



Data Manager (Energy Domain Expert) **Based in our Edinburgh office – on the Heriot Watt campus**

The British Geological Survey (BGS) is one of the world's leading and forward thinking geological science institutes with a focus on both public good science for government and geoscientific research to understand earth and environmental processes. A vacancy has arisen for a Data Manager (Energy domain expert) based at our office in Edinburgh.

The Data Science team sits within the BGS Informatics Directorate. Informatics is responsible for managing the wealth of geoscience data, information and other materials for the long-term benefit of the UK. Informatics focuses on curation and making data widely available, integrating with new technologies for its collection and assimilation.

The Data Science team develop, implement and manage the underpinning data and information accession, ingestion and storage infrastructures and systems for both the National Geoscience Data Centre (NGDC) and the BGS. This includes external engagement with NERC funded grant holders, clients, data donators, user communities, best practice and workflows for data and information management as well as the development and enhancement of the multi-architecture that fundamentally supports the various data stores in use within the organisation.

Qualified to degree level in a geoscience or data management discipline, you should also have work experience within the energy sector and extensive knowledge of data management, IT and database systems. The role involves championing energy data management best practice and procedures within BGS. It will also involve successfully managing for the long-term seismic, geophysical, geological and other energy specific data in support of energy geoscience work and our NGDC remit within BGS. The post involves team working, therefore you should demonstrate the ability to collaborate effectively with discipline specific scientists, IT and data management staff.

The successful candidate will be expected to travel to other BGS sites and travel within the UK and overseas when required.

Starting salary will be £28,200 per annum to £30,600 per annum depending on qualifications and experience.

Full time working hours are 37 per week excluding lunch breaks. A generous benefits package is also offered, including a company pension scheme, childcare allowance (salary sacrifice scheme), 30 days annual leave and 10.5 days public and privilege holidays.

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Closing date for receipt of CVs is 17 September 2017.

The Natural Environment Research Council is an equal opportunities employer and welcomes applications from all sections of the community. People with disabilities and those from ethnic minorities are currently under-represented and their applications are particularly welcome. The British Geological Survey is an *Investors in People* organization and has achieved Bronze status for Athena Swan – a scheme that recognizes excellence in women's employment in science, technology, engineering, maths and medicine (STEMM) in UK higher education. There is a guaranteed Interview Scheme for suitable candidates with disabilities.

