



UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY

**FACULTY POSITION
INTEGRATED FOREST RESOURCE MANAGEMENT**

POSITION TITLE: Assistant Professor, Department of Forestry, University of Kentucky. This is a 12 month, tenure-track appointment. Starting date is by January 1, 2003 (November 1, 2002 preferred)

QUALIFICATIONS: Ph.D. degree in Quantitative Forest Resource Management. At least one degree in forestry required; B.S. in Forestry preferred. A strong economic background and experience in GIS is desirable.

RESPONSIBILITIES: Research (60%) and Teaching (40%). Desirable avenues of research include, but are not limited to, applications of spatial analysis and economics to forest resource management problems. Particular emphasis related to management issues of NIPF ownerships and overall forest resource distribution and use is preferred. The successful candidate will be expected to conduct an extramurally funded research program in their area of expertise. Collaboration with other forestry and natural resource specialists is strongly encouraged. Potential teaching responsibilities include undergraduate courses in Timber Management and Economics, GIS in Natural Resources, and Integrated Forest Management (the senior capstone course). Graduate teaching opportunities include a course in the area of expertise and direction of graduate students.

THE DEPARTMENT OF FORESTRY: The department of forestry is one of eleven academic departments in the College of Agriculture. Departmental activities include undergraduate instruction in forestry and natural resources, graduate instruction in forestry, and research and extension programs. The Department maintains a 15,000 acre forest which provides an important asset for research, teaching, and extension activities. Strong cooperative relations are maintained with several University departments.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE: Closing date is July 1, 2002 or until a suitable candidate is found. Send curriculum vitae, transcripts, a 1 to 2 page statement of research interests, teaching philosophy, career goals, and three letters of recommendation to:

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