



Ngā Karahipi Uru Rākau Forestry Scholarships

Your future in forestry
starts here

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For more information about Ngā Karahipi Uru Rākau, please visit www.mpi.govt.nz/forestryscholarships, email us at MPIForestryScholarships@mpi.govt.nz or phone us on **0800 00 83 33**.

“When I first realised I got this scholarship I was stoked. I was very excited to get into the industry and into study. My iwi own forestry and I want to be able to give back to them. There are so many avenues in forestry a lot of people don't know about.”

Cole Grace, Ngāi Tahu, Ngāti Tuwharetoa, B.For.Sc



Te Uru Rākau



New Zealand Forest Service

Ki konei tīmata ai tō āpōpō i te ao ngahere

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Thinking of a career in forestry?

E whai whakaaro ana ki te mahi i te rāngai ngahere?

A Ngā Karahipi Uru Rākau (Forestry Scholarship) is your first step to a career in one of New Zealand's largest and innovative industries.

Te Uru Rākau – New Zealand Forest Service, is committed to creating greater diversity across forestry and wood-processing. In particular, we encourage Māori and those who identify as female to take up careers in forestry and help transform New Zealand's future.

Who can apply?

Ko wai e tika ana hei tonono?

We want to hear from applicants who are Māori and/or identify as female, or both, enrolling in the Diploma in Forest Management at Toi Ohomai Institute of Technology (must be a New Zealand citizen or permanent resident).

What you'll receive

Tāu ka whiwhi ai

Recipients will receive \$7000 for each year of their two-year diploma (subject to successful completion of each academic year).

The scholarship also includes a paid internship over summer of 10 weeks with Te Uru Rākau – New Zealand Forest Service, or an employer in the forestry sector.

“Forestry is so broad. You can go into basically anything. For instance, there is engineering, environmental, harvest planning, biology, business, just to name a few!”

Tessa McCarthy, B.For.Sc

“There's going to be a demand for forestry engineers and opportunities in New Zealand and around the world in the next few years. Forestry isn't just about cutting down trees. It's a massive field with almost endless opportunities for people to take, from planting trees to building roads. I appreciate the help to get a foot in the door on my chosen career path.”

Max Gomez, Ngāi Tahu, B.E.

How to apply

Me pēhea te tonono

Check out our website for more information about eligibility, and how to apply: www.mpi.govt.nz/forestryscholarships

Applications open 1 June and close 16 December 2022.

Why study forestry?

He aha te take me ako i te mahi ngahere?

By studying and choosing a career in forestry, you can:

- help New Zealand reach its **climate change goals**
- enhance and protect our country's **biodiversity**
- partner with Māori and iwi to **optimise land use** potential and outcomes
- create a **sustainable environment** for the future
- help create **new industries and technologies**
- be part of the move to building a **bioeconomy**.

“Forestry is among the most dynamic industries in New Zealand. Studying forestry allows me to develop my interests in conservation, biology, Māori land use, and innovative methods for fighting environmental degradation.”

Robyn Patient, Te Arawa (Rangiteaorere) and Ngāi Te Rangī (Ngapotiki), B.For.Sc