

## VACANCY



Position(s): Area Warden; and/or  
Maintenance / Technical Manager

Background: The NamibRand East Nature Reserve, located in southern Namibia, is a private nature reserve established to help protect and conserve the unique ecology and wildlife of the south-west Namib Desert. This Reserve will be a new sister Reserve to the existing NamibRand Nature Reserve to safeguard an irreplaceable ecosystem and re-wild the land. The new Reserve will work to re-habilitate a large-scale functioning ecosystem and help to restore ancient migration routes which have been blocked by fences. Rehabilitating this area and turning its land use into nature conservation will allow significant carbon sequestration to take place alongside protection of endangered species.

Scope of Work: The Area Warden and/or the Maintenance / Technical Manager are based at NamibRand East's headquarters, Nubib and are responsible for the natural resource and biodiversity management of the Reserve. Under the guidance of the NamibRand Conservation Trust and the management team of the NamibRand Nature Reserve (reporting to the Control Warden) they are in charge for all day-to-day nature conservation work, strategic development work, liaison with stakeholders, neighbourly relations, research co-ordination, outreach, promotion and public relations as well as the day-to-day running and maintenance of the Reserve.

Requirements: A tertiary qualification in a relevant field, preferably Nature Conservation and/or technical/ mechanical skills.  
A valid driver's license.  
Good computer and report writing skills. Proficiency in GIS would be an advantage.  
At least five years of experience in natural resource management or wildlife and park management.  
Qualification and/or experience with maintenance of machinery, equipment, boreholes, water infrastructure, fences, roads, electrical systems, upkeep of homesteads and gardening.  
Previously disadvantaged and/or female and/or candidates from the Hardap region are encouraged to apply.  
Couples are encouraged to apply.

Application: Send a covering letter and you CV to:  
Nils Odendaal  
NamibRand Conservation Trust  
Email: [info@namibrand.org](mailto:info@namibrand.org)

Closing date: 19 March 2021 – Only short listed candidates will be contacted