

Job Title: Mechanical Engineer (Department Manager)

Department: Mechanical Engineering - Energy Sector

Job Category: Engineering

Status: Regular employee

City: Vancouver

Reference Number: 2011-850-0942

Role:

BBA is a Canadian consulting engineering firm offering leading edge services in the Energy and Mining & Metals sectors. We require an experienced Mechanical Engineer willing to lead and develop a group focused on power production. This high profile professional should be established and recognized for technical skills and deep knowledge of the power production sector.

We have over 700 employees across Canada with offices in British Columbia, Newfoundland, Ontario and Quebec. The current opening is for the 30 person and growing Vancouver office that is located downtown.

This is a rare opportunity to directly contribute to the company's growth and development in western Canada in a privately owned, successful corporation. We offer the flexibility, career potential, and direct impact to the value chain of a growing company combined with the opportunities and support of a large corporation.

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Description:

Your role as a Mechanical Department Manager will be to participate in the development of BBA's energy sector focused services in projects from front-end studies to delivery. Your deep experience will allow you to orient and support technological choices and propose solutions from planning through field implementation. You will also be responsible for ensuring the quality of professional services provided and maintaining good working relationships with clients.

Skills:

Our Vancouver office is small and growing, so a successful candidate should be:

- A skilled entrepreneur
- Proactive, take initiative and have creative and innovative problem-solving skills
- Able to deal with uncertainty and ambiguity
- Responsible for and interested in career growth and development
- Strongly interested in building a power production experienced team

Some of the activities required in this role are to:

- Participate in small to major design projects
- Provide engineering services and consulting work to the design of new projects as well as refurbishment of existing power plants
- Establish preliminary design, client needs analysis, reports and count sheets, etc.
- Write technical specifications for supplies or equipment
- Assign and review the work of intermediate, junior, and support staff

Requirements:

- A Mechanical Engineering Bachelor's degree (minimum)
- 10 or more years of experience with thorough knowledge of at least one power production technology such as hydroelectric processes and major equipment and coal or gas power
- Leadership and team-building experience
- Excellent communication skills with high competency in English (both verbal and written)
- Valid driver's license from a Canadian province and the ability to travel
- Professional Engineer with membership in APEGBC or similar regulatory body

BBA is committed to respecting fair hiring practices for all candidates and employment equity for all employees.