

# THE Owen Fellowship

OF THE LONGLEAF ALLIANCE

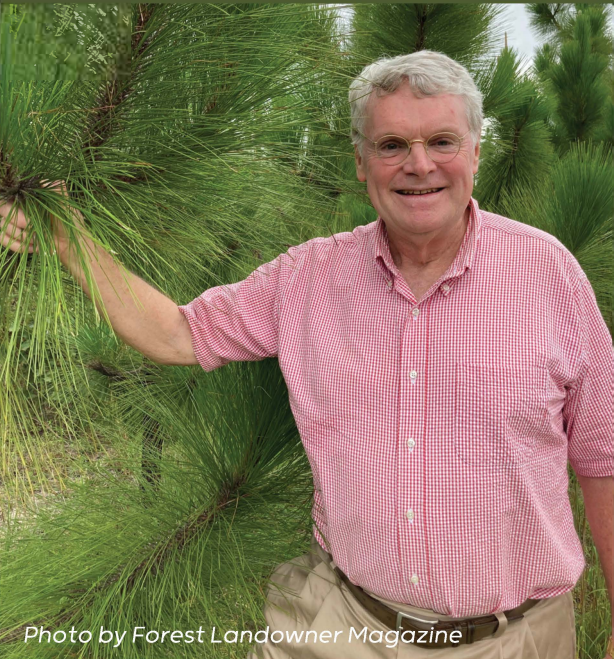


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*"I'm obviously passionate about longleaf but am also passionate about education. I decided to combine these two with a bequest to The Longleaf Alliance to endow a scholarship for advanced studies in the longleaf ecosystem." Bill Owen*

The Owen Fellowship of The Long leaf Alliance is an exciting program we are proud to offer in conjunction with the Biennial Longleaf Conference.

The Fellowship award will be given to a graduate student in the amount of \$20,000. The recipient will attend the Biennial Longleaf Conference in year one, submit an article for publication in *The Longleaf Leader* quarterly magazine, and present research at the Biennial Longleaf Conference at conclusion of the Fellowship.

Dr. William 'Bill' Owen is a professional musician, educator, and landowner in Virginia. Through his work on the Board of Directors of The Longleaf Alliance, he was inspired to endow a fellowship for advanced studies and research in the longleaf pine ecosystem. He hopes The Owen Fellowship will encourage the next generation of longleaf leaders. We expect all applicants to be official members of The Longleaf Alliance (\$25 student rate).

**\*For questions about the fellowship, contact Lynnsey Basala, Vice President for Development, at [lynnsey@longleafalliance.org](mailto:lynnsey@longleafalliance.org)**

