



PNWTIRC

PACIFIC NORTHWEST TREE IMPROVEMENT RESEARCH COOPERATIVE

**Graduate Research Assistantship
Pacific Northwest Tree Improvement Research Cooperative
Department of Forest Science, Oregon State University (OSU)**

A graduate research assistantship is available to pursue either an M.S. or Ph.D. degree with the Pacific Northwest Tree Improvement Research Cooperative (PNWTIRC). The PNWTIRC conducts forest genetics research in support of applied tree improvement (see <http://www.fsl.orst.edu/pnwtirc>).

Research topics range from the molecular genetics of Douglas-fir (e.g., molecular markers in tree improvement; microarray analyses, and association genetics) to applied tree improvement and seed orchard management (e.g., genetics of wood quality, design and management of miniaturized seed orchards, and incorporating genetic effects into growth and yield models). The annual stipend is \$18,516 for students with a B.S. degree, and \$20,415 for students with an M.S. degree. Students in either degree program will receive a full tuition waiver in addition to the stipend. Interested individuals should contact Dr. Glenn Howe, Department of Forest Science, Oregon State University, 321 Richardson Hall, Corvallis, OR; telephone 541-737-9001; fax 541-737-1393; e-mail glenn.howe@oregonstate.edu. Information on how to submit a formal application to the Department of Forest Science can be obtained from <http://www.cof.orst.edu/cof/fs>.

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