



Wanted: Mining Engineering Consultant (+5 years' experience)

Preferred Qualifications: BEng Mining Engineering Preferred, but Relevant Mine Planner background will also be considered.

EE/AA: Preferred, but not mandatory

Location: Centurion, Gauteng. Consultant will be expected to travel periodically to client sites and stay over to perform project work. Our clients are distributed across South Africa and globally.

Availability / Start: ASAP

Package: Market related

Appointment: Permanent

Job Summary:

VBKOM (Pty) Ltd is a consulting firm within the mining industry where it provides various services to blue chip and junior mining clients to develop mining resources. These services include but are not limited to geological modelling and interpretation, mining engineering, metallurgical engineering, industrial engineering, project & risk management as well as project and operational support. This position will fall in the mining engineering discipline.

VBKOM is looking for a mining professional with extensive mining operational as well as optimization, design and scheduling experience. The candidate will also be exposed to various other commodities within open pit and underground technical services.

The successful applicant will be responsible for:

- › Performing technical mining planning tasks and outputs on an expert level
- › Sourcing geological information and converting it into mining models - Block modelling & re-blocking
- › Perform Mining Studies (MWP, LOM, MTP, STP, Scoping/Concept, PFS, BFS)
 - Pit/Stope Optimisation
 - Mine Design
 - Mine Scheduling
 - Equipment Selection/Optimisation
 - Mine Cost Modelling
- › Due Diligence Studies and Technical Audits
- › Mining Right and Prospecting Permit Application
- › Operation Support
 - On-site planning & contractor management
 - Productivity Improvement
 - Equipment Usage Improvement
 - Mining Operational Readiness
- › Trade-off studies / Options analysis
- › Mining related Inputs for Financial Modelling
- › Technical Reports and CPR's
- › Training, developing and mentoring team members
- › Technical project management
- › To continuously stay up to date with new technical/mining engineering developments and take personal accountability for personal development.

Requirements:

- › Qualifications: BEng Mining Engineering
- › 2 - 5 years' related experience
- › Preferable: Consulting experience of at least 2 years
- › Alignment with the VBKOM values published on our website at www.vbkom.com.
- › Proficient in Mining Software (e.g., Surpac, Deswik, MineRP)
- › Experienced in all project and operational phases
- › Entrepreneurial and Commercial Thinking
- › Ability to use initiative and assume responsibility with an innovative mindset
- › Organized and structured
- › Strong focus on producing results
- › Excellent communication skills

How to Apply

Please submit your application via **Pnet** (<https://bit.ly/3MqQAP6>).

Alternatively, send your CV, Cover Letter and Qualifications to info@vbkom.com. Only successful candidates will be contacted.

Application closing date 15 January 2026