

Ian Betts

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Key Skills:

- Dependable; excellent punctuality, attention to detail, and commitment to doing my personal best
- Easy to get along with; a team player, good listener and communicator
- Proficient with Microsoft Word, Excel and PowerPoint
- Technical Skills: Geologic maps, geologic cross sections, mineral identification in hand sample and through a petrographic microscope, ArcGIS
- Comfortable working in the field under challenging terrain and weather conditions
- Class 5 BC drivers license

Education:

University of British Columbia, Vancouver, BC 2014 - present

- Bachelor of Science, majoring in Geology (4th year standing)
- Relevant courses:
 - **Introduction to Mineral Deposits:** Introduced economic geology and models related to mineral exploration. Labs focussed on identifying major ore minerals in hand sample
 - **Introduction to GIS:** Labs covered data analysis and cartographic modelling
 - **Field Geology:** A 21 day field school in Oliver, BC, which involved creating geologic maps, creating geologic cross sections, creating stratigraphic logs, and interpreting field data

North Island College, Courtenay, BC 2012-2013

- Relevant courses included Principles of Chemistry I & II, Principles of Physics I & II, Differential Calculus, Integral Calculus, and Introduction to Statistics

Employment Experience:

Barkerville Gold Mines, Wells, BC June – September 2016

Senior Geological Assistant

- Developed outcrop maps (lithology, alteration and structure)
- Rock and soil sampling
- Data entry and maintenance, including preparing geochemical data for display in Mapinfo and GIS

Storey Creek Golf Club, Campbell River, BC

May – September 2013-2015

Greenskeeper

- Conducted turf projects such as re-sodding worn and diseased areas of grass
- Assisted in installing irrigation equipment and repairing irrigation equipment
- Trained new staff on mowing equipment (green, fairway, step-cut, sidewinder, and triflex mowers) and other golf course maintenance duties in both individual and group settings

Windsor Plywood, Courtenay, BC

May – September 2012

Lumber Yard Associate

- Provided quality customer service and answered customer questions about products
- Used table saws, chop saws and a forklift to build customer orders
- Painted various areas of the exterior of the building

Honours and Awards

University of British Columbia

2016

Aaron Craig Nicholls Memorial Award

- Awarded for showing a particular interest in hard rock geology and having personal qualities that contribute to the overall benefit of classmates

University of British Columbia

2014

Chancellor Scholar Award

- Awarded based on high admission average from university transfer credits

Extra-curricular and Volunteer Activities:

- Member of The G.M. Dawson Club (UBC Geoscience)
- Member of the Society of Economic Geologists
- UBC intramural soccer
- Y.A.N.A relay/ fundraiser volunteer (3 years)

Interests:

- Geology and Meteorology
- Sports: golf, basketball, soccer
- Outdoor activities such as camping and hiking