



Redwood Rising Forest Fellow

Put your passion for and knowledge about forest restoration to work! Save the Redwoods League is seeking a Humboldt or Del Norte County based **Redwood Rising Forest Fellow**.

The **Redwoods Rising Forest Fellow** is a two-year position that enhances the capacity of the Redwoods Rising initiative – a collaborative forest restoration effort in Redwood National and State Parks. As our **Redwoods Rising Forest Fellow**, you will be working with League staff and partner agencies to advance the initiative by coordinating logistical support for the Redwoods Rising governance teams; overseeing the day-to-day activities of a team of Restoration Apprentices; providing technical expertise and support to ecological restoration projects; and supporting fundraising and outreach efforts.

For over 100 years, Save the Redwoods League has been dedicated to protecting the ancient redwood forests so all generations can experience the inspiration and majesty of redwoods. Since its founding in 1918, Save the Redwoods League has protected more than 200,000 acres of forests and helped create 66 redwood parks and preserves for everybody to enjoy. To learn more about us, go to www.SaveTheRedwoods.org

Compensation and Benefits: \$27.47/hour with possible year-end bonus (\$50,000/year based on a 35-hour work week)

This is a 2-year funded position through Save the Redwoods League's Forest Fellowship program, providing opportunities for emerging natural resource professionals in support of the field of redwood forest restoration.

We provide excellent benefits including paid vacation, sick time, medical, dental, vision, online tele-therapy, health advocacy and employee assistance programs, life insurance, and more!

Essential Duties and Responsibilities:

Supporting Agency Partners:

- Provides logistical, administrative, and field support to Redwoods Rising stakeholder and working groups, specifically Steering Committee, Communications Committee, and technical advisory committees, including scheduling, notetaking, and follow-up
- Provides technical expertise and coordination to Redwoods Rising monitoring activities, project planning, and compliance preparation

Supporting the Redwoods Rising Apprenticeship Program:

- Assists with planning/managing the Redwoods Rising Apprenticeship Program with the Partnership Coordinator and Partnership Manager
- Coordinates with the apprentices, Cal Poly Humboldt faculty, and apprenticeship project leads
- Procures, tracks, and maintains supplies for the apprenticeship program
- Attends apprenticeship interviews to answer questions about the program
- Provides administrative and general support to students and project leads throughout the summer season related to scheduling, timekeeping, safety, disciplinary actions, etc.; provides field support
- Supports Redwoods Rising teams in developing and implementing restoration projects

Support for Redwoods Rising Initiative:

- Works with League and agency staff and outside consultants to develop public communications documents and deliver presentations that expand the reach of Redwoods Rising to community and other outside groups

- Works with League and agency staff to research and solicit funding from public and private sources

Supervisory Responsibilities:

- Oversees a team of Restoration Apprentices in performing technical field projects; scheduling and task assignments, training, team leadership, and other duties
- Supervises project-based contractor/vendor oversight

Qualifications:

- Associate or Bachelor's degree or equivalent experience in forestry, conservation biology, or related field required
- Strong verbal and public speaking skills, required
- Specific understanding of redwood forest science, climate change biology, and forest restoration methodologies desirable
- Excellent analytical and critical thinking skills required, including the ability to assemble, assess and organize data, conduct analyses, and propose clear, practical recommendations for technical issues
- Excellent writer, with proven ability to synthesize primary scientific literature and communicate important findings to a broad audience, and to tailor messages to varied audiences
- Experience with field data collection preferred
- Proficient user of Microsoft Office computer programs
- Understanding of federal, California state and/or local environmental regulatory framework is desirable
- Commitment to the League's pragmatic, non-confrontational approach to conservation
- Highly organized with excellent project management skills, including the ability to establish and monitor priorities, maintain flexibility, and meet deadlines in a fast-paced setting
- Self-starter, able to work independently as well as in a team, with a track record of collaborating successfully with others
- Ability to handle multiple complex tasks under pressure with stringent time constraints
- Demonstrated cultural competency and ability to communicate and interact effectively with people across cultures, ethnic groups, and identities; verbal and written fluency in a language other than English is desirable
- Must have a valid driver's license and safe driving record

Working Conditions

- Frequent travel, predominantly within California.
- Some weekend and evening responsibilities, including overnight trips.
- Frequently required to hike through forest land while working off-site, including walking on uneven ground, climbing over obstacles, and accessing remote locations.
- Occasionally lifts, carries, or otherwise moves and positions objects weighing up to 30 pounds.

To Be Considered

Email your resume and a [cover letter](#) addressing why you are a great fit for this role to:

Jobs@SaveTheRedwoods.org with the subject heading "Redwood Rising Forest Fellow".

NO CALLS PLEASE . . . we are busy protecting redwoods. *Thank You!*

Save the Redwoods League is an Equal Opportunity Employer and is committed to creating an environment of equity and inclusion. Recruiting and retaining a diverse workforce is a high priority; people of all identities, backgrounds, and cultures are encouraged to apply. Learn more about our [Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion](#) initiatives.