

5-Nations Fisheries Monitors in Gold River (2 positions)

Ecotrust Canada is seeking 5-Nations Fisheries Dockside Monitors for the 2021 Salmon and Groundfish demonstration fisheries. Monitors will be based in Gold River and work on the dock meeting fishing vessels as they land. Duties will be to monitor and document catch at offloads, and collect biological data on catch.

Fisheries are *anticipated* to commence June 2021 and run until November 30, 2021 for with potential to work some shifts over the winter. **Actual length of fisheries is not known and set number of work days is not guaranteed.**

Pursuant to Section 16(1) of the Canadian Human Rights Act, preference will be given to aboriginal candidates who have a working knowledge of Nuu-chah-nulth culture and fishing practices.

Casual (2 positions):

Monitors may be required to work weekends and holidays. Monitors will be paid (minimum) for a 4 hour call out for each shift.

Responsibilities include:

- Collect accurate data at the dock from vessel offloads.
- Collect biological samples at the dock.
- Legibly and accurately record data on multiple forms.
- Maintain professional working relationship at all times.

Qualifications:

- Ability to multi-task and work in a fast-paced environment.
- Organizational skills.
- Strong written and verbal communication skills.
- Team work.
- Comfortable working on docks, fishing vessels and handling fish.
- Criminal Record Check.
- Does NOT hold a Fisher's registration card or certificate of accreditation.
- Does NOT purchase fish to resell.
- Is NOT an owner, operator, or employee of a business that catches, cultures, processes or transports fish.

Ecotrust Canada will provide a **mandatory training course in May 2021 (exact dates TBD).**

Successful applicants must pass a training exam.

Closing date for applications is April 1, 2021. Resumes will be reviewed prior to closing date.

For more information, please contact Gwen Bennett at (250) 266-0418

Please submit your resume to gwendolyn@ecotrust.ca Include "monitoring job – Gold River" in the subject line.