



FS-ACES PILOT PROGRAM OPEN POSITIONS

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Region 3 Job FS-ACES 0012 R3 Apache-Sitgreaves National Forest, Overgaard, AZ

Timber Sales Preparation Trainer

Level III

Senior Service America, Inc. is recruiting for a Silviculture Mentor position in the pilot FS-ACES Program (55 years of age or older) at the Apache-Sitgreaves National Forest in Overgaard, AZ.

Role: To provide training and coaching to Forest Service employees performing duties covering the entire array of Timber Sales Administration activities.

Responsibilities:

- Mentors and advises Timber Sale Prep and Timber Staff in the process of Gate system. Strive for completion or initiation of Task Book attached.
- Conveys knowledge of current requirements, fundamentals, and techniques of timber cruising, including 3-P, fixed plot, variable plot, and sample tree sampling designs to statistically sound cruising specifications.
- Provides guidance and advice in the review and assessment of timber sale contracts and pre-sale data to determine sufficiency and viability.
- Shadows and reviews work of Timber Sales Prep Staff.
- Trains Forest Service employees to conduct timber sales preparation activities.

Qualifications and Education Requirements: Must be able to pass a Federal Background check; Age 55+; HS diploma; 15 years of related experience; Must have previous experience in timber sales preparation including basic/advanced cruising techniques. Physical requirements include the dexterity to reach, stand, climb, move, considerable walking, stooping, bending, lifting up to 100 pounds and the ability to work outside in environmental conditions. Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential functions of this position.

Must possess:

- A valid driver's license.
- Ability to coordinate and conduct timber sale preparation duties.
- Knowledge of timber sale contracts and TIM Gate system.
- Knowledge of forestry land management theories, concepts, and practices.
- Knowledge of current FSH & FSM requirements relevant to presale practices.
- Skill in communication and interpersonal relations.

Operational Skills: Microsoft Suite (Word/Excel/Access)

Hours & Compensation: Work up to 29 hours per week. Travel required. Hourly wage rate: \$40.00

To Apply - E-mail resume to: seep_resumesmd@ssa-i.org. Subject Line of email: Please type **Timber Sales Preparation Trainer - AZ**