

# **Opening for Internship REDD**

Location: Amsterdam;

Period: as of immediate; part-time possible

### The Company

Original Beans is an award winning chocolate company, that markets and distributes across retailers, highend restaurants and hotels in Europe and overseas a range of super-premium chocolates. The company's mission focuses on the promotion of rainforest conservation in the regions it sources cacao beans from, and a sound ecological management along the rest of the supply chain. One of Original Beans' primary drivers is to create positive messages around the promise of replenishing supply chains: returning more to the Earth than they take. "Rigorously sustainable, luxuriously chocolate", is a simple summary of Original Beans' ethos and team spirit.

#### **Job Description**

This internship is offered in the Cacao Conservation team and reports directly to the CEO. It is focused on formalizing and successfully transacting a REDD type business deal and includes:

- Supporting the successful transaction of a first REDD type deal, including final responsibility
  - o to coordinate all project activities and partners
  - to maintain project relevant budgets
  - to produce content for the marketing and communications departments of both, the customer and Original Beans
- Facilitating the collaboration among the Cacao Conservation Team
  - o to develop an in-house REDD & reforestation carbon methodology
  - o to standardize tools
  - o to source new carbon projects
  - o to acquire grant funding
- Improving the implementation of the Original Beans tree-planting program
- Supporting the preparation of the Femmes de Virunga campaign with regard to conservation information

## Qualifications and winning candidate characteristics

- Passionate about climate, conservation and chocolate
- Articulate and convincing in English, Spanish, and preferably Dutch communication
- Strong applied science background with field experience in the Tropics
- Familiar and able to acquire government grants
- Strong communication skills
- Self-starting and self-sufficient
- Available to travel
- Minimum age: 20 years

#### Remuneration

Remuneration is based on Dutch standard internship remuneration.

## **Application**

Please send your CV and covering letter as soon as possible to <a href="mailto:philipp@originalbeans.com">philipp@originalbeans.com</a>.

