Are You Looking for a Cool Way to Make a Difference in the World?

Researcher for WAFA - Volunteer

The dedicated people who volunteer for WAFA (Water Air Food Awards), a non-profit NGO headquartered in Copenhagen, have a dream -- that all people on planet Earth will have access to clean water, clean air, and healthy food. If this is your dream, too, and you have experience as a Researcher, WAFA invites you to apply for their now vacant researcher position.

Here’s what Tina Lindgreen, WAFA’s CEO & President, has to say about the work of her inspired non-profit organization:
“At WAFA Awards, we know that the effort to successfully resolve the world’s many social and environmental challenges is a daunting one. That being said, we also know it’s a challenge that can be resolved if enough dedicated people work together, selflessly, to make a difference.
Based on WAFA’s eleven years of experience in this field, we have realized that the solution begins by providing a platform to acknowledge the silent heroes around the world who have already developed proven, nature-based solutions.
Our approach is a simple one -- to identify and showcase what’s already working to remediate the earth’s environmental and social challenges and then do everything in our power to let all 7.6 billion people know about these low-cost, high impact, planet and people saving initiatives.
As WAFA continues to expand its reach, so does our need for savvy, committed volunteers. Below is a description of a role that we are hoping to fill within the next 30 days. If you know anyone with the skills, experience, and time to become one of WAFA’s new researchers, please forward this post to them. The role is a juicy one and the right person will make a huge difference in the impact WAFA can have worldwide.”

THE WAFA RESEARCHER’S ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:
• Identify potential applicants and applications to WAFA awards.
• Evaluate and rank applications according to predefined criteria.
• Communicate with applicants during pre-selection and evaluation process.
• Lead the applications team [optional].
• Coordinate communication with the selection committee [optional].

JOB REQUIREMENTS (ideally)
• A University degree in social, natural or climate sciences
• Experience in research and data collection
• Experience in the areas of water and food security, air quality or climate, in the Global South countries.
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- Good English skills (both written and oral)
- Commitment to teamwork and consensus-decision making
- Comfortable working in a virtual volunteer organization
- Available a minimum of 6-8 hours per week -- more, if possible
- Able to begin by February 15th

You will be working remotely and require access to a computer with fast internet connection. Regular Skype meetings with the team are required.

If YOU want to join us to help make our dream a reality, we invite you to send your CV/Resume to Tina Lindgreen, WAFA's President and CEO. (tili@wafaward.org) www.wafaward.org

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WAFA successes
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