

RRC Bulletin

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SCIENCE & TECHNICAL OFFICER - RRC JOB VACANCY

RRC is currently recruiting for a Science & Technical Officer to help us drive forward river restoration in the UK and Ireland. This includes working with and restoring natural processes, natural flood management, nature based solutions and habitat enhancement - combining practice, science and policy.

You will provide expert advice and guidance. This will include delivery of assessments, planning options and scoping potential projects, supporting research, authoring guidance documents and evaluating restoration success. The role also encompasses the design and delivery of training courses and the coordination of a new international river restoration science conference.

Deadline 19th March 2020

[Find out more & apply](#)

2020 RIVER CHAMPIONS - NOMINATION DEADLINE 5TH MARCH

Nominations are now open for the River Champions! Do you know someone who volunteers their time outside of their day-to-day role to help enhance, restore, conserve or improve our waterways? Nominate them now and acknowledge their hard work and efforts! This award looks to recognise those going out of their way to help improve our river environments.

[Find out more & nominate](#)

NEWS & EVENTS

Invitation to Tender - Torridge River
Restoration Project Gravel Augmentation

[Find out more](#)

Environment Agency's Challenges and Choices Consultation is seeking views on the challenges our waters face and the choices we all need to make to improve and protect this precious resource. The responses will help shape the future approach to the management of the water environment and be used to update the existing river basin management plans in 2021.

Deadline 24th April 2020

[Find out more](#)

[Estate owners across UK queue up to reintroduce beavers](#)

[Emergency Recovery Plan could halt collapse in freshwater biodiversity](#)

[Catchment-based Approach triples public investment](#)

[Respecting river diversity - Australia's rivers & geomorphology](#)

[World Water Day - 22nd March 2020](#)

[IUCN Council adopts first Global Standard on Nature-based Solutions](#)

Do you have experience using leaky dams? Could you comment on their resilience towards reducing downstream flood risk?

If you have been involved in the installation or monitoring of leaky dams we would be grateful if you could please contact [Zora van Leeuwen](#) directly at gyzrvl@leeds.ac.uk. From this collaboration, Zora aims to assess leaky dams to improve design.

[Find out more](#)

[Latest news and events](#)

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