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**Opening: 2017 SUMMER FORESTER INTERNSHIP (40 hours/week)  
Two opportunities available in each location listed below**

**Availability: June - July 2017 (dates flexible)**

**Pay: \$14/hr**

### **EXAMPLES OF DUTIES**

In a field environment, assist with general forest management to include: marking timber, marking boundaries, establishing/monitoring Streamside Management Zones and stump cruises. Assist with aerial surveys (conducted from an airplane) to diagnose potential insect and disease infestations. Assist with timber cruising and setting up timber sales on State land. May operate trucks and various heavy equipment in execution of duties. Field work will require extended work outdoors. Applicants should expect extremely hot and humid conditions as well as exposure to insects/wildlife common to Georgia.

In an office environment, conduct thorough searches of available property and forestry records. Prepare reports, including measuring and computing acreage.

### **SPECIFIC LOCATIONS:**

- **Bartram State Forest, Milledgeville**
- **Oconee National Forest/Athens**
- **Dixon Memorial State Forest, Waycross**
  - In addition to the duties listed above, this intern will assist with updating the management plan for DMSF, updating DMSF ArcMap database, performing seedling survival surveys, herbicide applications and assistance with timber management programs held at DMSF.

**\*Interns will have a primary location and responsibilities, but will cross train in each of the 3 locations.**

**MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:** Student pursuing a Bachelor's degree in forestry, forest resources, or closely related major which includes core forestry coursework, from an SAF accredited school.

Excellent customer service and organizational skills. Ability to work independently. Proficient in Microsoft Office software and ArcGIS.

**PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS** –Rising seniors pursuing a Bachelor's degree in forestry, forest resources, or closely related major which includes core forestry coursework, from an SAF accredited school. Field experience in one or more of the areas stated above.

**To apply, email resume and your dates of availability to [hcowart@gfc.state.ga.us](mailto:hcowart@gfc.state.ga.us) by February 24, 2017.**