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Entry-Level Geotechnical Position
Cornforth Consultants, Inc.
Portland, Oregon

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Cornforth Consultants, Inc., a Portland-based geotechnical engineering firm, has a position available for an entry-level geotechnical engineer with an MS degree. The firm, currently in its 35th year of operations, specializes in complex geotechnical assignments including earth and rockfill dam design, dam safety evaluation, earthquake engineering, rockfall hazard evaluation and mitigation, and engineering geology (see website at www.cornforthconsultants.com). Landslide analysis and stabilization are major areas of interest for our firm. As such, we have a company division called Landslide Technology (www.landslidetechnology.com).

The firm has an experienced staff of 22 engineers and geologists, seven of whom have over 20 years of geotechnical experience. We feel this is an ideal environment for an entry-level graduate looking for strong mentoring and leadership. We have an exceptionally low turnover, which we believe is due to a combination of technically challenging projects, competitive pay and benefits, and Portland's livability.

Recent projects have included design and construction of fish passage structures and new power generation facilities at existing dams in Oregon and Washington; safety evaluations and setback design for levee systems in Oregon, Washington, and Montana; design and construction of rockfall mitigation measures for highways in Oregon, Washington, Alaska, Montana, and Idaho; inspection and analysis of concrete-lined spillways at dams in Oregon, Washington, and California; seismic stability evaluation of a concrete gravity dam near the Oregon coast during a large Cascadia Subduction Zone earthquake; analysis of a large landslide impacting two water transmission pipelines near Seattle, Washington; and foundation design and rock slope evaluation for a new bridge on the Klondike Highway near Skagway, Alaska.

Cornforth Consultants has been recognized by its peers for quality of design work. We have received more Engineering Excellence Grand Awards from the American Council of Engineering Companies than any other geotechnical firm in Oregon.

Interested applicants should send a cover letter and resume to:

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