



Forest Utilization Research (FUR) Program

The duty of the Experiment Station of the University of Idaho's College of Natural Resources is to institute and conduct investigations and research into the forestry, wildlife and range problems of the lands within the state. Such problems specifically include forest and timber growing, timber products marketing, seed and nursery stock production, game and other wildlife, and forage and range resources. Information resulting from cooperative investigation and research, including continuing inquiry into public policy issues pertinent to resource and land use questions of general interest to the people of Idaho.

University of Idaho Policy Analysis Group

The Policy Analysis Group (PAG) provides a program of continuing inquiry into public policy issues in order to provide timely, scientific and objective data and analysis pertinent to such resource and land use questions which are of general interest to the people of Idaho.

University of Idaho Forest Nursery

The nursery's research program improves all aspects of forest regeneration. FUR supports the nursery's capability to expand into rangeland restoration and rehabilitation research, benefiting landowners in southern Idaho. The nursery works with private industry, non-industrial private forestland owners and public agencies to improve forest and rangeland regeneration practices.

University of Idaho Experimental Forest

The Experimental Forest consists of 10,295 acres, with most of the land on Moscow Mountain in Latah County, plus parcels in Valley County (1,650 acres) and Kootenai County (398 acres). FUR program funds are used to maintain these lands and facilitate a variety of opportunities on the forest for education, demonstration, research and outreach.

University of Idaho Rangeland Center

The Rangeland Center empowers researchers and educators at the University of Idaho who strive to create insight and foster understanding for the stewardship of rangelands. Its innovative design promotes active partnerships with individuals, organizations and communities who work and live on Idaho's vast landscapes. The Center focuses research and education to produce solutions that are responsive and relevant to contemporary rangeland issues.

University of Idaho Wildland Fire Program

For more than 30 years, the College of Natural Resources has been a leader in wildland fire education, research and outreach. Faculty and staff scientists solve real-world wildland fire issues. CNR offers more courses focused on fire than any other natural resources school in the country. The program also delivers a comprehensive suite of online courses for wildfire professionals in Idaho and around the world.