

The Organization

Our client, a large international oil and gas company has recently acquired assets in Alberta in order to be a producer and extractor of oils sands bitumen. With the mandate to use SAGD technology to extract up to 200,000 mb/d and then refine it at their own upgrading facility to be constructed in the Fort Saskatchewan area.

Why Consider This Role?

This role is critical to the future growth of the company. It is an excellent opportunity for someone interested in joining a grass-roots project that is led by trusted, seasoned leaders in the oil sands businesses. Working in a world-class environment alongside excellent managerial and technical staff, you will receive a chance to execute your role with a considerable amount of autonomy.

Team Dynamics

The successful candidate will be reporting to the **Manager, Business Analysis**. In addition, you will also be working closely with the remainder of the Business Development team, including strategic planning and commercial development. This position will also liaise with the groups of our client that are supported, as well as keep close contact to the professional network for economic modeling and analysis led from Norway.

General Activities, Responsibilities & Objectives

You will be responsible for the economic analysis function and financial project follow-up, as well as supporting commercial affairs in relation to commercial projects, negotiations, and specific project related issues.

- Project investment cash flow modeling and analysis for profitability and value creation, incorporating tax and royalty systems.
- Build, maintain and run project cash flow models.
- Sensitivity analysis to demonstrate commercial risk.
- Presentation of results in format to facilitate decision making.
- Analyze, support and recommend capital investment decisions, including internal decision gates for project approvals.
- Assist in modeling the total Oil Sands project portfolio.
- Follow-up on competitors projects, KPIs and statistics.
- Play a leadership role in identifying and clarifying for project leaders and management, elements that materially affect the value of the project.
- Assist in supplying input to the business planning process for the company.
- Assist in modeling the total Oil Sands project portfolio.

Skills and Experience

- A Master's degree in either Economics or Finance and a minimum of 3-5 years relevant experience.
- Experience with economic modeling, market review & analysis and project economics.
- Advanced spreadsheet modeling skills are necessary, and/or demonstrated motivation to undertake advanced spreadsheet modeling.
- Other combinations of education and experience will be considered; a CFA designation or MBA would definitely be an asset.

Remuneration

Our client rewards more than fairly, based on a candidate's previous experience & level of competency. This includes a Base Salary, Performance-Based Bonus, LTI's and Benefits. Relocation allowances will also be included. **NOTE: This position is a 4-6 month contract role with the possibility of becoming a full-time position.**

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