

**BIODIVERSITY & CONSERVATION OFFICER  
MINDANAO, PHILIPPINES**

**ABOUT US**

We are a global company applying our successful model of landscape restoration to contribute to three of the world's most critical environmental problems: the need for effective solutions to mitigate global climate change; holistic restoration of the world's most degraded landscapes; and a growing population that requires sustainable alternatives for consumer products and markets that still contribute to deforestation and deforestation driven emissions.

We have spent the last decade building the framework for bamboo to be a solution to achieve the above and are currently in a phase of rapid scaling.

Our Southeast Asian operations are undertaking the restoration of 8,000 hectares in the Philippines, with a commitment to plant approximately 500,000 seedlings of native bamboo, and a further 250,000 native trees species in 2022.

We are seeking a passionate, enthusiastic and above all adventurous biodiversity and conservation specialist to join our team on the island of Mindanao.

The ideal candidate will have experience and knowledge of the tropical montane forests of the Philippines, and will contribute to species selection and design of our reforestation plans.

**Location:** Mindanao, Philippines

**RESPONSIBILITIES**

- Work hand in hand with our forestry teams to complement the technical
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- Oversee the production of seedlings of native species
- Lead the technical design of the company's indigenous species restoration plan and provide recommendations on the biodiversity mix.
- Oversee, improve and scale our indigenous species cuttings and open root nursery.

This position is a **field based position**, with Monday-Friday spent in the field, returning to Bukidnon on weekends.

## QUALIFICATIONS

- Undergraduate degree in botany, ecology or environmental management and a minimum of 2 years field work experience;
- Postgraduate degree in relevant field a plus;
- Ability to undertake taxonomic identification of key floral species;
- Experience with carrying out biodiversity assessments’
- Proven track record in biodiversity conservation projects a plus;
- Ability to work in a multi-cultural team;
- Meticulous attention to detail;
- Excellent written and spoken English and Tagalog; fluency in Maranao a plus;

*\* This is a fixed term contract or consultancy position with an initial 6 month period and the opportunity to renew for a following 6 month period.*

*\* Candidates must be willing to spend extensive time in the field.*

## WHAT WE OFFER

We offer a competitive remuneration package, growth opportunities and a platform from which to do exciting and meaningful work with an ambitious and passionate team in a vibrant global company that is working towards driving sustainable change.

## TO APPLY

Interested candidates should email a cover letter expressing their interest in the position and how their background meets the requirements of the role, as well as a CV to [info@ecoplanetbamboo.com](mailto:info@ecoplanetbamboo.com). Only qualified candidates will be responded to. Candidates will be reviewed on a rolling basis until the position is filled.