



OUTREACH NOTICE Permanent Position



USDA FOREST SERVICE

Rocky Mountain Research Station (RMRS) – Forest Inventory and Analysis (FIA) Program

Interdisciplinary Social Scientist (0101); Biological Sciences (0401); Physical Sciences (1301)
GS-5/7/9
Pre-field Specialist

[Social Science Series 0101 \(opm.gov\)](https://www.opm.gov)

[General Natural Resources Management and Biological Sciences Series 0401 \(opm.gov\)](https://www.opm.gov)

[General Physical Science Series, 1301 \(opm.gov\)](https://www.opm.gov)

Please reply by August 16, 2021

The Rocky Mountain Research Station is currently outreaching for a GS-0101/0401/1301-5/7/9 Pre-field Specialist, permanent position, serving in the Station's Forest Inventory and Analysis Program, located in Ogden, UT.

The Pre-field Specialist:

This position serves as the FIA Pre-field Specialist to work closely with the Pre-field Technician, Data Collection Team Leader, the Program QA Coordinator, Area Leaders and field staff, and the Program's leadership team. This is a non-supervisory position. The incumbent will interact and collaborate with other personnel across the national FIA program and work across functional areas.

Coordinates with managers and research scientists to determine type, amount and level of information required to develop and analyze inventory information. Techniques applied may include remote sensing, image processing and analysis, forest inventory, data collection, geographic information systems (GIS), geospatial analysis, database management, database retrievals, statistical reports, and computer science. Assists with the organization and maintenance of resource information and data to facilitate analysis in relationship to strategic forest inventories. Performs multi-scale and/or multi-resource analysis in support of planning, analysis, and monitoring activities.

The RMRS-FIA Program:

The mission of the RMRS Forest Inventory and Analysis Program is to conduct and continuously update a comprehensive inventory and analysis of present and prospective conditions of the forest and rangelands of the Interior West States. This program provides foundational support for land management agencies, policymakers, the scientific community, and forest industries.

We are looking for an individual who:

- Has a strong background in technology and great organizational skills
- Has a positive customer service attitude and strong work ethic
- Is a team player who enjoys working with others to accomplish a common goal
- Enjoys a challenge, and has excellent planning and management skills
- Has the ability to cope well with changing direction, multiple priorities, and fast-paced work
- Has the ability to communicate and work well and with diverse groups of people.

If you are interested, please complete and return the attached Outreach Response Form by **August 16, 2021**, with a short description of education, experience, and other qualifications to:

Dana Lambert (supervisor), Training and QC Coordinator, dana.lambert@usda.gov or call with question 970-596-3863.

Or contact:

Maryfaith Snyder, RMRS-FIA Data Collection Team Lead, at maryfaith.snyder@usda.gov, and feel free to call at 801-725-0174 with any questions.

Position of Interest: Rocky Mountain Research Station – FIA Pre-field Specialist	
Series/Grade: GS-0101/0401/1301-5/7/9	
Location: Ogden, Utah	
Applicant Information	
Name:	E-Mail Address:
Mailing Address:	
Work Phone:	Alternate Phone:
If you are currently a government employee, agency employed with: <input type="checkbox"/> USFS <input type="checkbox"/> BLM <input type="checkbox"/> NPS <input type="checkbox"/> Other_____	
Type of Appointment: <input type="checkbox"/> Permanent <input type="checkbox"/> Temporary <input type="checkbox"/> Term <input type="checkbox"/> VRA <input type="checkbox"/> PWD <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Not Current Federal Employee	
Current Region/Forest/District:	
Current Series And Grade If Applicable:	
Current Position Title:	
Where Did You Hear About Vacancy/Outreach:	
If you are NOT a current permanent (career or career conditional) employee, are you eligible to be hired under any of the following authorities:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Reinstatement <input type="checkbox"/> Veterans Readjustment <input type="checkbox"/> Disabled Veteran with 30% Compensable Disability <input type="checkbox"/> Veteran’s Employment Opportunities Act of 1998	<input type="checkbox"/> Person with Disabilities <input type="checkbox"/> Former Peace Corps Volunteer <input type="checkbox"/> Pathways (former Student Career Experience Program) <input type="checkbox"/> Other
Additional Remarks	
Briefly explain your interest in this position. Respond by August 16, 2021 to dana.lambert@usda.gov and/or maryfaith.snyder@usda.gov	

To complete form, use tab key to move between fields (gray blocks), or left click on any field. Entries in check box fields are made by a double click to select or unselect. Type entries in other fields. Submission of this form is voluntary ~ Thanks for your interest!