

Job Advert: Planning Consultant

Wilson Wraight is a leading provider of agricultural, environmental, and planning consultancy services. Based in Bury St Edmunds and led by five Partners, we pride ourselves in delivering valuable and impartial advice to help our clients identify the most effective route towards achieving their personal and business objectives. Our services generate long-lasting value for clients.

This is an exciting opportunity to progress your career within a recently established planning team. We currently operate on projects predominantly in East Anglia but also have a national coverage.

We are seeking candidates with private and/or public sector experience in planning and development roles, as well as experience in engaging with clients, consultants and other stakeholders.

The successful Planning Consultant will be working alongside the team to take forward a diverse portfolio of projects within the rural, residential and commercial sectors.

For this role candidates are sought with:

- RTPI accredited degree or post-graduate qualification in Town Planning
- Membership or progressing towards MRTPI or MRICS status
- A minimum of 2-3 years' experience in a Planning related role
- Excellent communication and report writing skills
- A good knowledge of planning law and procedures
- A full clean driving licence and access to their own vehicle
- Ability to use CAD software to produce basic floorplans and elevations would be desirable but not essential.

Your responsibilities will include the following:

- Research
- Preparing Planning appraisals and statements
- Preparing Local Plan representations
- Submitting planning applications and appeals
- Undertaking site visits
- Meeting clients
- Liaising & negotiating with planning officers
- Attending planning committee
- Attending informal Hearings and Public Inquiries

We offer great career opportunities and provide excellent remuneration and a flexible benefits package including pension, private healthcare and discretionary bonus.

To apply, please send your CV and a covering letter detailing your experience to date, qualifications achieved and salary expectations to Susan Doogan, sdoogan@wilsonwraight.co.uk. Alternatively, you can call Dan Hewett, Head of Planning on 07469 022069 for an informal discussion.