

Job Posting Title

Senior Mine Planning Engineer

Posting Date

September 29, 2016

Application Deadline

November 30, 2016

Company

New Gold is a Canadian intermediate gold mining company listed on the Toronto Stock Exchange (TSX) and the New York Stock Exchange (NYSE MKT) under the symbol NGD. At New Gold, our values drive every decision and action we take:

Integrity: Do what's right

Creativity: Lead with innovation

Commitment: Deliver

Develop our employees: Commitment to personal development

Teamwork: Leverage our collective skills

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Project

Do you want to be part of the development and start-up of one of Canada's premier mining operations? We are looking for dynamic individuals to join our team and live in our community as we pursue this exciting project. The Rainy River Project, located 65 km northwest of Fort Frances, ON, contemplates a combined open pit and underground mine, processing 21,000 tonnes per day.

Department

Mining

Tasks

The incumbent will provide long-term plans including budget planning, strategic planning and managing projects for the operations, as well as technical support, coaching and mentoring to the Engineers in Training and Junior engineers.

- Coordinate all required prerequisites of designs for Pit, Waste Dumps and other designs.
- Assist in the development, maintenance and documenting processes for the planning functions.
- Evaluate, design and implement procedures related to mine planning.
- Generate budget, cost plans and documentation for the operations based on the overall company plan.
- Evaluate costs, engineering and mine planning data.
- Provide technical direction for the mine related to operations strategy and implementation.
- Review operational plans and design changes.
- Ensure the Mining Operations team is adhering to mine and dump schedules and designs.
- Review mining operation performance against plans and budget.
- Prepare reports and presentations to support planning results.
- Provide technical support where required.
- Develop pit optimization plans, pit design, waste dumps design and schedule optimization
- Reserve and Resource reporting
- Contribute to the preparation of engineering studies in determining resource estimates for life of mine planning purposes.
- Mentor and coach Engineers in Training and Junior Engineers.

Requirements

- Minimum of Bachelor Degree in Mining Engineering with Professional Engineer designation
- Over 10+ years of experience in mine engineering with at least 5+ years in a senior role within the engineering team
- Strong experience in open pit mine planning, design, scheduling, production, and project management
- Must have previous experience in a hard-rock mining in an open-pit mine
- Must have previous experience working with MineSight software
- Must have previous experience mentoring and developing junior members of the team; strong leadership ability is essential
- Attention to detail with strong organizational skills
- Proven analytical skills and ability to think strategically
- Excellent verbal and written communication skills
- Must be willing to relocate to the Rainy River District in Northwestern Ontario

Contract Type

Permanent

Employment Fraction

Full-time