



Where ideas work

## Ministry of Land, Water and Resource Stewardship

This position may be performed in other approved locations within the Province of BC. For specific information about a location, applicants must contact the Hiring Manager to confirm if working from that location could be considered.

### Environmental Flow Needs Specialist

**\$72,724.97 - \$83,014.85 annually plus 3.3% Temporary Market Adjustment**

The Aquatic Ecosystems Branch of the Ministry of Land, Water and Resource Stewardship leads the development of strategic conservation policy, science, and assessments for native aquatic species and aquatic ecosystems. Within the Branch, the Aquatic Conservation Science Section leads conservation science and research initiatives that improve the collective understanding of our province's species and ecosystems, their status, and threats.

This position provides aquatic specialist expertise focused on the annual and seasonal flow needs of freshwater ecosystems and biological communities, with an emphasis on fish friendly flows. The incumbent will work with provincial government partners, as well as partners from other governments (federal, First Nation and others as appropriate) on assessments and advice to support the provision and maintenance of fish friendly flows within the framework of natural resource management.

#### Qualifications for this role include:

- PhD in biological sciences, natural resource management, or equivalent and 2 years of related experience\*. Preference may be given to applicants with this combination, OR
- Masters in biological sciences, natural resource management, or equivalent and 3 years of related experience\*, OR
- Undergraduate Degree in biological sciences, natural resource management, or equivalent and 4 years of related experience.
- Preference may be given to applicants with education and/or experience in conservation biology, aquatic ecology, and/or hydrology.
- Registered (or immediately eligible\*\*) as a Registered Professional Biologist (RP Bio) in B.C. with the College of Applied Biology within six months of employment.

#### \*Related experience includes the following:

- Experience working with fish and fish habitats in freshwater environments.
- Experience working on multidisciplinary teams in natural resource management context.
- Experience writing science plans, technical reports and/or publications.

For more information, and to apply online by November 23, 2022, please go to:

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