

Ashoka Trust for Research in Ecology and the Environment (ATREE)

ATREE seeks a dynamic leader as **DIRECTOR** to lead the organization, enhance its profile, inspire the confidence of its core staff, and oversee programs, internal operations and external relations. Set up in 1996 as a knowledge-generating institution to meet India's pressing environmental challenges, ATREE's vision is of a society committed to environmental conservation and socially just development.

Responsibilities

The Director will:

- Lead ATREE in realizing its strategic vision and overseeing the implementation and execution of its research programs.
- Provide intellectual and managerial leadership to faculty and administrative staff; uphold ATREE's strong value system.
- Represent ATREE externally, and develop collaborative alliances with leading national and international organizations and government agencies.
- Provide leadership for fund-raising efforts to secure resources from foundations, bilateral agencies, private donors and government agencies.
- Develop financial plans, marshaling monetary and human resources to execute short and long-term plans.
- Promote smooth and excellent governance of the institution.

Qualifications and experience

- An advanced degree in natural or social sciences, a proven record of academic achievements and an active research program to provide intellectual and strategic leadership.
- A demonstrated record of leadership in national or international organization(s), proven record in managing a complex and growing organization.
- Excellent communication skills to represent the organization externally and to manage operations internally.
- A proven record of successful fund-raising and financial planning.
- A demonstrated ability to foster collegiality and team building internally and networking externally.

ATREE is an equal opportunity employer, and fosters diversity at the work place. Applications from women, gender minorities and under-privileged sections of society are strongly encouraged.

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Please send nominations or applications in confidence by **31 December 2014** to:
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