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Forest Technology

Associate in Applied Science Degree

Why Forest Technology?

Forest Technology can provide students with knowledge in field management, wildland and rural fire control, forestry field methods, and agricultural technology. Forest Technology is a broad field that can lead to many different career paths, including education, wildlife biology, environmental science, and conservation. The forest technology degree is developed to provide students to be technically-prepared, career ready graduates in forest technology.

Why Bay College?

The Forest Technology program at Bay College provides a solid foundation for further study in a more specialized area. Upon completion, students would also receive a Certificate in Forest Technology through Michigan State University. Students will benefit from dual enrollment at both institutions with all courses delivered at the Escanaba campus. This partnership allows students to earn an associate degree from Bay College and a certificate from the Michigan State University Institute of Agricultural Technology (IAT). The program goal is to engage students in intensive and practical skill development that will serve to address the changing needs of forestry practice and to train the upcoming generation of forestry professionals.

Beyond Bay College

Students interested in transferring to a four-year institution to obtain a bachelor's degree or higher may find opportunities in the following areas of study:

- Forestry
- Natural Resources Management and Conservation
- Biological Sciences or Chemistry