

Chief Landscape Architect

Job Information Pack

Job Title	Chief Landscape Architect
Location	Riyadh, Saudi Arabia

The Role

Omrania is looking for a Chief Landscape Architect, able to carry out the day to day management, or oversight on and leadership of design of the Landscape architecture department, maintaining and enhancing quality standards, effectiveness, and leadership in promoting the image and values of the company within that group. We need someone who holds a Bachelor's Degree in Landscape Architecture. With 20+ years of experience at a senior level in major and/or complex projects in an ICC or RIBA practice-based environment.

Responsibilities:

Management and Design Team Management role:

- Strategic Project Leadership on all projects within this discipline.
- Monitoring of the application of company QMS procedures.
- Oversight on adherence to Omrania Design Ethos at all stages of projects.
- Oversight on project hourly allocation and expenditure, reporting to the Project Manager.
- Oversight on and contribution to group training and mentoring program.
- Oversight on adherence to Code of Conduct and Ethics within the group.
- Oversight on or direct involvement in non-landscape design projects (studies, assessments, etc.).
- Oversight on landscape design project task planning and workflow as defined within the PEP.
- Oversight on productivity within section, identification, and with Design Director input, correction of issues.
- Preparation of RFPs/EOIs, Technical and Fee Proposals in support of the Project Manager.

Day-to-day routines: Support to Chief Architect in the preparation and maintenance of; Weekly planner, Six-month planner, and Team Organization Chart. Team resource allocation, prioritization, and management.

Communications role: Liaison with Design Director and Project Management Director, Project managers, ICT department, H.R. department, marketing department. Liaison with company senior Management as necessary.

Knowledge role: Oversight on and high-level response to early-stage and technical design issues, and high-level oversight on design quality, constructability, O&M practicability. Building codes and standards, Fire and Life Safety design principles relevant to landscape design, Inclusive design, and accessibility. Ability to learn and implement Saudi Building Code and other standards applicable to this discipline.

Skills and qualifications:

- Under the direction of the Design Director, delegate, manage, and coordinate the performance of the Landscape Architectural Team.
- Required: Ordinary Degree in Landscape Architecture (3 years full-time), from a Saudi Council of Engineers recognized School of Landscape Architecture.
- 20+ years of proven experience at a senior level at all stages of major and/or complex projects in an ICC or RIBA practice-based environment; from proposal preparation to final completion and close-out of projects.
- Excellent communication, collaboration, and interpersonal skills within complex multi-disciplinary design teams, and in communicating with clients, authorities having jurisdiction, and other third parties.
- Positive mentoring capability, promoting our young team of designers and trainees within a project context.
- Required: Fluency and comprehension in English language. Desirable: Fluency and comprehension in Arabic language.

Compensation & Benefits:

- Competitive Salary
- Family Status
- Health Insurance
- Life Insurance
- Annual Plane Tickets

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