Position Opening: Landscape Designer

Restoration Design Group is a small, interdisciplinary landscape architecture and engineering firm focused on open space design, planning, and ecological restoration. The firm’s work was founded in urban creek restoration and public access design and has evolved to cover a wide range of landscape architectural projects. We strive to create places for all people to play, observe, retreat and relax - to be reconnected with the natural world, and through our work foster better stewardships and empathy towards each other and the environment.

Additional information about RDG can be found on our website: www.RestorationDesignGroup.com and also our social media accounts (@RDG_Inc on Twitter and @RestorationDesignGroup on Instagram).

Position: We are seeking a motivated individual interested in creek restoration with the ability to draft construction documents in AutoCAD, produce graphic materials, and conduct occasional outdoor field work. This position will support RDG’s efforts to bring projects from conceptual design to construction documentation, construction, and post-project monitoring. This includes field work in and along creeks, helping with drafting construction documents, conducting site assessments in the field, and producing digital and/or freehand graphic illustrations. Initially, the position will be remote (home office). Once we are permitted to return to our office, it will be based in RDG’s West Berkeley office.

Essential skills and experience required include:

- Experience in landscape design and planning - recent graduates in landscape architecture or related fields - horticulture and maintenance experience welcome
- Strong interest in creek/habitat restoration ecology
- Adept at learning complex software packages with capacity to adapt to new technologies
- Facility in digital rendering tools (Adobe Suite, SketchUp, or other tools)
- Refined graphic design and graphic communication sensibility
- Organization and management skills to track multiple project tasks and schedules
- Ability to work independently and solve problems through research and other means
- Strong verbal and written communication skills
- Ability and desire to work collaboratively with a team
- Willingness and ability to conduct creek and vegetation monitoring in the outdoors and work in rugged conditions

Landscape Architect license not required.

Salary: Commensurate with experience, includes health and retirement benefits.

Restoration Design Group is committed to inclusivity and diversity in its practice and in its hiring. An equivalent combination of education, training, and experience to effectively perform the job will be considered.

Applicants should submit a resume, portfolio (limit size to 20MB) and cover letter via email to:

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No phone inquiries.