

Intermediate Vegetation Ecologist

Tannas Conservation Services (TCS) is looking for a passionate vegetation ecologist who is an engaged, self-starter that prospers in a small team environment. This position will collaborate with colleagues to produce high-quality deliverables for our diverse clientele, with an emphasis on specialty services focused on conservation, restoration, and reclamation. The ideal candidate will have a minimum of 4 years of experience in an ecology related field (e.g., wetland, rangeland, reclamation, environmental science), a related undergraduate or master's degree, be interested in multi-disciplinary work, and be eligible for professional registration. Our busy 2022 field programs span various ecosystems throughout western Canada, primarily in wetland, vegetation ecology, rangeland, and reclamation disciplines. This position presents the unique opportunity to be on a team of environmental specialists, and the successful candidate will be provided the supports to continually grow and develop their career in the ecological field. This position requires the ability and desire to do field travel and field work.

Skills will be evaluated at the interview stage and may include a written and plant ID component. The following knowledge and skills will be considered an asset: U of A range team, statistical analysis, GIS skills, Indigenous training and collaborations, proposal writing and budget development, grant writing, technical editing, regulatory permitting, rare plant surveys, ABWRET assessments, legislation knowledge (e.g., Wetland Policy), range and riparian health assessments.

Requirements:

- Must be a Canadian citizen
- Must have a minimum of 4 years of professional experience
- Must have valid class 5 driver's license and own a vehicle
- Must be eligible for registration as a Professional Agrologist
- Must have strong technical writing skills
- Must have intermediate plant identification skills
- Must have experience using maps and handheld GPS units
- Must be comfortable and competent working independently
- Must be organized and self-driven
- Must be willing to support field programs across western Canada

Position start date: Interviewing in September 2022, starting Dec/Jan or flexible

Location: Calgary preferred

Duration: Full Time Position

Office: Remote office (home office)

Salary: Negotiable depending on Skill

Tannas Conservation Services provides competitive benefits including a health spending account, access to TCS speciality courses, annual training budget, generous holidays, and a flexible work from home office arrangement.

Please send a cover letter outlining your qualifications and available start dates, along with a resume and three professional references to Steven Tannas (office@tannasenvironmental.com) with 'Intermediate Vegetation Ecologist Position' as the subject line.

The position will be filled as soon as a suitable candidate is found (only applicants selected for interviews will be contacted).



Possible Areas of Work

- Wetland compensation
- Urban developments
- Restoration monitoring
- Reclamation
- Rare plant surveys
- Range management
- Species at risk surveys
- Conservation planning
- Regulatory approvals
- Mines and energy
- Renewable energy
- Education