

Company Background

The Pakistan Environment Trust (PET) is a non-profit organisation working towards tackling Pakistan's toughest environmental challenges. We partner with leaders from business, finance, government, and non-profits to deliver initiatives that are enabling the transition towards a climate-resilient, low-carbon, and biodiverse Pakistan.

Net Zero Pakistan (NZN) is one of PET's core programmes that aims to mobilise Pakistan's sustainability transition. NZN is a coalition that convenes Pakistan's leading corporations and public sector institutions in a collaboration that seeks to deliver the goal of net zero carbon for Pakistan by 2050.

Some key laurels of NZN are:

1. *Have 23 leading textile manufacturers as members (contributing 15-20% of Pakistan's exports)*
2. *Are an official Accelerator of UN's Race to Zero campaign.*
3. *Have partnerships with leading global coalitions of brands such as Apparel Impact Institute, Fashion For Good, Sustainable Apparel Coalition, Global Fashion Agenda, and Textile Exchange.*
4. *Recognized by international media platforms (including Forbes) as one of the most impactful initiatives in the Global South.*

Please see [our website](#) for further details about our organisation.

Position Description

We are currently looking for an exceptional candidate to take on the role of a Programme Associate to lead Net Zero Pakistan's stakeholder engagement activities and support in the development of the program.

Duties and responsibilities for the Programme Associate will include:

- Plan and execute regular stakeholder engagement activities such as townhalls, webinars, workshops, and meetings, working with various partners on decarbonization topics
- Develop and implement initiatives to support members in achieving their decarbonization and sustainability goals
- Engage and collaborate with leading local and international industry professionals, including Net Zero Pakistan members, on a regular basis and aid in the development of decarbonisation roadmaps for various sectors
- Identify and develop new opportunities for Net Zero Pakistan members to share knowledge and collaborate within the coalition and with external stakeholders
- Continuously improve by capturing and analysing appropriate impact metrics and best practices on industrial decarbonization, and evolving strategy based on those latest insights
- Stay up-to-date with the latest trends and best practices in sustainability and net zero, and share this knowledge with members and the team
- Collaborate with the team on developing reports to be shared with different stakeholders.
- Mentor and advise team members
- Establish cross-collaboration with other PET programmes (Carbon Pathways, Re-Wild Pakistan) to assist on various initiatives as and when needed
- Support PET team with any on-going priorities to ensure work is effectively and efficiently carried out

Experience and Qualifications

This is an extraordinary opportunity for an individual to work at an organisation that is transforming Pakistan's ability to preserve its environment and tackle climate change. We expect our ideal candidate to have the following experience and qualifications:

- Strong Master's degree in a relevant field (e.g. communications, business, finance) from a reputable university
- Minimum 2-3 years of working experience
- Excellent writing and communication skills
- Ability to take ownership of time-sensitive projects and collaborate effectively with cross-functional teams
- *Preferred:*
 - Knowledge of topics linked to climate change, sustainability, and international development
 - Knowledge of industry sustainability standards will be a plus (e.g. GHG emissions targets setting, measurement, reduction), because the role will require engagement with the industry and experts (e.g. EcoAct, South Pole) on these topics

Additional Details

This is an immediate staffing need, and we expect to fill the position as soon as possible. The successful candidate will be offered a competitive salary and is expected to be based in Pakistan, with flexibility on location and working set-up.

To apply for this role, please apply [here](#). References will be requested for candidates that are shortlisted as part of our interview process.