



Hadrian's Wall Heritage Ltd

Sustainable Development Manager

Information for Applicants

The vision of Hadrian's Wall Heritage Ltd is to realise the economic, social and cultural regeneration potential of the Frontiers of the Roman Empire (Hadrian's Wall) World Heritage Site, and the communities and landscapes through which it passes, and to improve economy of the whole of the north of England through a Wall-wide capital investment programme. We have a Capital Programme that includes new destinations for visitors on Hadrian's Wall itself, projects to provide employment and business improvement within the communities that lay either side of the Wall, and projects that encourage and train individuals and businesses to take full advantage of the presence of the Wall in their locality as a business asset (e.g. developing museums, attractions, accommodation and other tourism and economic development related infrastructure).

We require an experienced Development Manager to assist in the delivery of our capital programme and to ensure that benefits are maximised in the communities across Hadrian's Wall. This will involve the development and project management of directly delivered projects ranging from £20,000 to £ million's in value and the building of relationships with a range of stakeholders at both local and regional level. The role will also provide direct support to third party organisations delivering projects that form part of our overall programme.

The role will require someone with experience of the successful development and delivery of capital projects in the public sector, and a real knowledge of project management, preferably backed by recognised qualification, is essential. Candidates should have direct knowledge and experience of several sources of funding within the range of RDA Single Programme, ERDF, RDPE, and HLF grants. The successful candidate will be a confident, outgoing individual who is able to manage their own time effectively and is able to accept responsibility for decision making on a day to day basis. Effectiveness in contributing to, leading and facilitating discussions and meetings within the Company, within a project team, and with stakeholders in the community is also essential.

Salary circa £32,000

The post will be based at Hadrian's Wall Heritage Ltd Office at Hexham, Northumberland. The role will require engagement with people and projects stretching from the North Sea at South Shields to the Irish Sea at Ravenglass, and will sometimes require travel to meetings nationwide.

Application

Applications are invited from candidates with the appropriate qualifications and experience. Please apply with a CV giving a full employment record (including an explanation of any gaps in employment), and a covering letter explaining clearly how you meet the Essential and Desirable Criteria shown in the Job Description.

This is a demanding and varied role and you will not necessarily be excluded if your experience does not fully match the essential criteria. However you should provide information in relation to each of these criteria. You must also supply the names and addresses of two referees. A current driving licence and access to a vehicle are essential requirements.

Please contact Michael Baker, Director of Sustainable Development on tel: 01434 609700, should you wish to discuss this role further before applying.

Closing Date for Applications: 5.00pm on Friday 5th February 2010

Interview Date for Short-listed Applicants: Thursday 18th February 2009

Applications should be sent to Michael Baker on mike.baker@hwhl.co.uk or by post to Hadrian's Wall Heritage Ltd, East Peterel Field, Dipton Mill Road, Hexham, Northumberland, NE46 2JT.