



POSITION AVAILABLE

Principal Investigator Historic Archaeology

PAL, a leading cultural resource management and historic preservation planning firm in New England, has an immediate opening for a Principal Investigator (PI) with an emphasis on historical archaeology and Northeast archaeological experience. This is a senior level position that requires broad technical field experience; strong personnel and client management capabilities; and excellent research, writing, and artifact identification skills.

Minimum qualifications:

- M.A. in anthropology, archaeology, or related field;
- Meet the Secretary of the Interior's Professional Qualifications Standards in Archaeology;
- Minimum of five years CRM experience on Northeast archaeological projects;
- Demonstrated experience in directing a range of archaeological projects from assessment, identification, and evaluation through mitigation phases;
- Demonstrated understanding of federal, state, and local laws and regulations related to cultural resource management;
- Demonstrated proficiency using GPS and GIS as mapping and data analyses tools;
- Strong post-contact artifact identification and interpretation skills;
- Proven track record of successful technical documentation submittals to federal and state review agencies; and
- Ability and willingness to travel for assigned projects, client meetings, and other job-related events.

Preferred qualifications

- Minimum of 5 experience directing archaeological projects;
- Demonstrated familiarity with online and local/state/federal research materials including land evidence and probate records, tax records, and historical maps;
- Demonstrated ability to analyze and synthesize a wide range of documentary data and prepare cohesive historical (and thematic) contexts;
- Experience writing National Register documentation with specific reference to archaeological properties; and
- Working familiarity with architectural history and preservation planning and how those fields intersect with archaeology in a CRM context.

PAL seeks a creative and proactive problem solver with a team-oriented approach and a commitment to training and mentoring junior staff and advocating for safety on all project assignments. PAL PIs work in the field and in the office depending on the needs of the project. Located in the greater Providence area, PAL offers competitive pay and a comprehensive benefits package.

Qualified applicants should send a resume and cover letter to:

oadmin@palinc.com and must include *Principal Investigator* in the email's subject line.

This position will remain open until filled. This job posting is also available on PAL's website:

<http://www.palinc.com/about-us/employment-opportunities>

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