



Video Editor Volunteer Role

This is an exciting new opportunity to grow the visual identity of TreeSisters. TreeSisters is an organisation that has arisen out of an experience of volunteering and therefore places volunteering at the heart of its culture.

Our Marketing department is looking for a talented Video Editor to assemble recorded footage into a finished project that matches TreeSisters vision and is suitable for broadcasting across multiple channels.

The Role

To use video/animation footage to truly connect to the mission and allow our audience to understand the difference they are making.

Job brief: Ultimately, as a Film and Video Editor, you should be able to bring sight and sound together in order to tell a cohesive story.

Responsibilities:

- Manipulate and edit film pieces in a way that is invisible to the audience
- Take a brief from the marketing team, transforming those needs and specifications
- Review script and raw material to create continuity
- Obtain music or other supporting materials for projects as required.
- Trim footage segments and put together the sequence of the film
- Input music, dialogues, graphics and effects
- Create rough and final cuts
- Ensure logical sequencing and smooth running
- Consult with stakeholders from across the marketing team throughout the production to post-production process
- Ensure all our content is copyright and within commercial rules.

Requirements:

- Proven work experience as a Video Editor
- Solid experience with digital technology and editing software packages (e.g. Avid Media Composer, Lightworks, Premiere, After Effects and Final Cut)
- Demonstrable video editing ability with a strong portfolio
- Thorough knowledge of timing, motivation and continuity

- Familiarity with special effects, 3D and compositing
- Creative mind and storytelling skills
- BS degree in film studies, cinematography or related field or equivalent experience.

How many hours will the role require?

As this is a new role there can be quite a high degree of flexibility as to how many hours you would volunteer but ideally 6 hours a week.

Benefits of the role.

- It is an opportunity to work on extending TreeSisters visual reach and work on something dynamic, relational and impactful to reforestation.
- The role would also be a fantastic opportunity for anyone looking to gain more experience in the third sector or reforestation.
- Hands-on experience of working with an organisation that is spearheading the need for reciprocity between Nature and humanity.

Support for the Role

- You would be supported by Natalie Harvey who leads our global Marketing team
- You would be part of a small, international group of women who are involved in TreeSisters as volunteers. We have a bespoke group called Heartwood for Volunteers within The Nest, our online forum.
- You would have full training for the role and have staff at hand to call on if you were stuck.
- You would have a full induction into the breadth of work that TreeSisters undertakes.
- All TreeSisters volunteers are invited to optional bi-monthly meetings. These calls are a chance to check in and to connect with each other and the organisation. These calls are hosted once a month by Clare-Marie Chapman, the volunteer coordinator.

Who are we looking for?

Volunteers who:

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- BS degree in film studies, cinematography or related field or equivalent experience
- Have fluency in spoken English
- Are situated in a timezone that is compatible with UK GMT

If you are interested in this role please apply by using our volunteer application form. If you have any questions, please email Clare-Marie, our Volunteer Coordinator - claremarie@treesisters.org

TreeSisters is a UK charity regd. number 1149961 that promotes feminine education and empowerment towards environmental restoration primarily in respect of reforestation. The charity enrolls women into giving back to the environment by donating to restore tropical forests.