



PACIFIC FOREST TRUST
Private Forests. Public Treasures.



Forest Conservation Director

Pacific Forest Trust (PFT) delivers landscape-scale private forest conservation in the West and develops innovative incentives for forest conservation at the national level. We do so in ways that reward private landowners for managing for public benefits like clean water, a healthy climate, and abundant native wildlife. Our work boosts local economies and restores resilient forest landscapes across ownership boundaries.

PFT is recognized nationally as a leader in developing new payment systems for ecosystems services, from climate policy to carbon markets, to working forest conservation easements, watershed services, and renewable energy.

PFT has developed, acquired and stewards conservation easements on 100,000 acres of forestland in California and Oregon. We also manage 12,000 acres for timber, water and habitat values. Our projects are outstanding not only for their scale, but for their landscape impacts and high standards for delivering multiple public benefits.

Headquartered in the verdant Presidio of San Francisco, PFT is a collegial environment filled with bright minds that generate groundbreaking ideas and work hard to implement them. We offer an excellent salary and benefits package. We also understand the value of work/life balance. Learn more at <http://www.PacificForest.org>

This position offers a tremendous career opportunity for an energetic and accomplished conservation professional to lead the next generation of Pacific Forest Trust's partnerships and projects, working with our able Conservation and Stewardship staff to leverage 25 years of success.

If you –

- Have a strong track record in negotiating, financing and managing conservation easement acquisitions over at least 10 years.
- Recognize the conservation benefits of excellent forest management.
- Are committed to ensuring the permanence of conservation easement stewardship.
- Grasp the big picture and dig into the details of projects.
- Have a passion for excellence and a commitment to high standards.
- Enjoy managing a team of colleagues and partnerships with stakeholders.
- Want to make an enduring contribution to people and the planet.

If you feel this is the right job for you, send us a thoughtful letter explaining why. Tell us what you think the essential characteristics are for managing conservation projects and what your secret to success is. Also include your resume and any materials that will illustrate your accomplishments.

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