



Job Title:	Nature Conservation Officer
Organization:	Environment Department, Dubai Municipality, Government of Dubai
Job Location	Emirate of Dubai, UAE
Job Type:	Full Time
Salary:	\$ 52000p/a
Application Deadline:	1 st October, 2008
Job Description	<p>This professional level position leads officers dedicated to management of Protected Areas and conservation of biological diversity. The post is responsible for ensuring the creation and delivery of the Management Plan of Protected Areas and Threatened Species of Wild flora and Fauna of the Emirates of Dubai</p> <p>One of the functions of the role will be to support the department in the development, maintenance, implementation and promotion of conservation policies and positions in all relevant areas.</p>

Major Duties and Responsibilities

- Oversee the implementation of Federal Law and Local Wildlife Protection Rules and Regulations
- Developing Emirates policy responses to the International Convention and Protocols like CBD, Climate Change and Ramsar Conventions etc. Develop management plans for the protected areas outlining key activities of implementation of the plan
- Conservation program planning for the rare and threatened wild flora and fauna
- Preparation and production of biodiversity conservation research & educational material
- Establishment and management of GIS- Data base of the biodiversity of the Emirate
- Management of protected area visitors center
- Environmental impact assessment of development projects
- Monitoring and evaluation ecosystem Health

Required Qualification

- The successful candidate will have PhD in Natural Science at least 7 Years of relevant experience in Natural Resource Management and Biodiversity Conservation
- The incumbent must demonstrate a high degree of leadership and an ability to be fully accountable for his/her decisions. The incumbent must possess very good supervisory and time management skills and experience, in order to efficiently manage a diverse and multidisciplinary workload on a priority basis
- Must have solid project and budget management experience, plus ability to solve problems and deliver against challenging goals. International experience and sensitivity to different cultures are also a must

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