



SEASONAL BAT DATA ANALYST

JOB DESCRIPTION

JOB TITLE

Seasonal Bat Data Analyst

THE ROLE

Scott Cawley Ltd. is looking to recruit a number of new Seasonal Bat Data Analysts to our team for the summer 2023 season. Successful candidates will be offered a 6 month fixed-term seasonal contract (April to September).

This is a full-time role, 5 days per week (37.5 hours).

This role will afford the successful candidate the opportunity to work primarily on bat survey data analysis across numerous projects, including transport infrastructure projects of strategic national importance across Ireland. The candidate will gain invaluable experience in managing and analysing large ecological data sets.

The role will primarily be desk based, during regular office hours, and there is a possibility of this role being facilitated as a remote working role. Full training will be provided to the successful candidate, including specialist and certified training in bat call analysis software and classifying bat calls.

Although focused on bat data analysis and management, dependent on individual's skillsets and business demands, the opportunity may arise to be involved with other ecological work.

DESCRIPTION & RESPONSIBILITIES

- Coordinate and manage the organisation and storage of bat sound file datasets across multiple projects.
- Analysis and classification of bat calls using bat call analysis software (e.g. BatExplorer and/or Kaleidoscope Pro).
- Specialist and certified training in bat call analysis software and classifying bat calls will be provided.
- Other relevant in-house training will be provided as necessary.
- Depending on the nature and volume of the company's work over the summer, the role may additionally involve assisting our team of ecologists in a range of tasks including shadowing or assisting with ecological surveys, desktop data studies, preparing digital maps, drafting and/or contributing to ecological reports.
- Requirement to work as part of a team promoting the business and maintaining the company's reputation and standards.
- Requirement to report regularly to line managers and directors on significant issues arising.

REQUIREMENTS FOR THE ROLE

Essential

- Certified qualification in ecology, natural science or a related biological discipline, or data management.
- Ability to work within a team.
- Ability to work well in a busy environment unsupervised and using own initiative.
- Excellent written and spoken English.
- Excellent communication, organisational, time management and attention to detail skills.
- Excellent IT skills.
- Flexible friendly attitude and willingness to adapt to the changing needs of a small but fast-growing business.

Desirable

- 1 or more years' professional experience in ecological consultancy would be highly desirable but not essential.
- Previous experience in using bat call analysis software (e.g. BatExplorer, Kaleidoscope Pro, GIS).
- Previous experience managing large and complex ecological (or other) datasets.
- Membership of Chartered Institute of Ecology and Environmental Management
- A full driving licence and use of a car.
- Ecological report writing skills.
- A skillset in other ecological areas (e.g. bird identification and survey, botany and habitat survey).

PACKAGE & BENEFITS

- Salary commensurate with experience
- Annual leave of 21 days per annum pro rata.
- Employee Assistance Program, digital gym and wellbeing App.
- Specialist and certified training in bat call analysis software and classifying bat calls will be provided.
- Opportunities for personal and professional growth supported by on the job Continuing Professional Development opportunities.
- Access to a large team of experienced and friendly ecologists in a dynamic and growing company.



HOW TO APPLY

Deadline for applications is **1pm on the 21st February 2023**, by return of **CV and completed application form** emailed to jobs@scottcawley.com.

Application form can be found at www.scottcawley.com/careers

Please note that virtual interviews will be held on **2nd and 3rd March 2023**, and candidates must be available for interview on these dates.