

Work Package 4 Project Manager - Scientific

Job Vacancy

Job description

PURPOSE: The Work Package 4 Project Manager will be responsible for coordinating and planning environmental restoration processes resulting from decontamination efforts, leading pilot experiences in naturalisation and treated water conditioning, and participating in habitat recovery efforts that promote biodiversity.

JOB TITLE: Work Package 4 Project Manager – Scientific;

LOCATION: ICT-Core premises in Seville, Spain;

POSITION: Full-Time, 24 months;

FUNDING RESOURCES: Project RECUP-DAS (ERDF, Andalusia).

Main responsibilities

- They will lead the implementation of Work Package (WP) 4 of the project focused on the comprehensive assessment of the environmental, economic and social sustainability of the project;
- They will design and apply methodologies for territorial diagnosis, ecosystem services assessment and socio-economic impact analysis;
- They will coordinate cost-benefit analysis studies, mining waste recovery and territorial replicability potential;
- They will integrate the results of WP4 with the outputs generated in WPs 2 and 3;
- They will validate the quality and consistency of the scientific data used in the project;

- They will supervise the contracting and subcontracting of specialised services where appropriate and subsequently coordinate/direct them;
- They will coordinate, together with the LifeWatch ERIC Project Operative Coordinator and the Technical Project Coordinator, the scientific work, ensuring methodological and functional alignment between the project objectives and the LifeWatch ERIC global strategy;
- They will act as a methodological liaison between University of Huelva (UHU, Tharsis Group) and the scientific and technical teams of the Regional Ministry of Agriculture and the Agencia de Medio Ambiente y Agua de Andalusia (AMAYA);
- They will participate in the preparation of strategic reports, publications and technical documents aimed at transferring results and public policies;
- They will support and advise the LifeWatch ERIC Project Operative Coordinator in strategic decision-making for the project.

The ideal candidate should meet the following requirements

- A degree in Science, or Bio-Chemical Engineering in Environmental Sciences or any other relevant domain;
- Specific training on Project management, European, national and regional funding programs, European regulations related to biodiversity and the circular economy;
- Minimum 10-year experience in environmental restoration projects in degraded habitats and/or projects or initiatives related to circular mining;
- Proven experience working in environmental sustainability and impact assessment;
- Proven experience in assessment of ecosystem services, territorial diagnosis, multi-criteria analysis and cost/benefit analysis techniques, as well as socio-economic impact and circular sustainability;

- Advanced management of GIS tools, statistics and visualisation of results;
- Familiar with European regulations related with biodiversity and circular economy;
- Good communication skills in English (Minimum B2 Level);
- Proven organisation and communication skills, proactivity, capacity of working in teams and under tight deadlines, in international environments and in multi-language contexts;
- Be available to frequent visit to the intervention area according to the specific needs of the project;
- High-standard of work ethics.

The vacancy is subject to the following procedure

- A **short covering letter** and **Curriculum Vitae**¹ (EUROPASS format and annexes, 4 pages at the most) shall be written in English and addressed to the **People & Culture Manager** by **12 March 2026**. Please use the form available at this link: <https://zfrmz.eu/KHxMv15EmgLXfczD6kdD>;
- The selection process will follow the Employment Policy of LifeWatch ERIC;
- Only shortlisted candidates will be re-contacted. Selected candidates may be called for an interview.
- Interviews will take place from **13 March 2026 to 20 March 2026**;
- They will be appointed for a 24-month period. A competitive gross salary, 45.000,00 - 50.000,00 € based on the qualifications and experience of the candidate, will be offered.

¹ According to Spanish Privacy Protection Law (Ley Orgánica 3/2018) any resume not mentioning explicitly the following wording: 'I authorise the use of my personal data in accordance with RGDP and Ley Orgánica 3/2018 will be automatically deleted from our database and consequently not taken into consideration.

Employment will be in Spain, following Spanish employment law and subject to a 180-day trial (probation) period;

- This position is Full-Time. The main office will be located at the ICT-Core premises in Seville, Spain, without prejudice to the establishment of others in the future;
- Start date in office for the **Work Package 4 Project Manager - Scientific: April-May.**

LifeWatch ERIC is an equal opportunity employer, and encourages all qualified candidates to apply, regardless of ethnicity, gender, age, national origin, or sexual orientation.