

WE'RE HIRING

SENIOR ENVIRONMENTAL CONSULTANT / SENIOR FISHERIES BIOLOGIST

Science Practices Department

Fort St. John, BC

We are looking for a **Senior Environmental Consultant / Senior Fisheries Biologist** to join our team of experienced and skilled professionals based in Fort St. John. We provide a safe, supportive, and engaging culture that is based on innovation, collaboration, and integrity. This opportunity will allow you to apply the latest scientific approaches and gain analytical skills, to realize your career potential. Our compensation plan is competitive with great opportunities for growth and advancement through mentorship, training, and other professional development opportunities.

The successful candidate will be welcomed into an exceptional team of professionals working across Canada that are dedicated to science-based, ethical environmental consulting practices, and collaborating on fascinating and challenging projects. This role will be responsible for:

- Providing leadership to a dynamic and inclusive workplace with high performing teams.
- Ensuring our clients' needs are consistently met and delivered while maintaining scientific excellence.
- Growing our services offered within Fort St. John by enhancing our current client relationships and developing new clients.
- Leading the design, planning, and execution of ecological studies focused on fisheries and aquatic resources, but also including water quality, climate, and other environmental information.



- Oversight of environmental projects including environmental assessments and environmental compliance monitoring.
- Summarizing and analyzing data to draw conclusions on environmental conditions and using these results with inference to scientific literature to make defensible conclusions about the status of the environment and the potential effects of anticipated natural and anthropogenic influences.
- Documenting these results in written reports and presenting the results to clients, regulators, Indigenous groups, and stakeholders as part of regulatory and approval processes.
- Leading interdisciplinary project teams, taking the lead on specific tasks, taking direction, and collaborating with your colleagues to maximize work productivity and quality.

Fort St John is the northern hub (largest city in Northeastern BC) for many natural resource developments in BC, the Yukon, and Alberta and provides an opportunity to work on interesting projects in different ecological settings. Fort St John is also a gateway to fantastic recreational opportunities due in part to the diverse Peace River landscape from the northern BC Rockies, Rocky Mountain foothills and prairie-like settings.



QUALIFICATIONS AND SKILLS:

If you have the following skills and qualifications and are looking for an exciting and challenging opportunity, we would like to hear from you.

- Minimum of a bachelor's degree in biology (environmental-related engineering or science discipline also considered), M.Sc. or Ph.D. is considered an asset. Education preferably combined with a professional designation (R.P.Bio., P.Geo., P.Ag., or P.Eng. preferred).
- 10+ years of work experience in a consulting environment.
- Experience leading and mentoring a team of intermediate and junior scientists.
- Experience with major projects (e.g., BC EAO-certified), and provincial and federal permitting.
- Effective analytical and technical writing skills.
- Excellent time management, organizational and multi-tasking skills.
- Thrive in a fast-paced, dynamic business driven by deadlines, budgets, and high-quality standards.
- Strong attention to detail with a commitment to quality, excellence, and ethics.
- Strong computer skills including MS Office Suite.

Apply Now!

Interested applicants can send a resume and cover letter that clearly identifies their experience to apply@ecofishresearch.com. **Applications will be accepted until the role is filled.** Only those applicants that are selected for an interview will be contacted. No phone calls please.

