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The Water Research Commission (WRC) is a dynamic hub for water and sanitation knowledge, innovation and intellectual capital, providing leadership and the support research, development and innovation of water and sanitation solutions. It engages stakeholders and partners involving water and sanitation challenges and opportunities, which are crucial to South-Africa's sustainable development and economic growth, and is committed to promoting a better quality of life for all. The WRC is a schedule 3A public entity and adherence to required legislation is imperative to the organization's strategy and values.

Applications are invited from suitably qualified, experienced individuals for the Pretoria-based position of:

**Technical Programme Officer (Ref: TPO)**  
**(Contract:3 Years)**

The Technical Programme Officer position requires a dynamic individual that will be responsible for providing technical input and support to the WRC Water Reuse and Desalination Advisory Programme in the Research and Development Branch. The main aim of this programme is to support the implementation of a mix of water supply augmentation options, such as desalination and water reuse, in South Africa, as means of improving water supply assurance and reliability. The Technical Programme Officer will be a member of the Research and Development Branch and will report directly to the **Research Manager**.

The ideal candidate must be in possession of a degree in engineering or natural sciences or related field or equivalent NQF level 7 whilst a post graduate qualification will be advantageous. At least 1-3 years relevant experience is required whilst experience in the water and waste water treatment environment will be advantageous.

The **Technical Programme Officer** will be responsible for leading and providing (technical and administrative) support to a dedicated initiative called the Water Reuse and Desalination Advisory Programme. This will include coordinating programme activities to ensure high quality implementation and delivery as well as assisting in preparing detailed work plans and budget reports. In addition, the Technical Programme Officer will be required to track and facilitate the progress of the programme operations and provide stakeholders with status reports.

The appointment will be made in line with the WRC's employment equity plan and the WRC supports applications from individuals with a disability. To apply please submit your CV to Human Resources, via email to [hr@wrc.org.za](mailto:hr@wrc.org.za) quoting clearly the reference number as a subject matter. Only CV's received via email will be considered. The closing date for all applications is **5 November 2021** Applicants who have not been contacted by **31 December 2021** should consider their application for this position as unsuccessful.

