



Wetland Science Practitioner

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Ecofor Consulting Ltd. is a natural and cultural heritage resource management company with a team of over 50 professional and technical employees. Ecofor has offices in Fort St. James, Fort St. John, Prince George, Calgary, Edmonton and Whitehorse. We provide expertise in a broad range of disciplines including fisheries and aquatics, wildlife, vegetation and riparian, soils and terrain, hydrology, reclamation and enhancement, environmental monitoring, environmental assessment, contaminated sites, land use planning, archaeology, traditional land use, traditional ecological knowledge, heritage consultation, and socio-economic assessment.

Ecofor is currently seeking a qualified **Wetland Science Practitioner** to join our team in Alberta.

Key Responsibilities:

- Conduct wetland assessments and permitting under the new Alberta Wetland Policy for transportation and oil and gas industry projects;
- Conduct field surveys and other work for water quality, fish, birds, plants, wetlands, soils, and/or at-risk species;
- Environmental monitoring on construction projects (including turbidity monitoring, fish salvage, soil characterization, spill preparedness, erosion and sediment control, noxious weeds, etc.); and,
- Contribute to environmental impact assessments, mitigation plans and proposals, including writing discipline sections of Environmental and Socio-Economic Assessments and other reports.

The key to this position is qualification as a wetland science practitioner in Alberta.

Required Competencies:

- Professional Biologist status with the Alberta Society of Professional Biologists, or another of the "PRO-10" wetland practitioner professions, for a minimum of 3 years;
- Experience in preparing Wetland Assessment and Impact Reports (WAIR) and performing field work using the ABWRET-A Tool; qualified as an Qualified Wetland Science Practitioner (QWSP);
- Excellent writing and communication skills, desire to grow business;
- Valid driver's license; and
- Ability and desire to work in a strong safety culture.

Desired Qualifications:

- Knowledge and experience in plant identification and in construction environmental monitoring; and
- Experience and qualifications as a QAES conducting watercourse assessments and recommending mitigation measures for in-stream works.

Please send your resume and cover letter to: careers@ecofor.ca by **April 20, 2017**. Please include the **Job ID number you are applying for in your cover letter/ resume**. We wish to thank everyone for their interest in Ecofor; however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

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