Graduate Assistantship in Forest Ecology, University of Maine (pending funding): The School of Forest Resources, University of Maine, is seeking highly motivated graduate student (M.S. or Ph.D.) to participate in research addressing one or more of the following: (1) Forest stand dynamics and stand-level productivity, using long-term permanent plots and dendrochronology methods; (2) Controls over woody debris decay, moisture content, and nutrient dynamics, using field experiments.

The assistantship would provide funding at approximately $20,000/year, 50% of health insurance paid, and a tuition waiver for 19 credits/year. Operating support may also be available.

Qualifications: The ideal candidate would have solid quantitative skills, strong field and laboratory skills, and a demonstrated ability to conduct independent research. High levels of intellectual curiosity and self-motivation are essential. Position is dependent on funding availability and is open until filled. If interested, please send a CV attached to a message briefly explaining your background and research interests to shawn.fraver@maine.edu.

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