



# CALIFORNIA CONSERVATION CORPS—U.S. FOREST SERVICE



## Are you a veteran 18-25 years of age?

### Are You Interested in Work Experience and Wildland Fire Training?

#### The Position:

The CCC is inviting veterans to apply for an exciting opportunity that combines hands-on work experience and skills training in partnership with the U.S. Forest Service (USFS).

Successful candidates will be enrolled in the CCC Veterans Program full-time and receive USFS training in wildland firefighting, chainsaw, tool use, safety, and crew organization. Veterans will work on fuel reduction, forestry and wildfire education projects.

Participants who complete this program may be eligible for the USFS Wildland Firefighter Apprenticeship Program. Successful participation may lead to full-time positions with the USFS.

#### Qualifications:

- Honorable Discharge, or General Discharge under Honorable Conditions (Provide DD214)
- 18-25 years of age
- Not on formal probation or parole
- No conviction for violent offenses or drug crimes
- Able to pass background check, drug test, physical exam and training
- Willing to work outdoors in all types of weather and conditions
- Willing to respond to emergencies
- Willing to participate in education programs



*"It's like the Army in some ways. You're working for something bigger than yourself. There's a purpose to it, and I like working with people who have a passion for what they do."*  
Veteran Corpsmember

#### Pay and Benefits:

Living stipend, basic health insurance and more!  
Uniforms, safety gear and tools are provided.

#### Locations & How to Apply:

##### Lake Tahoe & Auburn Residential Program:

Participants will live and work from the CCC's residential center in Lake Tahoe or Auburn. Some projects will require 10-day camping /work stints away from the center.

##### San Diego & San Bernardino Non-residential:

Participants will live at home and commute to the CCC site in North County or San Bernardino. The crew will be transported to/from the work site in the Cleveland National Forest or San Bernardino/Angeles National Forest.

#### To apply, contact Edgar Lino

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**Applications being accepted now!**

*Women are encouraged to apply*

**Continuous Recruitment**