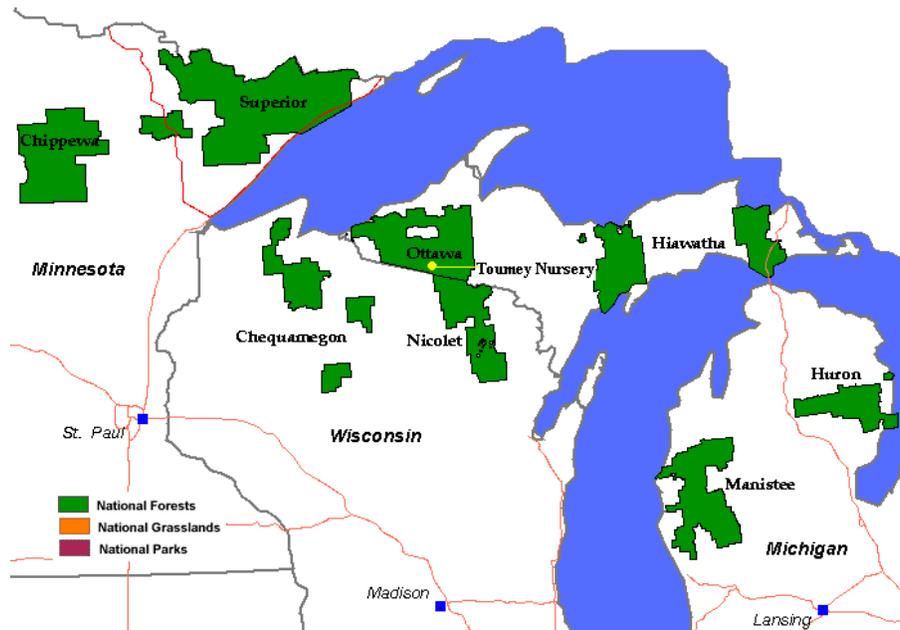




2017 Summer Season Temporary Employment Opportunities



The Great Lakes National Forests of the Eastern Region are seeking qualified applicants to fill multiple temporary, full-time positions for the 2017 summer season. To apply for any of these positions, visit www.USAJobs.gov.

Vacancy announcements will be posted to USAJobs on **November 16, 2016**, and will remain open through **November 28, 2016**. Start date, length of season, and number of positions hired will depend upon budget and individual unit needs. Seasonal housing may be available in some locations. Housing availability may be based on a first-come, first-served basis.

Contacts are listed below for each location where positions are available. Please contact those individuals for more information on the job, the duty station, and availability of housing.

Please note: This is a partial listing of temporary positions available. Each Unit may also have additional employment opportunities.





Biological Science Technician (Plants)

General Duties: These positions may serve as part of the invasive plant treatment crews or may be part of rare plant survey and inventory crews. Incumbents perform a variety of tasks relating to native plants surveys and monitoring, invasive plant control and monitoring, native plant restoration, and a pollinator program support. Duties may include: herbicide application to invasive plant populations (using backpack sprayer or truck mounted sprayer) or other treatment methods, field surveys for invasive plants, surveys, inventory and monitoring of rare plants, collecting field data and entering it into spreadsheets and databases, using GPS units, evaluating invasive earthworm infestations; and assessing habitat conditions and requirements of rare plants. Applicants need to have valid driver's license.

Typical Length of Season: May to October

Apply Dates: November 16 thru November 28, 2016

Series and Grade: GS-0404-04

Vacancy Announcement: 17-TEMP-R9-0404-04-PLIN-DT

Series and Grade: GS-0404-05

Vacancy Announcement: 17-TEMP-R9-0404-05-PLIN-DT

<i>Forest/Prairie</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>Quarters</i>	<i>Contact</i>	<i>Contact Email</i>
Ottawa NF	Ironwood, MI	N	Mark Fedora Ian Shackelford	mfedora@fs.fed.us ishackelford@fs.fed.us
Hiawatha NF	Munising, MI	Y	Deb LeBlanc	Dleblanc01@fs.fed.us
Superior NF	Grand Marais, MN	Y	Jack Greenlee	jackgreenlee@fs.fed.us
Superior NF	Aurora, MN	Y	Jack Greenlee	jackgreenlee@fs.fed.us
Chequamegon-Nicolet NF	Florence, WI	Y	Justin Bournoville	jbournoville@fs.fed.us
Chequamegon-Nicolet NF	Glidden, WI	N	Steven Spickerman	sspickerman@fs.fed.us
Chequamegon-Nicolet NF	Lakewood, WI	N	Steve Janke	sjanke@fs.fed.us
Huron-Manistee NFs	Baldwin, MI	May Be	Heather Keough	hkeough@fs.fed.us
Huron-Manistee NFs	Oscoda, MI	May Be	Justin Tufts	jtufts@fs.fed.us
Chippewa NF	Deer River, MN	May Be	Chad Kirschbaum	ckirschbaum@fs.fed.us





Forestry Technician (Timber/Silviculture)

General Duties: These positions perform a variety of routine and frequently complex tasks involving techniques and practices relating to timber and silviculture. Work could include: marking specified softwood and hardwood trees for cutting as saw logs, pulpwood, posts, poles, etc., according to prescriptions; measuring tree diameters and heights and observing defects; serving as a member of a timber cruising crew; and/or inspecting contracts for reforestation, timber stand improvement, or genetic tree improvement. Work may vary by unit and program.

Typical Length of Season: May to October

Apply Dates: November 16 – November 28, 2016

Series and Grade: GS-0462-04

Vacancy Announcement: 17-TEMP-R9-0462-04-TISI-DT

Series and Grade: GS-0462-05

Vacancy Announcement: 17-TEMP-R9-0462-05-TISI-DT

<i>Forest/Prairie</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>Quarters</i>	<i>Contact</i>	<i>Contact Email</i>
Ottawa NF	Watersmeet, MI	Y	Trevor Hahka Jon Word	thahka@fs.fed.us jonathanaword@fs.fed.us
Ottawa NF	Kenton, MI	N	Trevor Hahka Jim Pelkola	thahka@fs.fed.us jpelkola@fs.fed.us
Hiawatha NF	Raco, MI	Y	Marjorie Allmaras Martha Sjogren	mallmaras@fs.fed.us msjogren@fs.fed.us
Hiawatha NF	Munising, MI	Y	James McFarland	jdmcfarland@fs.fed.us
Superior NF	Tofte, MN	Y	Gene Dressely	gdressely@fs.fed.us
Superior NF	Grand Marais, MN	Y	Erica Hahn	ehahn@fs.fed.us
Superior NF	Cook, MN	Y	Ari Jewell	ajewell@fs.fed.us
Superior NF	Aurora, MN	Y	Carl Layman	clayman@fs.fed.us
Superior NF	Ely, MN	Y	Kyle Fairchild	kfairchild@fs.fed.us
Chequamegon-Nicolet NF	Eagle River, WI	Y	Daniel Reynolds	danielreynolds@fs.fed.us
Chequamegon-Nicolet NF	Florence, WI	Y	Katheleen Theisen	kathleenmtheisen@fs.fed.us
Chequamegon-Nicolet NF	Hayward, WI	Y	Gerred Carothers	wgcrothers@fs.fed.us
Chequamegon-Nicolet NF	Lakewood, WI	N	John Lampereur	jlampereur@fs.fed.us
Huron-Manistee NFs	Manistee, MI	Y	Keith Konen Barb Heidel	kkonen@fs.fed.us bheidel@fs.fed.us
Huron-Manistee NFs	Baldwin, MI	May Be	Kris Kovar	kkovar@fs.fed.us
Chippewa NF	Deer River, MN	May Be	Chad Kirschbaum	ckirschbaum@fs.fed.us
Chippewa NF	Walker, MN	Y	Sherry Fountain	safountain@fs.fed.us
Chippewa NF	Blackduck, MN	May Be	Lisa Arbucci Schmid	larbuccischmid@fs.fed.us





Forestry Technician (Recreation/Trails)

General Duties: Applicants will perform a variety of technical work in support of the unit’s recreation and trails program. This could include: visitor contacts; compliance checks; serving as a collection officer; maintenance of developed camp sites; maintenance of trails; patrol of dispersed recreation areas; and/or, collection of data for recreation and trail data management systems.

Typical Length of Season: May to October

Apply Dates: November 16 – November 28, 2016

Series and Grade: GS-0462-04

Vacancy Announcement: 17-TEMP-R9-0462-04-RETR-DT

Series and Grade: GS-0462-05

Vacancy Announcement: 17-TEMP-R9-0462-05-RETR-DT

<i>Forest/Prairie</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>Quarters</i>	<i>Contact</i>	<i>Contact Email</i>
Ottawa NF	Watersmeet, MI	Y	Melissa Simpson	mdsimpson@fs.fed.us
Ottawa NF	Ironwood, MI	N	Melissa Simpson	mdsimpson@fs.fed.us
Ottawa NF	Kenton, MI	N	Melissa Simpson	mdsimpson@fs.fed.us
Hiawatha NF	St. Ignace, MI	Y	Karl Vanderheuel	kvanderheuel@fs.fed.us
Hiawatha NF	Munising, MI	Y	Brenda Rebitzke	brebitzke@fs.fed.us
Hiawatha NF	Rapid River, MI	Y	Brenda Rebitzke	brebitzke@fs.fed.us
Superior NF	Aurora, MN	Y	Tim Engrav	tengrav@fs.fed.us
Superior NF	Ely, MN	Y	John Pierce	jpierce@fs.fed.us
Superior NF	Cook, MN	Y	Tim Engrav	tengrav@fs.fed.us
Chequamegon-Nicolet NF	Eagle River, WI	Y	Evan Miller	evanmiller@fs.fed.us
Chequamegon-Nicolet NF	Florence, WI	Y	Evan Miller	evanmiller@fs.fed.us
Chequamegon-Nicolet NF	Glidden, WI	N	Chad Jacobson	chadjacobson@fs.fed.us
Chequamegon-Nicolet NF	Hayward, WI	Y	Chad Jacobson	chadjacobson@fs.fed.us
Chequamegon-Nicolet NF	Lakewood, WI	N	Bev Ruether	bruether@fsf.ed.us
Chequamegon-Nicolet NF	Medford, WI	Y	Tim Vetter	tvetter@fs.fed.us
Chequamegon-Nicolet NF	Washburn, WI	N	Teresa Maday	tmaday@fs.fed.us





Huron-Manistee NFs	Baldwin, MI	May Be	Diane Walker	dtwalker@fs.fed.us
Huron-Manistee NFs	Manistee, MI	Y	Jon Thompson	jonthompson@fs.fed.us
Huron-Manistee NFs	Mio, MI	May Be	Bob Magon	bmagon@fs.fed.us
Huron-Manistee NFs	Oscoda, MI	May Be	Randy Griffith	rgriffith@fs.fed.us
Chippewa NF	Walker, MN	Y	Sherry Fountain	safountain@fs.fed.us
Chippewa NF	Deer River, MN	May Be	Chad Kirschbaum	ckirschbaum@fs.fed.us
Chippewa NF	Black Duck, MN	May Be	Karen Lessard	klessard@fs.fed.us





Biological Science Technician (Fish/Wildlife)

General Duties: Applicants will perform a variety of technical work in support of the unit’s natural resources programs. This could include: conducting surveys of game and non-game wildlife species, plant species, and inland lake and stream fish population and aquatic habitat inventories; recording data manually and electronically using a Global Positioning System unit and computer; summarizing data obtained from field collections; preparing reports from data; performing habitat improvement projects; and/or, performing inventories of nesting structures, wildlife openings, etc.

Typical Length of Season: May to October

Apply Dates: November 16 – November 28, 2016

Series and Grade: GS-0404-04

Vacancy Announcement: 17-TEMP-R9-0404-04-FIWI-DT

Series and Grade: GS-0404-05

Vacancy Announcement: 17-TEMP-R9-0404-05-FIWI-DT

<i>Forest/Prairie</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>Quarters</i>	<i>Contact</i>	<i>Contact Email</i>
Ottawa NF	Ironwood, MI	N	Mark Fedora Holly Jennings	mfedora@fs.fed.us hjennings@fs.fed.us
Hiawatha NF	Rapid River, MI	Y	Janet Ekstrum	jekstrum@fs.fed.us
Hiawatha NF	Munising, MI	Y	Luke Langstaff	langstaff@fs.fed.us
Superior NF	Ely, MN	Y	Sarah Malick-Wahls	smalickwahls@fs.fed.us
Superior NF	Grand Marais, MN	Y	Jason Butcher	jbutcher@fs.fed.us
Chequamegon-Nicolet NF	Eagle River, WI	Y	Scott Anderson	scottanderson@fs.fed.us
Chequamegon-Nicolet NF	Haywaryd, WI	Y	Carrie Nelson	carrielnelson@fs.fed.us
Chequamegon-Nicolet NF	Laona, WI	N	Dale Harrison	dharrison@fs.fed.us
Chequamegon-Nicolet NF	Medford, WI	Y	Ann Dassow	ahdassow@fs.fed.us
Chequamegon-Nicolet NF	Washburn, WI	N	Brian Heeringa	bheeringa@fs.fed.us
Huron-Manistee NFs	Manistee, MI	Y	Paul Thompson	pdthompson@fs.fed.us
Huron-Manistee NFs	Mio, MI	May Be	Kim Piccolo	kpiccolo@fs.fed.us
Huron-Manistee NFs	Baldwin, MI	May Be	Heather Keough	hkeough@fs.fed.us
Huron-Manistee NFs	Oscoda, MI	May Be	Eric O’Neil	honeil@fs.fed.us
Chippewa NF	Deer River, MN	May Be	Chad Kirschbaum	ckirschbaum@fs.fed.us





HOW TO APPLY

- Contact the individual listed for positions you are interested in to get more information about the job, work location, availability of housing, etc.
- To be considered for these temporary positions, **you will need to apply through USAJobs: www.usajobs.gov**. Search for jobs using the vacancy announcement number provided above or the duty station.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS and PAY ESTIMATES

<i>Grade</i>	<i>Hourly Rate</i>
GS-4	\$13.84
GS-5	\$15.49

Example of Minimum Qualification Requirements for GS-4 and GS-5 Forestry Technicians

Grade 04: Qualifying experience for the GS-04 level includes six months general experience that demonstrates the applicant's ability to perform the work of the position or that provided familiarity with the subject matter or processes of the occupation AND six months specialized experience at the GS-03 level that is directly related to the line of work of the position to be filled and which has equipped the applicant with the particular knowledge, skills, and abilities to successfully perform the duties of the position.

Substitution of Education for Experience: Experience requirements may be met by successful completion of two (2) academic years of post-high school education which included at least 12 semester/18 quarter hours in any combination of courses such as forestry, agriculture, crop or plant science, range management or conservation, wildlife management, watershed management, soil science, natural resources (except marine fisheries and oceanography), outdoor recreation management, civil or forest engineering, or wildland fire science. No more than 3 semester hours in mathematics is creditable.

Combination of Education and Experience: Equivalent combinations of successfully completed education and experience may be used to meet the experience requirements.





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Grade 05: Qualifying experiences includes one year of specialized experience equivalent to GS-4. Specialized experience is experience which is in or directly related to the line of work of the position to be filled and which has equipped the applicant with the particular knowledge, skills, and abilities to successfully perform the duties of the position.

Substitution of Education for Experience: Experience requirements may be met by successful completion of a four (4) year course of study leading to a bachelors' degree or the equivalent. Education must include at least 24 semester/36 quarter hours in any combination of courses such as forestry, agriculture, crop or plant science, range management or conservation, wildlife management, watershed management, soil science, natural resources (except marine fisheries and oceanography), outdoor recreation management, civil or forest engineering, or wildland fire science. No more than 6 semester/9 quarter hours in mathematics is creditable.

Combination of Education and Experience: Equivalent combinations of successfully completed education and experience may be used to meet the experience requirements.

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