



Swakop Uranium, a Namibian world class uranium mining company, invites people who are self-motivated, energetic and wish to work in a High Performance Culture environment, to apply for the following role.

Senior Engineer Planning

Location: Husab Site, Swakopmund
Reports to the Superintendent Planning

MAIN PURPOSE OF JOB

To produce long-term, medium-term mine plans and related planning documents to ensure the optimal depletion of the Swakop Uranium mineral resources, which support the achievement of the Company's strategic business goals and objectives.

Key Performance Areas:

- Ensures that open pit optimization and designs are completed to company standards and requirements and that long-, medium- and short term planning meets corporate objectives.
- Prepares annual Budget and Life of Mine plan and reviews Life of Mine on a regular basis.
- Compiles Mineral Reserve estimates and Mineral Reserve reconciliations.
- Coordinates and incorporates inputs from various sections, e.g. Geology, Geotechnical Engineering, Mine Operations survey into the production schedules and designs.
- Ensures the development and execution of safe, effective and cost efficient short and medium term mine plans and production schedule.
- Manage capital and operating projects that are related to the ongoing development and improvement of mining operations including pit dewatering, pioneering earthworks, haul road construction.
- Implements optimum mine- and waste dump designs compliant with longer term plans and all geotechnical, geological and environmental constraints.
- Oversees the implementation of a short term planning model and schedule to aid in the production of the weekly and 12 week plans for production, waste strip, drilling and blasting.
- Ensures appropriate linkages are maintained between the weekly, 12 week and Medium Term Plans.
- Assist with the onsite development of a reconciliation system with other role players.
- Compiles monthly & quarterly plan versus actual reports & forecasts and uses information in quarterly updates of the medium-term schedules.
- Establishes specific site systems and processes to establish a short term mine planning foundation for Husab Mine.
- Proposes, revises and implements changes to SU policies and procedures relating to the medium-term planning and information systems.
- Develops and implements improvements to hardware/software, procedures and documentation associated with the mine's planning information system.
- Monitors and reconciles medium-term mine plan with actual mining activity, identifies problem areas encountered and prepares comments on variances / recommends solutions for the management team and off-mine reports.
- Establishes and recommends revised mining boundaries by selecting and analysing production factors and data.
- Manages Own Performance and Subordinates'.
- Establishes and Maintains Effective Working Relationships with Colleagues and Stakeholders.
- Maintains Professional and Technical Knowledge and Skills.

Requirements and experience:

- B Comm Degree in Mining Engineering.
- Successful completion of Mining Process Leader / Foreman development programme.
- Registration with a recognized professional body.
- Blasting Certificate.
- At least 8 years' general open pit mining experience. (open pit optimizations, pit design and production scheduling)
- A minimum of 5 years' experience within a mine planning environment.
- Excellent experience in the use of mining software packages.
- Strong numerical analyses and data validation skills.
- Sound knowledge of relevant mining legislation and industry practice
- Working experience in grade control methodologies.
- Valid Code B/BE Driver's License.

Through its commitment to its people, the company offers a competitive remuneration package and the opportunity to work alongside some of the most experienced and dedicated people in the industry.

Send your cv's and other relevant documents to psujob.eng@cgnpc.com.cn 3 April 2019.

Previously disadvantaged Namibians are encouraged to apply.

Clearly indicate the position you are applying for as well as your name and surname in the subject line of your application email.

Applications received that do not meet the criteria will not be considered.

Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted within two weeks of the closing date of this advertisement and no documents will be returned.