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### **OPPORTUNITY SCHOLARSHIP AND INTERNSHIP ANNOUNCEMENT**

(July 20, 2021 – SEATTLE) Green Diamond Resource Company officials recently announced recipients of the company’s Opportunity Internship and Scholarship program. “Our goal is to provide opportunities for students with diverse backgrounds and experience to get to know our company and our industry,” explained Doug Reed, president of Green Diamond. He added: “At the same time, we hope to enrich our company with new perspectives.”

At Green Diamond’s Northwest Operations based in Shelton, Wash.:

- Cora Rivers is a forestry intern. She is a student at University of Montana, studying resource conservation and forestry.
- Aidan Dickerson is a timber cruising intern. He attends Washington State University, studying forestry.
- Natalie Peterson is a second-year forest engineering intern. She is a student at Grays Harbor College and studies forestry.

Claire Smith is an environmental management and protection student at California State University in San Luis Obispo. She is currently a natural resources intern at Green Diamond’s Klamath Falls location in Oregon.

At Green Diamond’s California Operations based in Korb, Calif.:

- Isaac Lang is a natural resources intern who is studying forestry at College of the Redwoods.
- Jack Ortega attends California State University in San Luis Obispo, where he is studying forestry and natural resources, with a concentration in wildland fire and fuel management. He is a natural resources intern.

The Opportunity program is geared toward students pursuing academic degrees in forestry and other natural resources programs. Recognizing that the rural nature of forestry operations can isolate wood products career pathways from students of diverse backgrounds, Green Diamond started the Opportunity Internship and Scholarship

program in 2017. Diversity including ethnicity, gender, geographic background and other factors are considered in selecting current college students for paid internships in Green Diamond operations in Klamath Falls, Oregon; Korb, California; and Shelton, Washington. At completion of a successful quarter-long internship, students may also be eligible for scholarships up to \$3,000.

*Green Diamond Resource Company is a privately held forest products company with roots dating back to 1890. Today, the company owns working forest lands in Washington, Oregon, California and Montana. A subsidiary, Green Diamond Management Company, provides forest management services in the U.S. South and West. All lands owned and managed by Green Diamond are independently audited and certified for sustainable forest management. More information about Green Diamond's environmental leadership may be found at [www.greendiamond.com](http://www.greendiamond.com).*

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