

The National Association of University Forest Resources Programs (NAUFRP) is a partnership representing scientists, educators, and extension professionals in Forestry and Natural Resources programs across 80 of the nation's most prestigious institutions. NAUFRP advances the science of forestry and natural resource management for the prosperity of rural and urban America, and the sustainability of our forest resources for water, wildlife, fish, recreation, and wood products.

From the forest to the living room floor, NAUFRP advances the health, productivity, and sustainability of America's forest resources through university-based education, research, and outreach programs. We seek multi-generational investments to grow and protect the quality and quantity of our forests and the economic and environmental benefits they offer. We do this through advocacy for stable funding and policies that support faculty and students at our Universities and Colleges.

COLLABORATION

NAUFRP universities and colleges work closely with private companies, forest landowners, Tribes, associations and NGOs, and federal, state and local governments to advance the science and practice of professional forestry and natural resource management.



About McIntire-Stennis



NAUFRP research and training is supported by the McIntire-Stennis Cooperative Forestry Research Program, which leverages state and private funding to cultivate and deliver forestry and natural resource innovations. By advancing research and education that increases understanding of emerging challenges and fosters the development of relevant solutions, the McIntire-Stennis program has ensured healthy resilient forests and communities and an exceptional workforce since 1962.

IMPACT

NAUFRP institutions prepare the next generation of professionals to manage our public and private forests and natural resources. We are the nation's primary source of trusted research and student training.



80 institutions

providing research, education, training, and outreach across the United States



9:1 leveraged

in state and private funding for every federal dollar appropriated



40.000

students (graduate and undergraduate) enrolled in forestry and related programs in 2022