



# Diplomas in Forestry

## Waiariki now has three Diplomas in Forestry Operations and Forest Management starting Semester 1, 2011!

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| Diploma in Forestry Operations (Level 5)                        | National Diploma in Forestry (Operations Management) (Level 5)         | Diploma in Forest Management (Level 6)                           |
| 1 year full time;<br>Students must pass a total of 120 credits. | 18 months full time;<br>Students must pass a total of 208 NZQA credits | 2 years full time;<br>Students must pass a total of 240 credits. |

### Graduates will be able to:

- understand the full range of operations undertaken in commercial forestry, including establishment and tending of forests, and the production and distribution of log products;
- use the most up-to-date planning tools and technology including Geographic Information Systems and the Global Positioning System;
- plan and manage operations in a commercial plantation forest on a sustainable basis;
- meet the objectives of the forest owner;
- demonstrate leadership skills of effective communication, team building and conflict resolution in the workplace; and
- apply knowledge of financial management systems in commercial forestry.



#### **Student Profile: Harpreet Singh**

**Qualification :** National Diploma in Forestry (Forest Management) L6

**Current employer:** Interpine Forestry Ltd

**Current role:** Forestry Technician

**Job description:** Data collection and analysis, valuation

**Future study goals:** Bachelor of Applied Management (Forest Management)

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