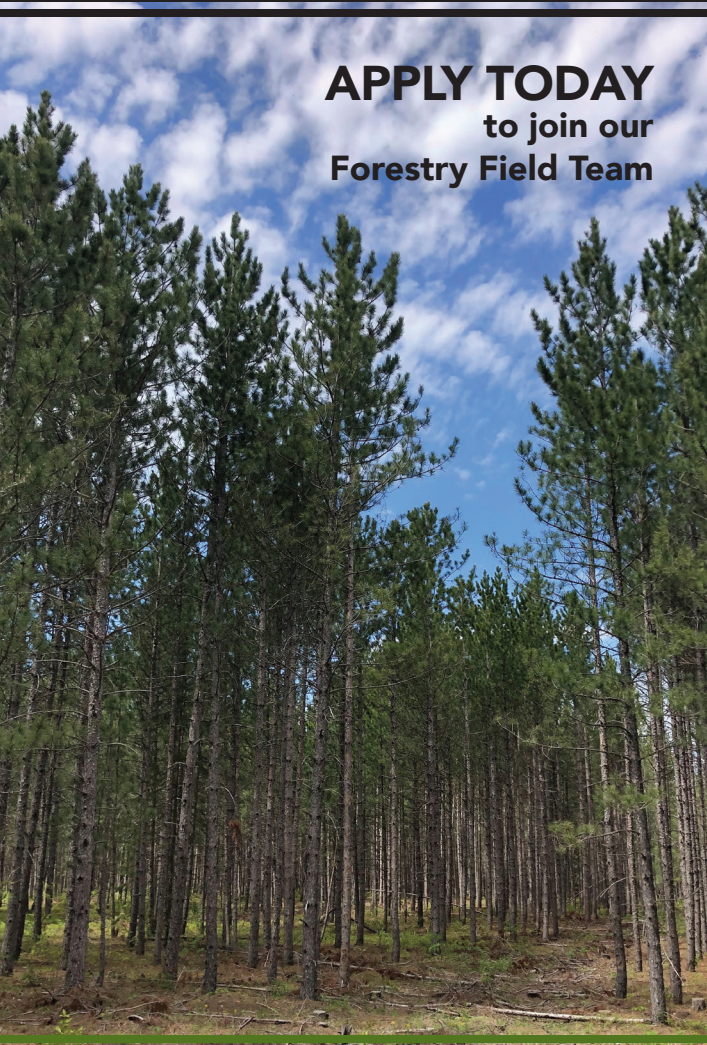


GREAT OUTDOORS GREAT OPPORTUNITIES

APPLY TODAY
to join our
Forestry Field Team



Manitoba is home to some of Canada's most beautiful forests. These forests contribute to Manitoba's economic, social and environmental well-being. Imagine the forests are your office and you're helping to manage them for the future!



WHO WE ARE

The Forestry and Peatlands Branch's responsibility is to sustainably manage Manitoba's forests. In an ever-changing climate and with continually increasing demands, this challenge has never been greater.



WHAT WE DO

- Tree planting – we plant over a million trees each spring!
- Assess forest health – survey forests for native and invasive insects and diseases.
- Monitor invasive species – monitor urban forest canopies to help slow the spread of insects and disease, and take action to help prevent the spread.
- Survey forest renewal – assess how new forests are growing.

- Measure permanent sample plots – assess how established forests are growing and changing over time.

Our field staff are equipped with the best high-tech solutions including handheld GPS and iPad tablets, ruggedized laptops, Satellite communications and specialized forestry tools. Additionally, there may be opportunities with peat research, ecosystem classification and public outreach.

WHERE WE WORK

Everywhere! You may work a shift in an urban setting and the next day find yourself in southeastern Manitoba's Sandilands Provincial Forest followed by a trip to the Duck Mountains. When working remotely you'll stay in hotels, cabins, provincial bunk houses and do some camping.

You'll visit some of Manitoba's busiest forests and also some of the most remote forests that few have seen. You'll drive trucks and ATVs where there are trails and travel by helicopter and plane where there aren't.

WHEN DOES IT START?

Work begins each year around May and runs until the end of August. Depending on the number of projects and the weather, field work often continues into late fall for those who want to work longer.

The Forestry and Peatlands Branch is also a place where careers are built.

We regularly look for full-time technical and professional staff. Seasonal field positions can be a stepping stone to joining our team full-time.



WHAT DO I GAIN FROM THIS EXPERIENCE?

You will receive the required training and guidance specific to the position, potentially adding new skills to your resumé.

You gain the satisfaction knowing you are making a difference to the well-being of Manitobans.

You will meet and work with like-minded teammates and professional forestry experts in a fun environment.

WHAT DOES IT TAKE?

- background experience, education or training in environmental/resource management
- a strong work ethic to guide you in challenging situations
- motivation to work in the field
- a desire to collect important data
- teamwork - being part of a larger team that influences how Manitoba's forests are managed

Find out More

To learn more about our forests and what we do, visit

manitoba.ca/nrnd/forest/forestry/index.html



Current Opportunities

For all government positions, visit the Job Opportunities at

manitoba.ca/govjobs

