

## Are You Looking for a Cool Way to Make a Difference in the World?

### Chief Awards Officer for WAFWA

The dedicated people who volunteer for WAFWA (Water Air Food Awards), a non-profit NGO headquartered in Copenhagen, have a dream -- that all people on planet Earth will have access to clean water, clean air, and healthy food. If this is *your* dream, too, and you have 3+ years experience in a similar position, WAFWA invites you to apply for their now vacant **Chief Awards Officer position**.



Here's what **Tina Lindgreen, WAFWA's CEO & President**, has to say about the work of her inspired non-profit organization:

"At WAFWA Awards, we know that the effort to successfully resolve the world's many social and environmental challenges is a daunting one. That being said, we also know it's a challenge that can be resolved if enough dedicated people work together, selflessly, to make a difference.

Based on WAFWA's 11 years of experience in this field, we have realized that the solution begins by providing a platform to acknowledge the *silent heroes* around the world who have *already* developed proven, nature-based solutions.

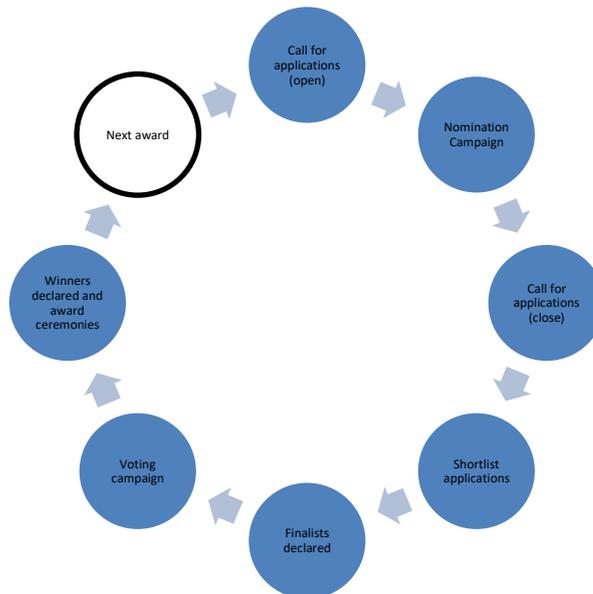
Our approach is a simple one -- to identify and showcase what's *already* working to remediate the earth's environmental and social challenges and then do everything in our power to let all 7.6 billion people know about these low-cost, high impact, planet and people saving initiatives.

As WAFWA continues to expand its reach, so does our need for savvy, committed volunteers. Below is a description of an essential executive role that we are hoping to fill within the next 30 days. If you know anyone with the skills, experience, and time to become WAFWA's new **Chief Awards Officer** please forward this post to them. The role is a juicy one and the right person will make a huge difference in the impact WAFWA can have worldwide."

**THE Wafa CHIEF AWARDS OFFICER’S ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:**

- Create and upgrade a short and long- term Awards strategy in alignment with Wafa’s overall strategy, vision and mission
- Manage the smooth running of the on-line Awards Application system
- Manage the selection process (call for applications, evaluation, pre-selections, shortlisting, selecting finalists, submission for public voting, announce winners)
- Review, examine and score projects
- Regularly review Wafa’s selection criteria
- Liaise with and coordinate an external selection committee (jury)
- Identify new countries to source applications from
- Identify new channels for reaching award candidates
- Recruit, train, retain and inspire a team of committed volunteers
- Co-coordinate selections with Communication & PR, On-line media and IT
- Lead the Research & Application team

**Selection Process:**



## JOB REQUIREMENTS

- Excellent written and oral communication in English, as well as interpersonal skills
- Experience with leading teams and processes
- Critical thinking
- Strong analytical skills
- Ability to work with data, build structures, interpret and reach conclusions
- Experience in sustainability and nature-based solutions
- Working experience in at least one of the water, air, food domains
- Knowledge of emerging economies
- Passion for humanitarian work and environmental and social awareness is needed
- Master's degree or Ph.D (e.g. development studies, economic sustainability) 3+years of experience in a similar position preferable
- Excellent computer skills
- Able to begin by February 15<sup>th</sup>

You will be working remotely and require access to a computer with a fast internet connection. Regular Skype meetings with the team are required.

If YOU want to join us to help make our dream a reality, we invite you to send your CV/Resume to Tina Lindgreen, WAFA's President and CEO. ([tili@wafaward.org](mailto:tili@wafaward.org))

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