

Congratulations on your choice of post graduate education....

Most people find choosing the right career path hard. Inside knowledge of the real nature of many jobs is limited and there are so many options. This is especially true in forestry. You have taken the first step by enrolling in an undergraduate degree in forestry. Becoming a Student Member of the OPFA is the second. A clear understanding of your skills, ambitions and personality together with career options, employment prospects and other influences will all have an effect on your fulfillment and success in your career. As a Student Member of the OPFA you will have access to those already involved in professional forestry. This will give you the opportunity to begin building a network of contacts with future peers and associates and you will gain valuable information on how to plan a future as a Registered Professional Forester.

“Regulating the practice of professional forestry in Ontario in order that the public interest may be served and protected..”

Are you

1. *Interested in the environment and the sustainability of Ontario's forests?*
2. *Pursuing a career in professional forestry?*
3. *Currently enrolled in a CFAB approved undergraduate degree program in forestry?*

Then Student Membership of the Ontario Professional Foresters Association is for you. The only association that represents professional foresters in Ontario.

Become a Student Member today.

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Student Membership Application

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The Ontario Professional Foresters Association regulates the practice of professional forestry in Ontario and is the only association representing forestry professionals in this province. The over 850 members represent all facets of professional forestry practice from academics to industry, from private to Crown lands, from field work to corporate office, from government to private consulting. The OPFA mandates that members adhere to a Code of Ethics, commit to Continuing Education programs and enforce high standards of professionalism and standards of practice. Collectively, professional foresters are proud of their role in the management of Ontario's forests and are eager to welcome you into it. For this reason the OPFA has established a Student Membership.

STUDENT MEMBERSHIP IS NOW FREE !

As a student currently enrolled in an undergraduate forestry degree program you are qualified to apply for Student Membership in the OPFA.

As a Student Member of the OPFA you will :

- Receive the OPFA publication *The Professional Forester*. A quarterly newsletter designed to keep members up to date on OPFA issues, events and members.
- Be entitled to access the Members Only side of the OPFA website.
- Receive an invitation to the Annual General Meeting of the Association. This educational and social event is a great opportunity to meet professional foresters in all fields of practice in forestry. Valuable learning and resources are obtained through seminars, guest speakers and field trips.
- Have continual information on the Ontario Professional Forestry Foundation. This Foundation was established by members of the OPFA in order to assist students in their endeavor to become Registered Professional Foresters in Ontario. Annual grants and financial awards are granted through various University and OPFA programs.

STUDENT APPLICATION FORM

Yes, I wish to become a Student Member of the OPFA.

Name _____

Mailing Address _____

Email _____

Phone _____

University/Program _____

Year Enrolled

- First
- Second
- Third
- Fourth

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Date accepted: _____

Member No. _____

Signature _____

Date _____

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