



FACILITY MANAGER IN THE SAHARA FOREST PROJECT

The Sahara Forest Project AS is a Norwegian private limited liability company. The purpose of the company is to create profitable innovation and environmental solutions within the food, water and energy sector in arid areas. With leading competence in fields ranging from natural and social sciences to business, engineering, architecture and agricultural techniques, The Sahara Forest Project has a track record of creating ground-breaking ideas and turning them into reality on the ground. The core value offering includes production facilities with saltwater-cooled greenhouses, outdoor vegetation zones and renewable energy generation as well as technical and commercial studies to analyse and define applicable solutions to integrated Water, Energy and Food challenges.

At SFP, you will be a part of a tightly-knit and motivated team of 14 staff-members working from the headquarters in Norway, offices in the UK and operations in Jordan. The company has started construction of a research and production facility in Jordan and is working to realize projects also in several other arid countries.

We are seeking an accomplished and motivated person to the newly established position as Facility Manager in The Sahara Forest Project based in Aqaba, Jordan. As a Facility Manager you will have a unique opportunity to have full operational responsibility for an integrated food, water and energy production facility of the future. Key technological elements of the facility include saltwater-cooled greenhouses, desalination unit, PV-panels, salt ponds and revegetation zones.

As a Facility Manager you will be permanently positioned in Aqaba, Jordan. The Facility Manager will report to the CFO and have the following main responsibilities:

- Full operational responsible for our production facility including productivity, cost and quality
- Leadership responsibility for approx. 5 local employees
- Act as local representative for SFP in Jordan in alignment with SFP management including local representation towards authorities, contractors and other stakeholders
- Local customer relationship management
- Contribute local support to business development for expanding the SFP facility
- Dialogue with other SFP personnel to coordinate value engineering activities, implementation of R&D programs, media events and stakeholder engagement

You are a structured and goal oriented person, combining a passion for innovation and sustainability with:

- Demonstrated operational leadership acumen
- A technically focused master's degree and/or field experience
- A self-driven, self-motivated and pragmatic approach
- Excellent communication skills
- Strong cultural understanding. Preferably with prior experience from working in the middle east
- A practical, proactive and commercial attitude

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