

Assistant Operations Manager

Job reference: REQ0675

Location: Flexible (see JD)

Salary: £38,533 - £41,498 + 27% employer pension contributions

Contractual hours: 37

Basis: Full time

Job description

Working at Forestry and Land Scotland is all about 'People, Pride and Purpose.' Join us and take pride in helping look after something incredibly valuable to the people of Scotland and its visitors – Scotland's national forests and land.

We are looking for motivated leader who has experience of managing a wide range of forestry operations such as timber harvesting, restocking, deer management and estates stewardship, as well as environmental programmes and maintenance of visitor facilities across Argyll and Lochaber.

Working within the West Region offers a varied, challenging and exciting opportunity to lead local teams in the delivery of forestry and land management operations. The Assistant Operations Manager role is to lead and support operational teams through the tactical planning and delivery of our work programmes ensuring high standards of operational delivery and compliance with procurement and contract management.

Main Duties

Key work areas will include:

- Lead, develop and support the harvesting team across the region.
- Take responsibility for harvesting income and expenditure, providing forecasts and building financial plans/budgets as required.
- Drive the harvesting programme within the region, working with other teams, customers and contractors to resolve issues or find solutions for challenging sites.
- Ensure a high level of quality and safety is delivered through all operations, whether delivered in-house or via third parties through effective contract and staff management – focusing on health and safety and UKFS/UKWAS compliance.
- Build positive relationships with customers and contractors to deliver a quality service, while ensuring best value for FLS.
- Contribute to regional and national workstreams to facilitate continuous improvement in areas such as procurement.

Please see the Job Description and Success Profile for more information on the role and the experience we are looking for.

Closing date: 1 October 2023 at 11.55pm.

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