

Requirements for THARRP Steering Committee Member - Training Provider Representative

Position Overview

We are seeking a qualified professional to represent approved training providers on the Technical High Angle Rope Rescue Program (THARRP) Steering Committee. This individual will work alongside representatives from the fire fighters union, fire chiefs, employer groups, and WorkSafeBC to provide guidance on training standards, curriculum development, and implementation.

Essential Requirements:

1. Professional Experience

- Minimum 5+ years of direct experience providing technical high angle rope rescue training
- Active involvement with an approved THARRP training provider organization
- Demonstrated experience developing or delivering THARRP curriculum

2. Technical Expertise

- Comprehensive knowledge of technical rope and tower crane rescue procedures
- Current certification in relevant technical rescue disciplines
- Practical field experience in high angle rescue operations

3. Representation Capabilities

- Ability to effectively represent the collective interests of THARRP training providers
- Strong communication skills to liaise between the committee and training organizations
- Experience building consensus among diverse stakeholder groups

4. Regulatory Knowledge

- Thorough understanding of WorkSafeBC regulations pertaining to work at heights
- Familiarity with relevant safety standards and industry best practices
- Knowledge of training certification requirements and processes

5. Committee Contribution

- Commitment to attend quarterly steering committee meetings
- Willingness to participate in subcommittees or working groups as needed
- Ability to provide informed input on training curriculum updates and standards

6. Professional Standing

- Respected position within the technical rescue training community
- History of ethical conduct and professional integrity
- Commitment to advancing safety and training excellence in high angle rescue

This role is crucial for ensuring THARRP training remains current, practical, and aligned with industry needs while maintaining the high standards established since the program's inception in 1991. Interested individuals are encouraged to apply by emailing a resume and letter outlining their qualifications in alignment with the above stated requirements to THARRP@BCCSA.CA