



## Summer 2016 Internship Opportunity at the University of Alberta, Canada

Internship Title: Forest productivity (Site index) estimation for Alberta's forests

Start Date: July 15, 2016 (negotiable)

End Date: September 15, 2016

Open only to students enrolled in Forestry degree programs.

### Description:

We are examining the use of climate and ecological site data as predictors of site index of trembling aspen, lodgepole pine and white spruce, in Alberta. We are also working at refining growth intercept models that use early height growth as estimators of site index. The successful student will assist with field data collection, sample preparation, and data entry relating to this project. In addition, the student will complete a project and a small report presenting results relating to a selected aspect of this project. This internship will also include assisting with data collection relating to other growth and yield and silviculture research.

Accommodation and meal expenses are covered for all approved work outside of Edmonton.

Applications must be submitted online at:

<http://www.international.ualberta.ca/en/InternationalServices/StudentMobilityIncoming/UniversityofAlbertaResearchExperience.aspx>

Application Deadline: December 15, 2015

For additional information contact: Dr. Phil Comeau, University of Alberta, Dept. of Renewable Resources, 751 General Services Bldg., Edmonton, Alberta, Canada T6G 2H1; email: [phil.comeau@ualberta.ca](mailto:phil.comeau@ualberta.ca)