



Project Officer: SISI (Scottish Invasive Species Initiative)

Employer: The Deveron, Bogie and Isla Rivers Charitable Trust

Salary: £25,000 per annum (6% employer pension contribution)

Contract: Fixed to Oct 2021 (with possibility of extension)

Hours: Full Time (37.5hrs per week)

Location: The Offices, Avochie Stables, Avochie Estate, Rothiemay, Aberdeenshire, AB54 7YY

About the Trust:

The Deveron, Bogie and Isla Rivers Charitable Trust is a charitable company limited by guarantee, registered in Scotland (No. SC 032131).

The Trust was established in 2001 and has the following aims and objectives:

- To conserve, protect and rehabilitate salmon, sea-trout and trout and other indigenous wildlife and to promote the ecological cycle within the Deveron catchment area.
- To raise people's awareness of conservation and protected areas by commissioning research and publishing the results for the public's benefit.

Website: www.deveron.org

Scottish Invasive Species Initiative - your role:

The Scottish Invasive Species Initiative (SISI) is an exciting four year National Lottery Heritage Fund and SNH funded project in northern Scotland which aims to encourage communities to tackle invasive non-native species (INNS) such as Japanese knotweed, Giant hogweed, Himalayan balsam and American mink. We are looking for a dynamic professional to join our small team as a Project Officer.

The Project Officer will act as the point of contact for the project within the area and work with the Project Manager to deliver the project throughout its lifespan and contribute to ensuring that outputs and outcomes are maintained after the project finishes. You will be responsible for all or specified combinations of the following aspects of the project: communications, education and outreach, volunteer recruitment and management, biosecurity, INNS control and restoration trials.

Website: www.invasivespecies.scot

To Apply:

Submit your CV with a covering letter (not longer than 3 pages), outlining your relevant skills and experience for the job to office@deveron.org

Closing date for applications: 5pm, Monday 16th March 2020

Interviews: 25th March, Huntly (Aberdeenshire)

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