

Managing Partners

Southern Research Station (Nelson, Director)

UK Forestry (Baker, Co-Director)

KY Division Forestry (MacSwords)

Management Team²

Director, Co-Director, ⁵Endowed Chair (Ph.D.) of Tree Genetics, BST, SST, OET Leaders

Two rotating Dept. Chairs from Administrative Leadership Group

Administrative Leadership Group¹

Entomology

Horticulture

Plant Pathology

Plant & Soils Sciences

Rural Sociology

Others added as needed

Biological Sciences Team (BST)

⁴Tree Transgenic Biologist or Molecular Geneticist (Ph.D.)

Bio-informaticist (Ph.D.)

Tree Physiologist (Ph.D.)

Tree Breeder (M.S.)

Research Technician (M.S.)

⁶Landscape Ecologist (Ph.D.)

Other cooperating faculty/staff

Social Sciences Team (SST)

Natural Resources Economics and Policy Specialist (Ph.D.)

Research Technician (M.S.)

Other cooperating faculty/staff

Outreach-Education Team (OET)

Forest Health Specialist (Ph.D.)

Natural Resources/Forest Sociologist (Ph.D.)

Forest Health Education/Communications Specialist (M.S.)

Educational Assistant/Information Specialist (M.S.)

Other cooperating faculty/staff

FHREC

Advisory Board³

(Chaired by State Forester)

KY Forest Industries Association

KY Woodland Owners' Association

The American Chestnut Foundation

KY Association of Consulting Foresters

Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government

many others added as needed

1 Chaired by Director and Co-Director of FHREC, comprised of administrative representatives of all involved departments, can be added to as needed.

2 Southern Research Station and UK Dept of Forestry representatives (Director & Co-Director), team leaders for Biological Sciences Team (BST), Social Sciences Team (SST), Outreach & Education Team (OET), and 2 Department Chairs (or representatives) from related UK departments.

3 Chaired by a regional State Forester, currently Leah MacSwords from KY. Involves representative from all stakeholder groups and can be added to as needed.

4 Requested positions are in bold. Two of the requested Ph.D. positions will be funded by USDA FS SRS.

5 Endowed scientist funded by private industry/sources.

6 Existing Landscape Ecologist funded by UK.

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Management Teams²
Director (Nelson), Co-Director (Baker), BST, SST, OET
Leaders (Abbott, Stainback, Stringer)
2 rotating Dept. Chairs (Schardl, Pfeiffer)

Administrative Leadership Group¹

- Entomology
- Horticulture
- Plant Pathology
- Plant & Soils Sciences
- Rural Sociology
- Others

Biological Sciences Team

- B. Abbott
- L. Rieske-Kinney
- M. Farman
- H. Zhu
- S. Debolt
- M. Staton
- S. Schlarbaum

Social Sciences Team

- A. Stainback
- T. Holmes
- J. Scheiffer
- X. Li
- P. Dividi
- C. Gazel
- J. Prestamon
- T. Ochuodho

Outreach-Education Team

- J. Stringer
- B. Lee
- B. Fountain
- N. Ward
- J. Thompson
- J. Collins

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