



GEORGIA MASTER TIMBER HARVESTER (MTH) Transfer Application

I understand the GA-MTH renewal requirements and affirm the accuracy of the information provided:

Signature *Date*

CONTACT INFORMATION

Full Name: _____ Preferred Name: _____
 First Middle Last Name you go by

Company: _____ Title: _____

Mailing Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

County: _____ Phone 1: (____) _____ - _____ Phone 2: (____) _____ - _____

E-mail: _____

CATEGORY

Please check the category that most applies to you:

- Logging Business Owner Logging Business Employee Timber Buyer
- Forester Other (*please specify category & job title*): _____

EDUCATION

- 1) I am currently active in the (state): _____ logger education program, ID number (member#, etc.) is: _____
- 2) You are required to complete Georgia BMP training before transferring- please indicate preference:
 - GA-MTH In Person Intro Workshop in Forsyth GA (only offered twice a year)
 - GA-MTH Virtual Intro Workshop BMP Training

Send your transfer paperwork & \$50 fee by one of two ways:

- E-mail all required documentation as a single pdf to gamth@uga.edu with the subject "MTH Transfer" and we will email you an online fee payment link

or

- Mail application and a \$50 check/money order to:

***Master Timber Harvester Program
Warnell School of Forestry & Natural Resources
The University of Georgia
Athens, GA 30602-2152***

OFFICE USE
Check#/Marketplace #:
Admin App Exp:
GA BMP Training Option:



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Transfer Application Instructions

1. Fill in complete information at the top—including middle name or initial—company and contact info and occupation/business category.
2. Indicate how you prefer to complete the Georgia Forestry Best Management Practices training (virtual training is offered January-November, In person Intro Workshops are offered twice a year.
3. Enclose the transfer fee and mail to the address at the bottom left-hand corner of the form or email the application and we will send you a payment link.

Additional Transfer Guidance

Transfer Requirements: An individual may be designated as a GA-MTH participant provided they satisfy the following three criteria. The individual:

1. ...is already designated **active** (or equivalent) in a comparable state logger education program, provided that the state operates under an approved MOU with SFI, Incorporated.
2. ...successfully completes training consistent with the GA-MTH introductory workshop BMP component within the year before applying for GA-MTH designation.
3. ...submits the appropriate application form, supporting documentation, and fee.

Renewal Period: Upon approval, the newly designated GA-MTH participant will have an initial expiration date of December 31st of the following year & will be required to renew annually. The standard continuing education renewal requirements will apply for any accepted transferee, i.e., requisite 4 hours of approved continuing education, 1 in Category A (BMP Training), et cetera.

Audit: Renewal applications will be randomly selected to confirm satisfactory completion of continuing education claimed. For this reason, we recommend that you keep original documentation for at least two years for any completed training you claimed on your renewal application.

Questions? Please refer to our website (GAMTH.ORG) for additional program guidance, other forms, and answers to frequently asked questions. If you don't find what you need there, you may contact our office by email (gamth@uga.edu) or leave a phone message at 706-542-7691.