

Senior Ecologist

MacArthur Green believes in helping projects that have important benefits to people and nature succeed, and creating a positive environmental legacy through our work.

Our team combines a strong mix of scientific, commercial and regulatory knowledge and experience. This ensures high quality and pragmatic service and advice is consistently delivered. We create a positive environmental legacy by supporting research projects, and investing in our own native woodland planting scheme, which will not only deliver biodiversity benefits, but will help to make MacArthur Green, and the services we deliver, carbon negative.

MacArthur Green specialises in the provision of ornithological, ecological, hydrological, peat and fisheries consultancy services. The sectors we serve include transport, transmission and renewable energy and government. Our work covers the terrestrial and marine environment.

To help important projects succeed and deliver a positive environmental legacy, the values at the core of MacArthur Green are a belief in consistently delivering high quality service and advice, supporting each other in our day to day lives, ensuring that the health and safety of our team is critical to what we do and having a positive impact on the environment.

We require a motivated Senior Ecologist, who shares our values, to join MacArthur Green's specialist team.

Job Description

This successful candidate will report to our Principal Ecologist. The role will include the following:

- Responsibility for project management, coordination, quality assurance and delivery of ecology projects.
- Preparation and review of Ecological Assessments, Habitats Regulations Assessments and technical reports.
- Preparing and coordinating tender submissions.
- Designing and managing the delivery of various types of ecological surveys.
- Managing Ecological Clerk of Works jobs.
- Line management and leadership.
- The position will be primarily office based with a small element of field survey where appropriate.

Essential Criteria

- Strong experience and understanding of the environmental planning system in relation to the production of ecological impact assessments.
- Demonstrable experience and understanding of the European Birds and Habitats Directives and methods for assessments with regards to European Designated sites.
- Experience of undertaking or managing Ecological Clerk of Works (ECoW) roles.
- Strong people management & mentoring skills.



- A flexible and proactive approach to work.
- Comprehensive experience of project management.
- The ability to produce and review high quality reports and deliver them to clients on time and to budget.
- Educated to higher degree level in ecology or related subject, or able to demonstrate an equivalent level of experience.
- Strong IT skill including MS word and excel.
- Experience of working with regulators and statutory advisors.

The position will be based at MacArthur Green's Glasgow office.

An attractive employment package is available. Salary will be dependent on experience. Other benefits include: Profit Share Scheme and Personal Pension Scheme.

Submission is by CV and covering letter to: Judy McKay at judy.mckay@macarthurgreen.com

Deadline: Midday 25th January 2019.

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