

FOREST OPERATIONS MANAGEMENT OPTION

This option is offered within the following major(s):

- Forestry - College of Forestry (<http://catalog.oregonstate.edu/college-departments/forestry/forest-engineering-resources-management/forestry-bs-hbs/>)

The forest operations management option focuses on the business and timber harvesting side of forestry. Students learn how to actively manage lands with an eye to economic efficiency, evolving markets and forest policy in order to provide timber and fiber for the nation and the world. The curriculum includes a traditional forestry foundation with courses in forest biology, economics, management and operations; students also earn a business minor that enhances their skills in accounting, finance, business law and organizational behavior. Graduates often become managers in growing timber companies or land managers of commercially-productive public or private lands. They work outside and with others who care about the health of our forests, economy and people.

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The Forest Operations Management option requires the completion of business courses that can be taken as a minor if the student adds the business minor.

Grade standards for the pre-major and professional major also apply to the option.

Second Year		Credits
Pre-Professional Forestry		
BA 215	¹	4
or BA 315	or ACCOUNTING FOR DECISION MAKING	
BA 230	BUSINESS LAW I ¹	4
or BA 330	or LEGAL ENVIRONMENT OF BUSINESS	
BA 260	INTRODUCTION TO ENTREPRENEURSHIP ¹	4
	Credits	12
Third Year		
Professional Forestry		
BA 351	MANAGING ORGANIZATIONS	4
BA 390	PRINCIPLES OF MARKETING	4
FE 440	FOREST OPERATIONS ANALYSIS	4
	Credits	12
Fourth Year		
BA 460	VENTURE MANAGEMENT	4
or BA 314	or SUSTAINABLE BUSINESS OPERATIONS	
FE 471	HARVESTING MANAGEMENT	3
	Credits	7
	Total Credits	31

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Required for entry into the professional program

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