



ECONOMIST AND RISK ANALYST

business analyst - economics, economic analyst, economist

Forest economists and risk analysts understand and forecast the micro-economic and macro-economic implications of forest management. These professionals are dedicated to following sound economic principles, financial and cost accounting, and generally accepted accounting principles.

As an economist or risk analyst in the forest products industry, you will help develop and monitor business plans. Conducting research, monitoring data, analyzing information and preparing reports will also be part of your day-to-day work responsibilities.

Working as an economist or risk analyst opens up the opportunity to move up to senior executive positions in the forest products industry.

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES



Economists and risk analysts perform a wide range of responsibilities.

On any given day you might:

- Use math and statistics to test and quantify business models
- Research conditions in local, regional, national and international markets
- Set sales levels and prices for goods and services
- Develop business strategies
- Monitor regional and local economic trends
- Recommend improvements to financial methods, production costs and techniques, and marketing policies

EDUCATION AND TRAINING



At a minimum, a bachelor's degree in economics or accounting is required for this position. Many of the most successful candidates earn master's degrees in economics or in a related discipline like business administration or statistics. Holding a master's in business administration is another pathway into this profession.

Here is a complete list of Canadian Universities and Colleges:
thegreenestworkforce.ca/education

Notice

The requirements listed are generally required qualifications for this Career Type. The qualifications may vary based on the employer and/or the geographic location of that job.

THIS JOB IS RIGHT FOR YOU IF:



- You want to live an oversized life in one of Canada's beautiful forest communities
- A sense of community is important to you
- You like variety and learning new things
- You want to make a difference working in a green job
- You like math
- You like solving problems
- You have an analytical mind
- Business and finance interests you

DARE TO COMPARE

See how much time and money you would save by moving to a forest community.

thegreenestworkforce.ca/compare

If you want good pay, opportunities to learn on the job, a great lifestyle and the chance to work in Canada's Greenest Workforce, then the forest products industry is right for you.