

Sr. Ecological Risk Assessor

Job Profile:

As a highly motivated individual with excellent technical and communication skills, you will work with a talented team of professionals to deliver superior service to your clients. This will include providing senior technical advice for completion of all aspects of Ecological Risk Assessment projects from oversight of study designs, mentoring technical staff on the art and science of risk assessment, to participation in business development, client liaison, and regulatory liaison related to risk assessment.

The successful candidate will work on a variety of technically challenging projects throughout Canada and internationally, and play a key role in the growth and development of the company.

Responsibilities

In this role you will be accountable to clients and colleagues for the technical quality of your work, meeting project budgets and schedules and the effective management of clients and staff. It is expected that you will successfully:

- Service existing clients, and identify and procure new business opportunities;
- Contribute your technical expertise to the development and/or implementation of multi-disciplinary ecological studies with your colleagues;
- Manage projects of all sizes, including client liaison, data collation, site assessment, risk analysis, preparation of technical reports, technical related modeling exercises, and budget and time management; and
- Manage technical staff resources as appropriate.

In return you will be provided a working environment that will encourage you to use the talents you have developed over the past 10 years (or more) as an Ecological Risk Assessor and as a contributor to a successful business.

Qualifications:

- Advanced Degree(s) in science or engineering (M.Sc. or Ph.D.)
- Minimum 10 years experience within a related field
- Self-starter with a desire to be part of a growing business enterprise
- Experience in conducting all aspects of ecological risk assessment methodologies – experience performing independent analysis and problem solving
- Demonstrated professional judgement, consistency, and attention to detail as well as a track record of quality work products
- Demonstrated experience working successfully in a team environment
- Strong leadership and people skills
- Strong consultant experience (preferred)
- Experience in risk assessment in the Nuclear field would be an asset
- Strong oral and written communication skills;
- Experience preparing reports that demonstrate technical excellence and understanding of the issues and concerns

- Proven results on delivery of performance objectives and targets
- Proven ability to develop study designs to meet project, regulatory, and client objectives - understanding of pertinent Canadian regulations as well as working knowledge of Canadian and US risk assessment information sources and guidelines
- Ability to balance new business development with existing client relationship management
- Ability to attract, mentor and retain junior and intermediate staff
- Uncompromised integrity; technical excellence; role model for others
- Proven experience in conflict resolution skills and effective negotiating skills
- Ability to work independently on multiple projects, comfortably making rational decisions which directly impact company revenue and customer service