

## GIS Resource Specialist

**INTERNATIONAL FOREST PRODUCTS LIMITED**, one of Western Canada's largest logging and sawmilling companies, is seeking an individual to join our GIS Group in our Coastal Woodlands Campbell River office. **The successful candidate for this position will be a highly motivated team player who thrives in a challenging environment. The ideal candidate will possess a strong background in data analysis and coastal forestry operations. This individual will be relied upon to support the business aspects of strategic planning and operational forestry in coastal woodlands setting.**

### Responsibilities:

- Data analysis, problem solving and reporting
- Operational mapping
- Application support
- Operational planning
- Data loading, data management and quality assurance
- Supporting and maintaining an enterprise data management system
- Working as part of a team to improve methods, business practices and standard operating procedures

### Required Skills and Qualifications:

- A degree or diploma in Geographic Information Systems, Forest Sciences or Biology (fish/wildlife)
- 5+ years of progressive work in the GIS industry using ESRI products
- Proficiency with Access, Excel and Word to create professional quality data summaries and reports.
- Strong and effective interpersonal. Time management and organizational skills
- Natural aptitude for problem solving and error checking
- Excellent oral, written and electronic communication skills

### Preferred Skills and Qualifications:

- Data base administration, programming and scripting (SQL Server, SQL, VBA etc...)
- Experience working on landscape unit planning and wildlife habitat modeling projects
- Experience with Enterprise Forest Management Systems (ex. TFM & Genus)
- Technical expertise to trouble shoot and problem solve hardware and software issues
- Working knowledge & experience with relevant legislation specific to the BC forest sector
- Registration with (or eligibility for) the Association of British Columbia Forest Professionals and/or the College of Applied Biology will be considered an asset.

Interested applicants should include detailed work experience summaries as part of their application package. Detail should identify specific examples of past work experience that the applicant feels is relevant to the position. Interested applicants should also describe how their skills, qualifications and experience can be applied in a dynamic environment where multi tasking is essential. Salary is commensurate with experience; applicants should include their salary expectations in their covering letter.

Interfor is a progressive forest management company that offers competitive compensation and benefits package set in one of the most attractive urban communities in the province. For additional information "About Us" visit: <http://www.interfor.com/>. To learn more about Campbell River visit: <http://www.campbellriver.ca/Pages/default.aspx>

Interested parties should deliver their resume/cv by **February 19, 2010** to:

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\* We thank all candidates for their interest and advise that only those individuals selected for interview will be contacted.

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