



Position Opening RESNET WER Index Manager

The Residential Energy Services Network (RESNET), a non-profit membership organization, has over two decades of experience of setting the standards for quality for the HERS Rating industry. To date over 1.9 million homes have been HERS Rated through RESNET. For more information go to www.resnet.us.

Water is the new frontier for RESNET and HERS Raters. In many parts of the nation, water is fast becoming an ever increasingly expensive commodity. There is clearly a need for a system to rate a home's efficiency in water use. This will allow homebuyers to know how efficiently water is being used in the homes they are considering to buy. It will also provide an opportunity for homebuilders to monetize the efficiency of their homes in the same fashion that the HERS Index plays for energy efficiency. RESNET is developing a Water Efficiency Rating (WER) Index that will involve the inspection of a home's indoor and outdoor water efficiency and provide an overall rating index of the home's performance. The WER Index is similar to RESNET's HERS Index but is rating a home's water efficiency. Current HERS Raters will be able to do the WER Index rating work.

The development of the WER Index is being guided by RESNET who is partnering with the International Code Council (ICC) to develop a national consensus standard for a Water Efficiency Rating Index (WER Index).

The development of the WER Index is being guided by a WER Index Working Group that is co-chaired by

- Jacob Atalla of KB Home
- Ed Osann of the Natural Resources Defense Council
- Jonah Schein of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's WaterSense program

For more information go to

http://www.resnet.us/professional/about/resnet_to_develop_water_efficiency_rating_system

To accomplish the goals of developing a WER Index, RESNET is seeking candidates for a

full time RESNET WER Index Manager position. Ideal candidates will be passionate about water efficiency and building performance as well as being familiar with the industry. This is a full-time, home-based position.

Requirements for this new position will include:

- I. Provide Staff Support of the WER Index Working Group**
- II. Coordinate with the International Code Council in Developing a Joint ANSI Standard**
- III. Provide Staff Support to the RESNET WER Index Working Group Technical Subcommittees on Rating Inspection and Testing Procedures and Rater Training and Qualification Requirements**
- IV. Draft RESNET Standard on Rating Inspection and Testing Procedures and Rater Training and Qualification Requirements**
- V. Oversee Development of Marketing Collateral Material on the WER Index.**
This could include:
 - Factsheets
 - Infographics
 - Video
 - PowerPoint Presentations
- VI. Represent RESNET on the WER Index at Water and Energy Efficiency Forums**
- VII. Exhibit at Water Efficiency Trade Shows**
- VIII. Recruit Strategic Partners in Support of the WER Index Effort**
- VIII. Other Duties as Assigned**

Necessary Skills

- Excellent verbal, written and presentation skills
- Outstanding Microsoft Office skills
- Proven ability to plan and execute strategies
- Creative and critical thinker
- Proven ability to develop, maintain and leverage critical professional relationships
- Attention to detail
- Flexible team player
- Self-starter
- Previous experience in program management

Experience and Education

Experience with:

- Program Management
- Water or Energy Efficiency
- Experience working with technical committees or code setting bodies

- Making Public Presentations
- Project Planning
- Working from home

Education: Bachelor's degree in a related field is desired.

More about the position

- Driver's license required
- Travel will be required
- This is an "at will" position with a 3 month probationary period
- Paid vacation and sick leave are included
- Medical insurance coverage is a benefit provided by RESNET to its employees
- Salary and compensation commensurate with qualifications and experience

Applications

Applicants are considered for all positions without regard to race, color, creed, religion, age, national origin, alienage or citizenship status, gender, sexual orientation, gender identity, marital or partnership status, disability, military status, veteran status, or predisposing genetic characteristics. RESNET does not discriminate on the basis of physical or mental disability where the essential functions of the job can be reasonably accommodated. Determinations of requests for necessary accommodation will be made on a case-by-case basis.

Please submit a cover letter, your resume and a list of three references to Kathy Spigarelli, RESNET Deputy Director at kspig@resnet.us). Job references will not be contacted without your permission.
