

## **Forester**

Timberlands Ltd is a world leading Forestry Management Company based in Rotorua, New Zealand. Acting on behalf of the Kaingaroa Timberlands Partnership, Timberlands manages New Zealand's largest plantation forest, the 189,000 ha Kaingaroa Forest Estate, with an annual harvest of over 4.5 M tonnes.

We are looking for a mid-level forester to plan, manage and supervise forestry operations, along with providing analytical and technical expertise and knowledge to support the improvement and development of the team's digital systems and processes.

## Key Accountabilities:

- Assist Genetics & Tree Crop team by establishing trials to provide site knowledge and improve seedlot deployment to the forest
- Plan, lead organise and control tree crop operations, to ensure all stands are managed in line with approved company silviculture regimes
- Review operational planning tools and processes to drive the implementation of new digital planning tools, systems and processes
- Assess productivity of operations for both staff and suppliers and provide technical assistance where required to lift performance.
- Ensure robust data collection and quality control processes are in place
- Monitor and manage operations within budget.

## Our ideal candidate:

To be a success in this role you will have a tertiary forestry qualification, with a minimum of 1 year in a forest supervisor role or have relevant forestry operational management experience. Demonstrated ability to manage groups of people and a strong appreciation of OHS, alongside sound knowledge of silviculture forestry management will be highly regarded. Experience with ArcGIS and ATLAS will also be viewed favourably. The role requires the ability to actively listen and communicate, and you will enjoy a mix of forest and office time.

## What we offer:

If you're willing to put in the time and dedication, in return we offer you the opportunity to join a progressive and growing world class business with career and training opportunities the envy of other industries. We offer the successful applicant a competitive salary, a benefits package including health and welfare insurances, a vehicle and flexible work hours to provide a good work life balance.

This is a permanent position with an immediate start. Applicants should have current eligibility to work in New Zealand and already be residing here.

If this sounds like an opportunity you would be interested in then please don't hesitate to apply by providing a cover letter and copy of your CV by **Friday 19**<sup>th</sup> **August 2022**.