

ADAS is the UK's largest provider of expert solutions and policy advice on rural business and environmental issues. Our strength lies in our ability to provide our clients with an unparalleled range of objective, science-based information, advice and implementation services. Our long-standing relationships servicing Government and industry afford us a unique perspective spanning the environmental, agricultural and rural sectors within the UK and internationally.

## **Job Specification**

We require a well-motivated and dynamic person to expand our existing team. The role requires the provision of GIS expertise and quality scientific output in support of research and commercial projects. The position involves the manipulation and analysis of spatial data, the application of spatial models and a contribution to the development of new scientific ideas as well as the publication of results in reports, at conferences and in the scientific literature. The principal field of work is in the rural and environmental sectors, while we have a developing need for socio-economic expertise.

The role is within the successful and expanding Environment Systems team who deliver policy support and implementation through Environmental Modelling, GIS and Decision Support Systems to a wide range of commercial and Government clients.

#### **Essential Skills**

- Degree in Environmental or Geographical Sciences or related discipline
- Demonstrable experience of the application of GIS to environmental problem solving
- Knowledge of ESRI & industry standard programming languages (VBA, VB, Avenue, AML)
- Familiarity with UK environmental data and / or socio economic datasets
- Excellent communication skills, highly motivated, feel comfortable working in a team environment and able to demonstrate an enthusiastic and innovative approach to work

#### **Desirable Skills**

- Familiarity with the application of environment models in a GIS framework
- Business development experience
- Numerical analyses and report writing
- Knowledge of agri-environment concerns and issues relating to the management of the countryside
- Good experience of programming and / or environmental modelling

#### The Position

- Permanent post
- Salary in the range £18,000 £27,000 dependant on experience
- Office based in the West Midlands

### To Apply

To apply for this post, please send a covering letter and current CV to <a href="Meritage-Weiger-ADAS">Keri Yates</a>, ADAS, Woodthorne, Wergs Road, Wolverhampton, WV6 8TQ.

If you require further information on the post, please telephone Chris Procter on 01902 693162 or email <a href="mailto:Chris.Procter@adas.co.uk">Chris.Procter@adas.co.uk</a>.

The closing date for applications is 20/01/2006.

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