JOB VACANCY

Assistant Environmental Consultant

Candidates should be Chartered or working towards Chartered status.

**Summary:**
This multi-disciplinary role reflects the breadth of instructions which NLG receives, from private landowners in forestry / farming to developers / planning consultants in environmental planning. It requires a practically minded environmental professional who can look at the client objectives, design and cost a targeted field survey, gather the information efficiently and produce concise reports within existing templates. The consultant will need to liaise with clients as landowners and work around their business constraints to deliver a good economic outcome.

A sound understanding of the site, objectives and good practice will be required to negotiate with stakeholders including the FC, EA, DEFRA and local authorities. NLG staff pride themselves on their ability to design, plan, cost and deliver woodland and habitat creation, understanding the link between design specification with implementation cost. The candidate would be able to take advice from within the NLG team which also includes the disciplines of Ecology, Arboriculture and Landscaping. The role is based mainly in the Midlands with 1-2 days per week on site but with travel every 4-6 weeks to a more distant site up to 100-150 miles away.

Salary: £26,000 - £30,000

**Experience Required:**
- Soil Survey – from academic study or consultancy experience
- Land management tasks (practical and where possible supervisory / economic understanding) – e.g. from farming, forestry and horticulture.

**Qualifications Required**
- Good Degree or MSc in: Environmental Science, Forestry, Agriculture, Rural & Environmental Land Management, Land Restoration, Geography & Economics
- With a desire to work towards professional membership in the medium term of BSSS, MICFor or IAgE. Would suit graduate with consultancy or sandwich year experience in these industries

**Key Skills**
- Enthusiasm for field survey
- ARCGIS mapping
- Control of personal time management
- Negotiation

To apply for this Assistant Environmental Consultant please email a covering letter, briefly outlining your background and experience and what joining this programme would mean to you, complete with a CV outlining qualifications and professional work experience.

Please email your application to Rachel Verdon at rachel@nicholsonsgb.com by Wednesday 20th July 2022.