

Senior Planner – Wellington or Palmerston North

We know that what we do really matters which is why Stantec provides solutions that begin at the intersection of community, creativity and client relationships.

About the role

Our team of planners, landscape architects, environmental scientists, stakeholder engagement consultants and engineers plan, design and deliver the infrastructure and places that make our communities great. From wastewater treatment consents to urban streetscapes, District Plan reviews to urban regeneration strategies, our planning work touches on all aspects of people's lives.

We are looking to recruit a Senior Planner into one of our Lower North Island New Zealand offices, who has a proven track record in providing professional planning and resource management advice to internal and external clients.

In more detail the role involves:

- Manage or assist with the preparation of statutory planning documents
- Assist with and/or lead statutory planning projects
- Lead and/or participate in community and stakeholder consultation work
- Prepare evidence for Council hearings or Environment Court proceedings
- Participate in sharing knowledge of statutory planning with other team members and colleagues in other disciplines
- Maintain and improve technical standards in resource management planning and resource management
- Support the development of new business opportunities for Stantec
- Assist project managers to ensure that project outcomes meet or exceed client and Stantec expectations

To be successful in this role you will need

- A relevant planning qualification
- Full membership of the NZPI (or eligibility to apply)
- Extensive resource management planning experience of at least 8 years. Exceptional candidates with less than 8 years' experience will also be considered
- RMA plan implementation and policy planning experience ideally in a government or consultancy environment
- The ability to respond effectively to client needs
- Established local networks and/or proven business development skills
- Effective communication skills are a must as are problem solving and negotiation skills

What we offer

Along with a competitive salary we offer many other benefits to ensure your professional development & wellbeing is ongoing.

- Flexible Working Arrangements including purchasing up to 4 weeks additional leave and provision for school term contracts
- Learning and Talent Development Programs including global programmes, online learning and on-the-job learning
- Mentoring for your own development
- Professional Memberships
- Health Insurance – Income Continuance Insurance (ICI) – Life Insurance
- Service Recognition Awards
- Employee Assistance Program

About us

The Stantec community unites approximately 22,000 employees working in over 400 locations across six continents. We collaborate across disciplines and industries to bring water, transport and infrastructure projects to life. Our work from initial project concept and planning through design, construction and commissioning is built on a nearly 200-year history. So, when we take on a project, we see the opportunity to make a lasting connection with the people and places where we live and work.

How to apply

To discuss this position further, please phone Margaret McMeel on 09 580 4502 or 0275 442 930 or apply directly online <https://stantec.jobs/>

Applications close Thursday, 10 September 2020.

This is a full-time role.