

Ministry of Forests

This position is located in Nanaimo but may be performed in other approved locations in the West Coast Region. For specific information about a location, applicants must contact the Hiring Manager to confirm if working from that location could be considered.

Regional Hydrogeologist \$70,683.48-\$89,678.84

Bring your operational expertise to this unique opportunity

The Regional Hydrogeologist functions as the primary regional groundwater protection expert. This position oversees groundwater science, monitoring, and groundwater protection regulation compliance and supports the Water Authorizations team as a subject matter expert in Hydrogeology. The Regional Hydrogeologist sits in the Water Protection Section in the West Coast Region, Ministry of Forests. Water Protection is a team of water specialists that covers a range of topics including groundwater science, hydrology, water protection, monitoring, flood hazard management, dike and dam safety.

Qualifications for this role include:

- Degree in a related field (e.g., Engineering, Hydrogeology, Geology, Earth Science), or equivalent as accepted by the appropriate professional association and 5 years related work experience.
- Registration or eligible for immediate registration as a Professional Engineer (P.Eng.) or as a Professional Geoscientist (P.Geo.) with Engineers and Geoscientists BC.

(Note: Immediately eligible is defined as being registered as a professional in another Canadian jurisdiction and able to transfer that membership to a BC professional association within 6 months of employment. It is the responsibility of the applicant to have their qualifications reviewed by the appropriate body to ensure they have the necessary requirements for registration.)

- Experience or specialized training in quantitative hydrogeology.
- Experience conducting groundwater investigations, including aquifer and well characterization, testing assessment and monitoring.
- Experience writing technical reports.
- Experience analysing and interpreting hydrogeological data.

For more information, and to apply online by April 6, 2023, please go to: <u>https://bcpublicservice.hua.hrsmart.com/hr/ats/Posting/view/98686</u>