The U.S. Forest Service, Allegheny National Forest is currently advertising a Forestry Technician position in Warren, Pennsylvania. There are very specific requirements for individuals to be able to qualify for this position. If you have students or employees who fit these qualifications, they may apply at https://www.usajobs.gov/GetJob/ViewDetails/389384400. This advertisement is open through January 28, 2015. Non-government employees who meet the criteria must submit the proper documentation showing they are eligible to apply.

This position is currently open only to:
- current permanent Federal employees with competitive status,
- Reinstatement eligibles,
- Persons with disabilities,
- Veteran’s Employment Opportunity Act eligibles,
- Certain military spouses,
- 30% or more disabled veterans,
- Former Peace Corps or VISTA volunteers,
- CTAP/ICTAP eligibles,
- Farm Service Agency permanent county employees and
- Those eligible for other Special Hiring Authorities.

Minimum qualifications for this position are:
1 year of specialized experience equivalent to at least the GS-10 grade level. Specialized experience for the GS-11 level is defined as one or more of the following: Inspects timber sale contracts and identifies areas of resource concern for the Forest Service Representative or Contracting Officer to address; recognizes deficiencies and recommends a course of action, when needed, in order to protect stream courses and other land features; and monitors purchaser’s adequacy or inadequacy of operations to achieve compliance with contract terms.

OR

Completion of three years of graduate level education or doctorate in a position-related field of forestry or natural resource management.

OR

A combination of successfully completed education and specialized experience as listed above may be used to meet the experience requirement.