

## Environmental Technician

**Nupqu Resource Limited Partnership (Nupqu), associated with Ktunaxa Enterprise Ltd.**, is a growing business, proudly owned by member bands of the Ktunaxa Nation since 2009. With offices in Cranbrook, Castlegar and Fernie, BC, Nupqu conducts a wide variety of work: providing environmental, biological, archeological, forestry, contract administration and safety related consulting services to a variety of clients throughout the Ktunaxa Traditional Territory. We are currently seeking a highly motivated, organized, and responsible individual to join our team in a dynamic and rewarding environment poised for significant growth.

This position will consist of full-time employment managed out of the **Fernie, BC** office while supporting our growing environmental monitoring project needs. The successful candidate should look to have relevant experience and qualifications which align with the roles and responsibilities outlined below.

### **Roles and Responsibilities:**

- Undertake surface and ground water sampling, waste/soil sampling, air monitoring;
- Coordinate waste/soil movement and treatment;
- Equipment calibration & maintenance (YSI, Flow Meter, Ground Water Equipment);
- Assist with fish salvage, bird/wildlife surveys, environmental inspections;
- Carry out internal time and equipment tracking requirements as directed;
- Experience working under Province of British Columbia environmental statutes/regulations/permits
- Knowledge of environmental best management practices and systems, compliance or auditing preferred
- Provide professional and technical support for preparation of Environmental Management Plans, Environmental Protection Plans, Technical Reports, Health and Safety Plans, etc.;
- Proven oral and written interpersonal communication skills;
- Self-motivated and safety-oriented team player.
- Expectation to lead onsite safety meetings on behalf of Nupqu and client;
- Be a courageous safety leader, adhere to and sponsor safety and environmental rules.

### **Education and Qualifications**

- Post-secondary education in a related discipline such as: Environmental Sciences, Biology, Ecology, Forestry or Geography;
- Experience with air, water, wetlands, and waste regulations and knowledge of Environmental Management Systems
- Preference will be given to candidates who are registered or eligible for registration with a professional governing body (eg. BC Institute of Agrology, College of Applied Biology, ECO Canada)
- Knowledge of applicable regulatory, legal and other requirements within the areas of responsibilities assigned, as they may apply to Elk Valley environmental aspects
- Previous work experience in Environmental Monitoring, Environmental Field Assessments, surveys and Technical Report Writing;
- Proficiency in Microsoft Office Suite® applications (i.e., Outlook, Word and Excel)
- Proven safety track record & experience driving on resource roads;
- Must have a valid driver's license and reliable transportation.
- Previous mine experience

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### Additional skills and certifications (preferred)

- Able to work shift work of up to 7 days, 12+hrs/day in a dynamic, fast-paced work environment;
- Hold the following valid certifications (OFA-1, H2S, Electrofishing Supervisor, Swift Water Rescue, UTV, BC Class 5, Mine Supervisor);
- Registration or eligible for registration with a Professional Association such as: The College of Applied Biology, Association of British Columbia Forest Professionals, BC Institute of Agrologists, or equivalent;
- Schedule flexibility
- Ability to navigate, adapt and anticipate environmental matters within a fast-paced work environment

### Wage

\$25 - \$35/Hour

Nupqu offers competitive wages and benefit packages. Please submit your cover letter and resume marked “**Environmental Technician- Confidential**” to Renne Hooper, our Human Resource Manager, at: [hr@nupqu.com](mailto:hr@nupqu.com)

**DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS: June 1st at 4:30pm MST**

*Thank you to all those applicants that apply, however only those selected for an interview will be contacted.*

**As we continue to expand opportunities within the Nation, we encourage Ktunaxa citizens and other Indigenous peoples to identify themselves in their cover letter or resume.**