Job Title: Non-Executive Board Director

Working For: Conservative Environment Network

Location: London/Nationwide

Salary: Voluntary

Job Details

The Conservative Environment Network (CEN) is an independent forum for conservatives who support conservation and decarbonisation. We are looking to appoint up to two new non-executive members of our board of directors. These are voluntary roles. Expenses will be covered.

This is a critical time for CEN as we continue to grow in impact and size. We will be strengthening and expanding our network of conservative environmentalists in Parliament, in local government, and internationally. We will also be seeking to build consensus within the conservative movement for positive market-based environmental policy changes, building on recent government announcements, including the Net Zero Strategy, the Environment Act, and the new system of environmental payments for farmers. We are a broad church of conservative environmentalists and we want the diversity of our movement to be represented on our board.

We are looking for people who are passionate about supporting CEN's mission as a small, but growing not-for-profit organisation. We are seeking applicants from a range of professional backgrounds with a deep interest and passion for the environment and UK politics. CEN's success depends on an active and enthusiastic board, who play a key role in setting the overall strategic direction and overseeing the financial management of the organisation. We expect board members to contribute their relevant skills, connections, and time to support CEN deliver its objectives. In particular, we are looking for someone with legal skills to join the board.

Specific responsibilities of board members include:

- Attending quarterly board meetings
- Supporting CEN by attending their events where possible
- Contributing to CEN's organisational strategy
- Providing oversight of CEN's financial management
- Promoting the work of CEN through personal and professional networks

Person specification

• A strong belief in conservative environmentalism

- A senior professional with deep interest and passion for UK politics and the environment
- Legal qualifications are desirable
- Past experience of being a non-executive board director is desirable

Closing date: 6th February 2022

Interview/start dates

Interviews will be held with the current Board and Executive Director and dates will be confirmed in writing. We may start interviewing candidates before the close of applications.

Application details

Please submit your CV and a covering letter to Sam Hall, Director of CEN, at sam.hall@cen.uk.com

Website: https://www.cen.uk.com/