



Beijing Forestry University Prospectus 2026

Discover
Your Next Chapter in
Forestry

Welcome to the School of Forestry.

OVERVIEW

Beijing Forestry University's School of Forestry boasts a research-oriented legacy spanning seven decades. Through out its illustrious history, the School has been rooted in China's forestry, ecological environment construction and sustainable development. It stands as the core base for nurturing and assembling top-tier innovative talents in the field of Forestry within China and is recognized as the national innovation center of forestry science and technology.

ACADEMICS

The first-level discipline of Forestry consistently holds the top rank in China in all previous assessments conducted by the Ministry of Education. In 2017, it secured its place as a "Double First-class" construction discipline on the national level. Currently, it is a nationally recognized first-level key discipline in Forestry (comprising three second-level national key disciplines in Forest Cultivation, Forest Manager and Forest Protection), a key discipline in soil science at the municipal level in Beijing, and a key discipline of cartography and geographic information system under the State Forestry Administration. Within the field of forestry three secondary disciplines flourish: Urban Forestry 、 Smart Forestry and Forest Science.

RESEARCH FACILITIES

The School boasts state-of-the-art facilities for teaching and research. It houses 3 key and open laboratories co-established with the Beijing Ministry of Education, The Laboratory of Forest Cultivation and Ecosystem Research in Arid and Semi-Arid Areas, the Laboratory of Forest Resources and Environmental Management and the Laboratory of Forest Protection Science. Additionally, there are 2 municipal-level key laboratories: the Beijing Key Laboratory of Forest Pest Control and the Beijing Key Laboratory of Precision Forestry. Furthermore, the college has 5 scientific research institutions, including the Mapping and 3S Technology Center, Urban Forestry Research Center, Blueberry Research and Development Center, Forestry Climate Change Research Institute, and Forestry Biomass Energy Research Institute.

How will we help you acquire the skills you'll need?

STUDENTS AND STUDY

Tailoring our education to meet individual student needs and backgrounds, the School of Forestry is dedicated to nurturing high-level, application-oriented and compound forestry professionals. Our students gain a solid foundation in forestry, comprehensive professional knowledge, mastery of modern forestry technology, fundamental research skills, and robust practical capabilities. The school is a dynamic hub of activities, offering field trips, a lively student society, and an international summer program in collaboration with the University of British Columbia, Canada.

FIELD TRIPS

Field trips constitute an integral component of our core courses. We have numerous domestic plantations and native forest areas used for teaching and research. Our students gain hands-on experience in various forest farm bases, benefiting from the rich plant diversity in China. Observation and research stations in Taiyue Mountain, Shanxi, and Qilaotu Mountain serve as pivotal research centers. Furthermore, practical courses and activities are conducted at Changbai Mountain Base, the Southern Base of Fujian Sanming, and The Northern Base of Pingquan. These stations and bases provide an ideal setting for the study of native forests spanning five temperature zones.

CAREERS AND OPPORTUNITIES

Forestry has long played a pivotal role in the economy, but we are seeing a growing awareness of the multifaceted roles that forests play, given that their environmental and social significance. The School offers an array of engaging and diverse courses, encompassing subjects ranging from the sciences to policies. The diverse curriculum equips you with a broad spectrum of career prospects. Knowledgeable foresters and resource management professionals are in demand worldwide.

We eagerly anticipate your growth and development with us in 2024!

PROGRAMS OFFERED IN ENGLISH

The School of Forestry at Beijing Forestry University offers the following degree programs taught in English :

- Master's in Forestry (Professional Degree)
- Ph.D. in Forestry

Graduate Degree Requirements

- Master's Degree in Forestry (Professional Degree)

Duration: 3 years

Requirements: Completion of a thesis and earning 25.5 credits in total. This includes 21.5 credits of course study and 4 credits from compulsory courses. Within the course study, there is a requirement of 16 credits for degree-specific courses, and the course study must be completed within one academic year.

- Ph.D. Degree in Forestry

Duration: 4 years

Requirements: Completion of a dissertation and earning a total of 22.5 credits. This includes 13.5 credits from coursework and 9 credits from required courses. Within the course study, there is a requirement of 12 credits for degree-specific courses, and the course study must be completed within one academic year.

RESEARCH DIRECTIONS

forest cultivation, forest conservation, forest management, forestry, forest soil science, urban forestry.

Examples of Courses Offered at the Postgraduate Level

- Forest Ecology
- Special Topics of Silviculture
- Sustainable Forest Management
- Forest Pest Control
- Global Ecology
- Forestry Technology Frontier
- Invasion Biology
- Remote Sensing Technology and Application
- Advanced Forestry Ecology
- Molecular Plant Pathology
- Urban Forestry Research

AVAILABLE SCHOLARSHIP TYPES

Check out the full range of scholarships and assess your eligibility to apply. english.bjfu.edu.cn/ic.bjfu.edu.cn

- Chinese Government Scholarship (CGS)

- Beijing Government Scholarship (BGS)

STARTING AT BFU

01 Find Your Program and Review the Admission Requirements

Check your eligibility and find the best program for you.

02 Submit Your Application Form and Required Documentation

Complete your admission application form and select your scholarship application intention in the [BFU International Application Portal](http://bjfu.at0086.cn/student) (bjfu.at0086.cn/student). Submit your application materials as well.

03 First Round of Application Review

You may be requested to resubmit your application if your supporting documents need to be updated.

04 Complete Your Application Fee Payment

The application fee needs to be successfully paid after the first round of review.

05 Second Round Application Review

Your application will be reviewed by distinguished committees of the schools at Beijing Forestry University.

06 Wait to Hear from Us

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Application Related Questions

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