

About the Job

Sustainability Technical Education Instructor

Description

Earth Forward Group (EFG) is seeking to hire seasoned professionals to join our growing sustainability education and workforce development team. Candidates must have extensive knowledge and experience in one or more of the following fields; home performance, green building, renewable energy technologies, decarbonization, sustainability, and/or environmental science. Experience in educational instruction and/or curriculum development is a plus. This is an opportunity to join a small, dynamic team that is passionate about advancing the green workforce and empowering the next generation of sustainability leaders. This is a part-time position with an estimated 30-50 hours/month, though hours are flexible based on candidate interest and availability.

Who we are

Earth Forward Group, LLC (EFG) is a woman-owned small business incorporated in the State of Connecticut, with offices throughout New England. The company was formed in New Haven, CT in 2016 and specializes in workforce development programming in the sustainable trades fields. Our work primarily focuses on home performance, green building, renewable energy technologies, decarbonization, and sustainability. EFG currently conducts workforce development training programs for technical and traditional highschool students, entry-level and transitioning workers, and teachers. The majority of these are in-person, hands-on, technical trainings within Connecticut and Massachusetts. Our education team works together closely to create engaging, accessible curriculum and we can't wait to bring new members aboard! To learn more about EFG visit our [website](#).

Roles & Responsibilities

- Instruct groups of up to 20 students in classes related to sustainability, building performance, green building and/or decarbonization.
- Create or consult on creation of curriculum.
- Attend regular meetings with team members.
- Maintain regular contact with program coordinators and update lesson reports regularly.
- Travel to in-person lessons. Mileage is reimbursed.

Required Qualifications

- 10+ years of field experience in one or more of the following fields; home performance, green building, renewable energy technologies, decarbonization, sustainability, environmental science.
- Understanding and passion for sustainability.
- Strong communication skills.

- Proficiency or willingness to learn Google Suites including Sheets, Slides, Docs and Classroom.
- Willingness to complete a background check.
- Active drivers license and access to a vehicle with insurance.
- High school diploma or equivalent.
- Living in Connecticut or Massachusetts.
- Familiarity with general use of Technology.

Advantageous Qualifications

- Experience in creating and/or instructing curriculum related to sustainability.
- Experience in workforce development.
- Field experience in the following trades; carpentry, electrical, HVAC, plumbing, sustainable architecture, masonry, bioenvironmental technology.
- Familiarity with blower door operation.
- Familiarity with duct blaster operation.
- Familiarity with weatherization techniques such as air sealing and insulating,
- Familiarity with heat pump technology.
- Certifications from accredited building performance/green building associations.
- Fluency in multiple languages.

Benefits

- Flexible working hours.
- Remote/hybrid work environment.
- Competitive compensation.
- Paid training, including certification opportunities.

Compensation

The compensation range for this position is \$50-75 per hour.

Candidate Submission Requirements

Please submit a cover letter outlining your interest and qualifications in the role and a resume/CV with three professional references to alison@earthforwardgroup.com with the subject line “Job Application: First Name Last Name, Instructor.”

Earth Forward Group (EFG) is an equal opportunity employer, committed to hiring regardless of any protected characteristic, such as race, ethnicity, national origin, color, sex, gender identity/expression, sexual orientation, religion, age, disability status, or military/veteran status. In keeping with our commitment, EFG will take the steps to assure that people with disabilities are provided reasonable accommodations. Accordingly, if reasonable accommodation is required to fully participate in the job

application or interview process, to perform the essential functions of the position, and/or to receive all other benefits and privileges of employment, please contact samantha@earthforwardgroup.

We will consider for employment qualified applicants with arrest and conviction records in accordance with fair chance laws.