



Post: Urban Biodiversity and Resilience Officer

Department: Science

Job Description

Key Responsibilities

- Designing and conducting research that links biodiversity with enhanced climate change resilience, including benefits for individuals and communities
- Development of RBGE as a climate change adaptation hub
- Applying for and managing external grant-funding
- Teaching on RBGE's MSc course

Specific Responsibilities

- To be discussed in light of the candidates past experience and expertise

Person Specification

Skills/Aptitude	Essential	Desirable
Leadership skills (Principal Investigator potential or proven)	*	
Excellent written and verbal communication skills across different audiences	*	
Proven grant-writing ability (external-funding)	*	



Knowledge	Essential	Desirable
Knowledge of European/UK/Scottish Biodiversity Policy	*	
Understanding of Scottish Government Priorities and Environmental Strategy	*	
Understanding of Public-Private Partnerships		*

Professional Qualifications:	Essential	Desirable
PhD, Biodiversity and Ecosystem Function/Services	*	
BSc	*	