

**RESUME**  
**Peter C. Griessmann**

**KEY QUALIFICATIONS:**

Peter C. Griessmann is currently Project Associate for International Programs/Research and Development, Washington State University. He previously served as a Washington State University area extension agent with responsibilities for forestry education and development for Washington State University cooperative Extension in Ferry, Pend Oreille, Spokane, and Stevens counties. He had previous experience as a research assistant, teaching assistant, forestry technician, and extension forester at Ohio State University, Oregon State University, and Albert-Ludwig University in Freiburg, Germany. He served as a forestry technician for Starker Forests, Inc., a Corvallis, Oregon private forestry firm. Mr. Griessmann has broad experience in forestry ranging from research on forestry die-back, developing and presenting educational materials on forest production on public and private lands, the use of controlled fire and herbicides. He also has experience in the collection and analysis of field data related to growth biomass, herbicide efficacy, and computer management programs. He provides forest landowners with educational programs utilizing mass media, distance delivery and other technologies to support such programs. He conducts research that supports value-added forest and wood products. His educational programs emphasize private forest landowners, forest operators, and forestry consultants. He provides leadership and inter-agency coordination for forest-based practices to private landowners. In addition to his continuing education programs, he conducts applied research and communicates and supplies practical information to forest owners for sustainable forestry.

**EDUCATION:**

1988            Master of Forestry, Silviculture. Oregon State University, Corvallis, Oregon.  
1986            Bachelor of Science, Forest Management. Oregon State University, Corvallis, Oregon.

**EMPLOYMENT:**

2006-present    Project Associate, International Programs/Research & Development, Washington State University. Provides leadership for Central and South American programs.

1991-2005        Area Extension Agent, Natural Resources, Cooperative Extension, Washington State University, Ferry, Pend Oreille, Spokane and Stevens Counties. Structure forestry education programs for private forest landowners, forest operators and forestry consultants. Provide program leadership and interagency coordination for current forest-based practices on private landholdings. Research, communicate and apply practical natural resource research data.

1988-1991        Extension Forester, Ohio State University, Vinton and Jackson Counties, Piketon Research and Extension Center. Provide forest landowner educational programs. Utilize mass media to promote forest educational workshops. Research and promote value-added forest and wood products.

1987-1988        Research Assistant, Oregon State University. Collect and formulate field data for growth biomass model. Research and compile herbicide efficacy data for computer vegetation management program (two 5-month appointments).

- 1986 Forestry Technician, Starker Forests Inc., Corvallis, Oregon (temporary summer). Applied forest stand treatments to industrial forest land. Extensive use of controlled fire, herbicides, power equipment and survey techniques.
- 1985-1986 Teaching Assistant, Department of Forestry, Oregon State University (9-month appointments). Develop and teach class and lab sessions. Supervise lab crews of 40 to 80 students on field studies and projects.
- 1985 Research Assistant, Albert-Ludwig University, Freiburg, West-Germany (temporary summer). Assist with viral forest die-back research. Assist lab technicians in grafting diseased cuttings to healthy seedlings. Gather forest die-back data for private logging company. Learned German logging methods and forest management techniques.
- 1983 Farm Assistant, Private farm of Heinrich-Schulte Hoelting; West-Germany (temporary summer). Conduct timber stand thinning, tree removal and routine farm field work. Learned German farming and logging methods.

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