



Where ideas work

Ministry of Forests Lands and Natural Resource Operations – BC Timber Sales Fort St John

Practices Forester

Salary \$55,601.52 - \$69,445.80 annually

BC Timber Sales (BCTS) plans, develops, and sells through auction, a substantial and representative portion of the Province's annual available timber volume. The bid prices received from auctioned timber support the Market Pricing System (MPS) in setting stumpage rates for coastal and interior operating areas of the province. The costs incurred by BCTS also provide data for the Tenure Obligation Adjustments, contributing to another integral part of the MPS.

The goal of BCTS is to provide credible representative price and cost benchmark data for the MPS through auctions of public timber.

To find out more about our program check out the BCTS website <https://www.for.gov.bc.ca/bcts/>

As a Practices Forester, you perform a wide variety of professional and technical services to support the development and operational stages of pre and post Timber Sale Licence awards and active harvest operations within your field team.

A career path in [BC Timber Sales](#) offers exceptional opportunities to develop new solutions to complex problems, to learn and grow personally and professionally. Existing and future BCTS employees have the opportunity to have a positive and unique impact on public and private forests, communities, the economy and the lives of British Columbians. For more information about benefits and other features of a public service career including a [pension plan](#) that ranks among the best; and offer a balance between work and life commitments, please visit [What We Offer](#).

Qualifications for this role include:

- Bachelor of Science in Forestry and 2 years of experience in operational field forestry (such as forest tenure field development, engineering, silviculture, or harvest operations/C&E); or an equivalent combination of experience and education
- Registered as a Professional Forester or eligible for registration with the Association of BC Forest Professionals. Directly related planning and integrated resource management experience
- Demonstrated experience organizing and managing complex concurrent initiatives
- Preference may be given to candidates with silviculture experience

For more information on this career opportunity including how to apply online by June 21st 2017, please visit:

<https://search.employment.gov.bc.ca/cgi-bin/a/highlightjob.cgi?jobid=41757>