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JUSTDIGGIT IS LOOKING FOR A

PROGRAM MANAGER LANDSCAPE RESTORATION, SENEGAL

Justdiggit is a fast-growing scale-up NGO working on large-scale landscape restoration in Africa. We are looking for an experienced programs manager to set up our first programs in Senegal.

The Justdiggit Story



Location: Dakar

Employment type: Fulltime



ABOUT JUSTDIGGIT

Justdiggit empowers farmers in Sub-Saharan Africa to restore degraded landscapes using rainwater harvesting, agroforestry, and climate resilient agriculture. We are currently active in Kenya, Tanzania, Togo, Ethiopia and Madagascar and aim to expand to Senegal in 2023.

In the next 10 years it is our goal to reach millions of farmers and inspire & activate them to restore all degraded land on the African continent by combining traditional farming techniques with data and modern technology. We are currently developing a 'Regreen app' to spread the knowledge and techniques for regreening to all farmers with an internet connected phone.

To support our efforts and increase impact, we have awareness campaigns running throughout Europe and Africa.



WHO WE ARE LOOKING FOR

As we aim to expand to Senegal, we are looking for an experienced program manager to lead this effort. In this role, you will be Justdiggit's first employee in Senegal. You will work closely together with other Justdiggit staff (mainly based in Nairobi and Amsterdam) to find local implementing partners and set up landscape restoration projects with them. As we also have a strong emphasis on awareness raising, you will also liaise with local media organizations.

We do not have an office in Senegal yet. However, as our footprint grows, we expect to hire additional personnel and set up a regional office in Dakar.



KEY RESPONSIBILITIES

- Identify and select local implementing partners for landscape restoration projects with a strong focus
 on Farmer Managed Natural Regeneration (FMNR) and rainwater harvesting;
- Co-design scalable ecosystem restoration projects with our local implementing partners and the rest
 of the Justdiggit organization;
- Implement and manage landscape restoration projects, including donor reports;
- Be a strong advocate for Justdiggit within Senegal and first point of contact for Senegal-based (potential) partners;
- · Liaise with Senegal-based media organizations;
- Create and drive a growth strategy for Justdiggit in Senegal.

REQUIRED EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

The ideal candidate has:

- · Affinity with Justdiagit's mission:
- A hands-on mentality, shows initiative and has a positive attitude;
- A master's degree in a relevant study, such as environmental science;
- A strong network relevant to this job;
- Several years of experience in a similar position;
- International experience, whether it be working abroad, or working for an international organisation;
- Strong organisational and administrative skills;
- A structured and analytical way of thinking;
- The ability to prioritise, work both independently and as part of a team;
- · Excellent communication skills;

And is fluent in French, English and preferably Wolof.

WHAT DO WE OFFER

We offer you a demanding and meaningful job with broad responsibility in a young and ambitious team. Opportunity to be part of a scale-up in transition, going through a new phase of growth. Working in a truly international environment characterized by great commitment and high team spirit. And above all, you will be part of a great mission: regreening our planet!

We also offer:

- a salary that is market-competitive salary in our sector;
- 25 vacation days per year (based on 40 hours per week);
- a contribution towards the costs of your mobile phone;
- ample room for personal and professional development.



APPLY NOW!

Justdiggit is committed to building a team that includes and welcomes people of different ethnicities, faiths, genders, sexual orientations, and other diverse backgrounds.

If you believe you are the right person for this role, please send your CV of maximum 2 pages and a motivation letter to vacancies@justdiggit.org before December 25th, 2022.

For more information: https://justdiggit.org

