



Become a Wildland Firefighter

With the Oregon Department of Forestry

West Oregon District

(Philomath, Dallas and/or Toledo Unit Offices)

Wildland Fire Suppression Specialist Entry

- Starting pay \$14.47/hour plus benefits
- Full-time, 40 hours a week plus overtime
- Seasonal employment begins June 18, 2018 and goes through the end of fire season (September/October)
- Return rights each consecutive season

No Experience Necessary

- Must be 18 years of age by June 18, 2018
- Possess a valid driver license with an acceptable driving record
- Pass the arduous Work Capacity Test (three mile hike on level terrain in 45 minutes while carrying a 45-pound pack.)

Duties include, but may not be limited to:

- Responsible for wildland fire suppression as a member of an engine crew.
- Participate in wildland fire suppression, pre-suppression, and safety activities.
- Construct fire line using hand tools or power equipment.
- Participate in mop-up duties, operate and monitor firefighting vehicles in support of wildfire suppression.
- Assist with the implementation of local fire prevention programs and public outreach in an assigned unit.
- Conduct fire patrol activities within assigned geographic area including contacts with recreational users, landowners, and the public.
- Assist with grounds and facility maintenance.
- Perform forest management tasks such as road brushing, slash pile covering and burning and pre-commercial thinning.

Please direct questions to Allison Blair

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In Person: OSU Strand Hall Room 110, Feb 15th 4-5pm

How to Apply



- Go to www.oregonjobs.org
- Select **Find and apply for jobs**
- Search for "Wildland Fire Suppression Specialist Entry (West Oregon District)" and click "Apply."
- Create a user account and complete application.
- **Apply January 8 through February 28, 2018**



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