

Ministry of Land, Water and Resource Stewardship Multiple Locations

The recruitment process for this competition may take place virtually. The locations listed are to assist applicants in searching for this opportunity. This position can be performed from the Kamloops office. Other locations within the Thompson Okanagan Region may be considered.

Regional Aquatic Ecologist

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

The Ministry of Land, Water, and Resource Stewardship is accountable for integrated water, land and natural resource management and cross-sector legislation, policy, and objective setting for land and marine environments. Building on integrated land and resource management efforts in the past, the Ministry will seek to build a new vision in collaboration with natural resource ministries and First Nations that will embrace shared decision making on the land base.

The Land Use Policy, Planning and Ecosystems Division works in partnership with Indigenous governments to modernize land use planning with community, stakeholder, and public input including operating and expanding Indigenous forums (e.g., Environmental Stewardship Initiative and Collaborative Stewardship Framework) and working with First Nations on collaborative stewardship of natural resources and monitoring of cumulative effects.

Qualifications for this role include:

- Bachelor's Degree or higher in biological sciences or related field and a minimum of 6 years of related experience**, or
- An equivalent combination of education and related experience** may be considered.
- Registered (or immediately eligible*) as a Registered Professional Biologist (RP Bio) in B.C. with the College of Applied Biology. Note: Immediately eligible* is defined as being able to transfer a current membership from an applicable jurisdiction to the CAB within six months of employment. Confirmation of registration/ eligibility will be required before an offer of employment can be confirmed. If you are not currently registered, advise how you have confirmed with the CAB that you are immediately eligible.

**Related experience:

- Experience in leading project design and delivery, analysis and reporting, and providing advice within a regulatory regime related to aquatic ecosystems management.
- Experience assessing and monitoring aquatic natural resources.

For more information and to apply online by November 28, 2022, please go to:

https://bcpublicservice.hua.hrsmart.com/hr/ats/Posting/view/93585