

# Senior Ecologist Vacancy

**Position:** Full-time

**Location:** Based in Polmont near Falkirk, working throughout Scotland

**Salary:** From £25,000 per year dependent on experience + bonus + benefits

Echoes Ecology Ltd are seeking a Senior Ecologist to join our ecology team. Established in 2006, we have a strong reputation for excellence in protected species surveying, mitigation and compensation, and habitat management. We work in numerous sectors for a wide range of clients and our projects are exciting and variable. The successful candidate's role would include the following:

- Project management of ecological contracts, including client and stakeholder liaison
- Field survey work across Scotland
- Management and coaching of junior staff
- Quality assessment of reporting

**Essential Criteria:**

- Proven track record of working in ecological consultancy
- Strong project management skills
- An understanding of Scottish planning policy and wildlife legislation
- Demonstrable high-level botanical identification skills
- Competence in carrying out PEA, Phase 1 habitat surveys and NVC surveys
- Strong reporting skills, including experience with EclA reporting
- Excellent communicative, team-working and organisational skills
- Membership of CIEEM at Associate level or above
- Full driving licence and use of a car (for commuting purposes only)

**Desirable Criteria:**

- Degree qualification in a relevant subject
- Knowledge and experience of surveying at least one faunal group
- Experience with the HRA process and writing HMPs
- One or more protected species licences from SNH
- CSCS card

Working within our business you will qualify for a performance related bonus, contributory pension, private medical insurance, life assurance cover, access to training opportunities and use of company vehicles for all work-related travel. You will receive 25 days holiday plus eight days of public holiday per annum.

If you feel that you have the right qualities and experience to join our team then email your CV and cover letter explaining why you feel you are a suitable candidate for this role to:

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Managing Director  
Echoes Ecology Ltd  
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Agency enquiries will not be considered.

For more details about Echoes Ecology please refer to our website: [www.echoesecology.co.uk](http://www.echoesecology.co.uk)

The closing date for applications is 22.04.18.