

30 April 2014

Wildlife Stud Services (WS²) invites applications for the following position in PRETORIA:

ANIMAL/WILDLIFE SCIENTIST

(Genetic and wildlife stud breeding advisory services)

Wildlife Stud Services (Pty) Ltd. operates as an Independent Wildlife Registration Authority and uses the International Livestock Register (ILR²) software system. This system has been adapted to address the needs of the wildlife stud breeding industry in South Africa and also offers genetic tools to assist the wildlife breeders to manage genetic improvement and diversity within their ranches. WS² is the leading innovator in the wildlife breeding industry and this is a once in a lifetime opportunity for a scientist with pioneering aptitude.

REQUIREMENTS:

- Relevant qualification in Animal/Wildlife Science
- Registered with SACNASP as Natural Scientist or Candidate Natural Scientist in a relevant field
- Experience in wildlife/livestock stud breeding (registration, recording & genetic analysis) previous experience with ILR²/BREEDPLAN or similar would be advantageous
- Good communication and marketing skills
- Computer literate (advanced)

Key performance areas:

- Farm visits, advising farmers on genetic improvement
- Planning, marketing and administration
- Education and training
- Research and scientific writing skills

Applications together with a short cv should be forwarded to Rolindie van Druten at: admin@ws2.org.za

DEADLINE: 16th May 2014

Applicants who have not heard from the office within 30 days of the closing date may assume that their application has been unsuccessful and they are hereby thanked for their interest