

# ABCFP Bylaws

*Practice Areas*




# Why Practice Areas ?



- forestry is a multidisciplinary evolving profession
- publicly available register (PGA s 31)
- support competence with effective Continuous Professional Development, Practice Advisory and Audits
- communicate about the work of forest professionals
- locate peers and mentors



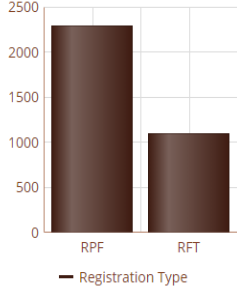
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## ABCFP Practice Dashboard

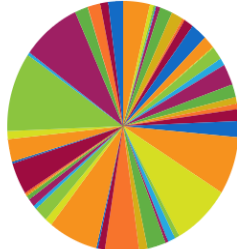
<b>Total Practicing Registrants</b> 3,773	<b>89%</b> RPFs with PA info out of total practicing RPFs 2,285	<b>Total Practice Area 1 submissions</b> 3,377
<b>Total Practicing RPFs</b> 2,564	<b>90%</b> RFTs with PA info out of Total Practicing RFTs 1,089	<b>Total Practice Area 2 Submission</b> 2,728
<b>Total Practicing RFTs</b> 1,206	<b>Associate with identified PA</b> <1% 37	<b>Total Practice Area 3 Submissions</b> 2,046
<b>Total Associate Registrants</b> 49	<b>Temporary with identified PA</b> 0	<b>Total All three Practice Areas Submissions</b> 2,046
<b>Total Temporary Registrants</b> 0		<b>7%</b> PA as "Other" 252

### Practice Area Data Submissions by Registration Type



Registration Type	Submissions
RPF	~2300
RFT	~1100

### Practice Area 1 Analysis



# Practice Areas



Practice Area	Number
Silviculture	692
Forest Harvest Planning	523
Forest Harvest Operations Management and Oversight	442
Forest Roads and Transportation	382
Forest Tenure, Licence, Permits and Authorization	378
Forest Measurements (timber cruising, surveys)	233
Forest Resources Contract Management and Administration	225
Supervising, Directing and Advising Forest Plans, Practices and Professionals	214
Forest Ecosystem Assessment, Planning and Stewardship	208
Small Scale Forest Management	198
Timber Pricing and Appraisals	190
Stand Level Forest Planning and Management (Site Plans)	181
Landscape Level Strategic Forest Planning and Management	179
Wildfire and Forest Fuel Planning and Management	159
Forest Legislation and Policy Development and Administration	140
Indigenous Forest Management	131
Forest Inventory and Analysis	124
Forest Geographic Information Systems and Mapping	105
Timber and Forest Land Valuation	94
Auditing, Inspecting, Monitoring and Verifying Forest Operations, Plans and Practices	87
Forest Certification	82
Forest Education and Training	80
Forest/Watershed Level Planning and Management	77
Forest Health Damage and Invasive Species	69
Urban Forest Management	64
Forest Research and Climate Change Adaptation	57
Compliance and Enforcement in Forest Management	52
Wildfire Rehabilitation Management and Assessment	50
Growth and Yield	41
Forest Conservation	36
Tree Seed and Seedling Planning and Production	29
Forest Recreation Planning and Management	28
Visual Resource Management of Forests	25
Tree Improvement/Genetics	13
International and Interprovincial Forestry	7

# Bylaws and Practice Areas

- Bylaw 5 Registration (5-5 Practicing RFT registrants)  
... may provide a service that is included in forestry reserved practice within the following general practice areas...forest measurements, silviculture, forest operations, forest protection
- Bylaw 5 Registration (5-15 Renewal)  
...must deliver on or before November 30 of each year... a completed self-assessment declaration which must include a statement of the registrant's declared practice area or areas
- Bylaw 11 Audit and Practice Review (11-4 selection of registrants for audit)  
...may provide for the routine or random selection of registrants in identified practice areas, providing identified professional services, in identified geographic areas...
- Bylaw 13 Public Disclosure (13-2 Online register)  
the register on the ABCFP's website must include the person's declared practice area or areas

