



### **OUTSTANDING PEOPLE, OUTSTANDING COMPANY.**

Vermilion attracts exceptional employees, people with strong technical skills and creative vision who want to work in a highly collaborative and dynamic environment. They recognize our success is founded on strong core values supported by a spirited corporate culture. They know the diversity of Vermilion's operations provides unique challenges and exciting opportunities in a vibrant workplace. They are outstanding people managing strong assets - you can see their success. We are an established and growing energy trust based in Calgary, with operations in Canada, Australia, France and the Netherlands.

## **SENIOR DRILLING ENGINEER – INTERNATIONAL**

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Based in Calgary and reporting directly to the Drilling and Completions Coordinator, the Senior Drilling Engineer, International will maximize reserve values in France and the Netherlands through efficient planning and execution of development and exploration drilling projects. The successful candidate should possess 7+ years relevant industry drilling experience including international operations and field experience. They must have a good understanding of drilling rig equipment and downhole tools and preferably completions experience. The Senior Drilling Engineer must work effectively in a team environment and have efficient and precise communication skills as interaction with team members, service companies and regulatory agencies in France and the Netherlands is required. The successful candidate will have the ability and willingness to travel overseas a minimum of 4 times per year, sometimes for extended timeframes. French language skills would be an asset.

### **Primary Responsibilities include:**

- Planning and engineering of international drilling projects including technical research, procurement of services, cost estimating, programming and AFE preparation;
- Execution and supervision of international drilling projects as required including cost control, interaction with contract personnel, ensuring well site activities are performed safely, efficiently and within all environmental standards. This individual may have to lead the "in country" on the ground preparation for drilling operations;
- Analyzing drilling and completion data for the Business Development group on potential acquisitions providing current industry cost data for drilling and completions activities;
- Interacting with individual exploitation teams in Calgary, France and the Netherlands;
- Providing drilling assistance as required to ensure efficient flow of information and timely submission of all regulatory requirements; and
- Understanding local approval processes, statutes and regulations to ensure applications are performed with full compliance and manage approvals for efficient project execution.

If you are interested or if you know of anyone who may be interested in an exciting opportunity with Vermilion, and if you have the qualifications we are looking for, you are invited to submit a resume quoting position title, in confidence, to:

### **Vermilion Energy Trust**

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