

Position: Staff Geologist

Location: Bellingham or Arlington, WA

Hours: Full Time

Wage: D.O.E.

All inquiries are confidential

GeoTest Services, Inc. provides a comprehensive suite of services to assist our clients with their project needs from design throughout construction completion. Services include geotechnical engineering, environmental, special inspection, construction materials testing, and building science services.

GeoTest is seeking to fill a Staff Geologist position in either of our Bellingham or Arlington, WA offices. The successful candidate must be able to communicate effectively with project managers and other project participants to provide assistance and technical support for project completion. This support position is in our Geotechnical department; responsibilities and duties may vary depending on season, workload, and the needs of the Company and our clients.

Responsibilities and Duties:

- Provides support to the geotechnical department by assisting with geotechnical investigations. Work may include items such as field work (test pits, DCPs, drilling, etc.), utility locate requests, coordinating tasks, report writing, gINT entry, and/or other work as assigned by the Project Manager.
- Provides support to the special inspection and testing department on construction projects. Inspections and testing are performed in the categories in which the incumbent is certified.
- Performs services on a variety of job sites including refinery clientele.
- Works with engineering, geotechnical, and construction team members on a variety of projects. Coordinates with manager, project manager, field technicians, and administrative staff to troubleshoot issues.
- Generates timely reports for applicable categories.
- Performs Ground Penetrating Radar (GPR) and related services.
- Participates in approved continuing education to enhance job-related skillset.
- Works on special projects as requested and all other duties as assigned.

Qualifications:

- Must have a bachelor's degree in Geology, Geotechnical Engineering, or related field, is also required.
 - 1 to 2 years of relevant experience required.
- Preferred certifications/qualifications include (GeoTest provides support to obtain certifications, if necessary):
 - Nuclear Gauge Certification
 - ACI Concrete Field Testing Technician – Grade I Certification
 - Certified Erosion Sediment Control Lead (CESCL) Certification

- ICC/WABO Special Inspector Certifications
- Geologist in Training, Licensed Geologist, and/or Engineering Geologist
- Ability to read construction plans and specifications is a plus.
- Ability to obtain access at refineries as directed. This will include obtaining a Transportation Worker Authorization Card (TWIC) and enrollment and compliance in both Occupational Safety Council of America (OSCA) and DISA Global Solutions. Refineries are a Drug Free Workplace and require specific drug screening.
- Strong organizational, computer, and math skills are required.
- Clean driving record is required.
- Ability to work outside, work independently, and be a self-starter.
- Able to travel to construction project sites and maneuver over rough and uneven terrain.
- Effective oral communication skills are required. Must be able to effectively communicate test results and observations with internal and external stakeholders in a timely fashion.
- Effective written communication skills are required. Must be able to accurately document test results and observations using a tablet or laptop in the field. Reports must be clear and concise, while using proper grammar.
- Lift 50-70 lbs from a standing, crouched, or kneeling position, repeatedly.
- Carry 50-70 lbs in the form of sample bags, buckets, equipment, cylinders, or wheelbarrows.
- Stand on a hard surface for 8 or more hours per day.
- Sit or drive for 2 to 4 hours per day.
- Lift equipment, buckets, or tools on uneven terrain periodically.
- Walk and carry sample bags/buckets, tools on construction sites, gravel pits, open fields, and/or uneven terrain periodically.

GeoTest offers a challenging work environment with a comprehensive compensation and benefits package.
Please send resumes via email to: careers@geotest-inc.com

GeoTest provides equal employment opportunities to qualified individuals with respect to all terms and conditions of the application process in accordance with applicable federal, state and local laws and regulations that prohibit discrimination based on age, color, disability, marital or parental status, national origin, race, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, veteran status, or any other legally protected class in accordance with applicable federal, state, and local laws.