WSCC Careers

Senior Safety Officer, Yellowknife

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As a part of the Prevention Services team, this position reports to the Supervisor, Industrial Safety NU and is based in Yellowknife. The Senior Safety Officer administers and enforces the Northwest Territories and Nunavut *Safety Act*s and related Regulations and fosters the vision, mission and values of the Workers' Safety and Compensation Commission (WSCC).

This position also provides analysis of policy issues and acts as a subject matter expert in areas related to prevention. The Senior Safety Officer may represent the WSCC on various National Standards setting agencies, industry associations, and stakeholder panels. The incumbent conducts inspections and engages with employers to ensure compliance with all legislative requirements; the incumbent also performs investigations into incidents of a serious nature, and prepares evidence-based files with recommendations to the Chief Safety Officer for prosecution.

We are looking for a safety professional with diplomacy, negotiation skills and knowledge of *Safety Acts* & Regulations, industry standards and other related acts, codes and regulations as well as investigative principles and procedures. The Senior Safety Officer is accountable to enforce the Safety Acts and other legislation pertaining to worker safety under the direction of the Chief Safety Officer. Frequent duty travel is required in this position.

This position requires a related two year post-secondary diploma and the Canadian Registered Safety Professional (CRSP) designation **(candidates will be required to provide their CRSP number during the screening stage)**, combined with a minimum of five (5) years of progressive experience working in an industrial safety field. Experience in Dangerous Occurrence investigations and Workplace Accidents Causing Bodily Harm investigation is also required. The incumbent is also required to hold a valid class 5 Driver's License. We consider equivalent combinations of education and experience on a case-by-case basis.

The salary ranges from $49.02 to $58.53 hourly (approx. $95,589 to $114,133.50 annually), plus a Northern Allowance of $1.77 hourly ($3450 annually).

A satisfactory criminal records check is required for this position.

Closing Date: **Open until filled**

If this sounds like a good fit for you, please forward your resume quoting competition to: careers@wscc.nt.ca

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You must clearly identify your eligibility to receive priority consideration under the Affirmative Action Policy.

The WSCC is an inclusive workplace. If you have a disability and require support or accommodation during the hiring process, we encourage you to identify your needs when we contact you for an interview.

We may use this competition to fill similar vacancies that become available over the next six months.

The ability to communicate in an official language of the Northwest Territories, in addition to English, is an asset

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