

Provincial Job Description

TITLE: (506) Senior Business Analyst

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FOR FACILITY USE:

SUMMARY OF DUTIES:

Coordinates assessment of business needs and assists in the implementation of technical solutions. Acts as a liaison between business units/departments and Information Technology personnel.

QUALIFICATIONS:

♦ Business diploma - Management

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS & ABILITIES:

- **♦** Advanced computer skills
- **♦** Advanced programming skills
- **♦** Advanced program management skills
- **♦** Advanced project management skills
- **♦** Communication skills
- **♦** Interpersonal skills
- ♦ Ability to lead and coach others
- **♦** Analytical skills
- **♦** Problem solving skills
- **♦** Decision making skills
- ♦ Ability to work independently and as a member of a team.
- ♦ Valid driver's license, where required by the job

EXPERIENCE:

Previous: Forty-eight (48) months related previous experience working with business units/departments.

KEY ACTIVITIES:

A. Administration

- ♦ Plans, designs, assigns resources, monitors/tracks progress and implements projects related to new business processes.
- ♦ Provides functional guidance to a project team or work group.
- **♦** May assist with staff selection for projects.
- ♦ Provides input into performance appraisals and performance reviews for project staff.
- Prepares and presents requests for proposals for business application solutions.
- **♦** Participates in vendor selection.
- **♦** Assists with the negotiation of contracts with vendors.
- **♦** Provides training for project staff.

B. Change Management

- ♦ Consults and liaises with business stakeholders and Information Technology personnel to translate business needs and objectives (e.g., business processes, system data requirements).
- ♦ Advises on business process improvements and business process reengineering.
- **♦** Facilitates project teams to achieve technology implementation objectives.
- ♦ Acts as a business change agent within the organization.

C. Planning / Analysis / Design

- ♦ Advises on project planning and project management responsibility and actions to implement business technology solutions.
- Prepares financial assessments and performs cost analysis.
- ♦ Develops, documents and validates business requirements.
- **♦** Develops and maintains documentation (e.g., business requirement specifications, system specifications, user interface designs).
- ♦ Performs process modeling and business processes redesign duties (e.g., process reengineering, physical data modeling, logical data modeling, data model reviews).
- **♦** Participates in prototyping potential solutions.

D. Implementation

- ♦ Develops acceptance criteria to demonstrate achieved business requirements.
- ♦ Performs unit, system, interface and integration testing.
- **♦** Performs user acceptance testing.
- **♦** Implements technology solutions.
- ♦ Performs post-implementation audits and reviews.
- ♦ Performs on-going support of technical solutions for end users.

E. Related Key Work Activities

- ♦ Performs system administration or system management duties.
- **♦** Implements and supports data quality initiatives.
- ♦ Acts as a liaison with external stakeholders.

The above statements reflect the general details considered necessary to describe the principle functions of the job and shall not be construed as a detailed description of all related work assignments that may be inherent to the job.

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