



Vegetation Ecologist

The 423ha Oman Botanic Garden is currently under construction in Muscat, Sultanate of Oman and is to become one of the world's leading botanical gardens. We now wish to appoint a Vegetation Ecologist to organise and carry out field work that is required in order to obtain propagation material for the Oman Botanic Garden, to assist in habitat planting, and to organise and carry out mapping of all plantings.

Applicants must have: a MSc or PhD in Botany, Biodiversity of Plants, Environmental Science or Vegetation Ecology. Excellent background and knowledge of plant ecology and plant taxonomy are essential. Work experience of at least 3 years, GIS experience and proven record of extended field work is a requirement. Background of practical applied landscaping and/or knowledge of plants of Arabia is of advantage.

Offer: attractive tax-free salary, six weeks annual paid vacation, annual air tickets

Please apply by emailing your CV with covering letter and along with relevant documents supporting the application to omanbotanicgarden@gmail.com or by post to Dr. Annette Patzelt, Oman Botanic Garden, Office for Conservation of the Environment, Diwan of Royal Court, Muscat 100, P.O. Box 246, Sultanate of Oman.

Closing for applications is Wednesday 30 June 2010. Only short-listed applicants will be contacted.