepare for upcoming timber sales. This position will also perform carbon accounting of forestry-related management actions to aid in timber harvest planning. Schedule is negotiable. Since this position is in support of Joint Base Lewis-McChord but located in Fort Collins, a trip may be required to the installation.

# **Installation/Location Summary**

The main offices of the Center for Environmental Management of Military Lands (CEMML) are based on the campus of Colorado State University in Fort Collins, CO. Located in Northern Colorado about an hour north of Denver and a 45-minute drive south of Cheyenne, Wyoming, Fort Collins is consistently awarded one of the top places to live in the United States. The area is a perfect mix of city life and mountain accessibility.

Joint Base Lewis-McChord (JBLM) is located 9.1 miles south-southwest of Tacoma, Washington, and is a training and mobilization center for all services and is the only Army power projection base west of the Rocky Mountains. The facility is under the U.S. Army Joint Base Garrison and includes the U.S. Army's Fort Lewis and the U.S. Air Force's McChord Air Force Base. JBLM is 90,000 acres with one of the largest remaining intact forest areas in the Puget Sound basin.

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#### **About CEMML**

The Center for Environmental Management of Military Lands (CEMML) at Colorado State University provides environmental management expertise to military installations and other federal properties across the continental U.S., Alaska, Hawaii, and overseas.

- Long track record of supporting military readiness and resource conservation—since 1985.
- Global reach with more than 700 staff embedded at more than 90 Department of Defense installations and other federal sites.
- Comprehensive experience in the development and implementation of cooperative agreements, grants, and contracts; more than \$100 million in projects each year.

To learn more at www.cemml.colostate.edu.

## **About CEMML's Early-Career Development Program**

CEMML's Early-career Development Program provides students, recent graduates, and early-career professionals the opportunity to learn more about land management in the military and federal lands context. ECDP positions are the perfect opportunity to build connections, be mentored, and gain hands-on experience. Working under the guidance of seasoned natural or cultural resource professionals, participants learn practical applications and techniques. Participants contribute to conservation efforts and increase their understanding of the regulatory framework and the complexities of managing natural and cultural resources.

## **Application Instructions**

The application process requires candidates to state their preferred region and focus area, and applicants will be considered for all applicable opportunities corresponding with their stated preferences. Please note that a statement of qualifications, resume, and three references will be required. Please remember to speak to all your skills and qualifications as they relate to the focus area. Feel free to include the specific position(s) you would like to be considered for.

For more information about CEMML's ECDP and a full list of its current opportunities, please visit: cemml.colostate.edu/students-recent-grads/early-career-development-program

# **Application Link**

https://jobs.colostate.edu/postings/136152

#### **Questions?**

Questions about this listing or other CEMML ECDP opportunities? Email <a href="mailto:cemml\_ecdp@colostate.edu">cemml\_ecdp@colostate.edu</a>