

# ***RADICAL ECOLOGY***

## **Call for Advisory Board Members**

Join us in shaping and sustaining a studio for decolonial environmental research

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Radical Ecology is inviting expressions of interest for our Advisory Board — a small, cross-disciplinary group of critical friends and collaborators who will support the organisation's growth, accountability, and long-term impact.

This is a voluntary position, offered for a one-year term (renewable). We're seeking 5–8 individuals who can offer a mix of strategic insight and operational guidance — supporting Radical Ecology to stay rooted in its values while growing sustainably as an organisation.

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## **About Radical Ecology**

Radical Ecology is an artist-led studio based in Dartington, South Devon, working at the intersection of racial justice and environmental action. We collaborate with artists, researchers, communities and campaigners to explore the cultural, historical and systemic roots of climate breakdown and racial harm — and to imagine just, collective futures.

Our work spans:

- Art, performance, film and publishing
- Climate science and environmental research
- Heritage and land conservation
- Refugee and asylum seeker support
- Policy, education and social justice organising

We are a small, agile organisation with an expanding programme and public presence. Our team works part-time from our shared studio at Webbers Yard in Dartington, with projects and partnerships that reach across the UK and internationally.

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## **About the Advisory Board**

The Advisory Board (AB) will provide a key layer of accountability, strategic reflection and specialist input for Radical Ecology. While not a legal board of trustees, the AB will play an essential role in helping the organisation remain aligned, effective and resilient — from programme to policy, from values to viability.

Advisory Board members:

- Attend three online meetings per year (1.5–2 hrs)
- Join one in-person meeting per year in Dartington (expenses covered)
- Receive and reflect on updates including programme plans, financial summaries, organisational policies, and fundraising strategies
- Provide thought partnership on questions such as:
  - What now for Radical Ecology?
  - What is the world context we are operating within — and how should we respond?
  - How can Radical Ecology remain both principled and practical in its growth?
  - What is needed to sustain this work — culturally, financially, structurally?

Depending on your background and availability, you may also be invited to contribute light-touch support or advice outside meetings — e.g. commenting on a grant application, flagging a relevant contact, reviewing a policy, or offering insight on finance, HR, or governance.

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## **Who We're Looking For**

We're looking for individuals whose insight, experience or lived reality speaks to the range of Radical Ecology's work. This could include (but is not limited to):

- Climate scientists or environmental researchers
- Artists, curators, cultural workers and cultural strategists
- People working in land justice, conservation or heritage sectors
- Individuals with experience supporting refugees and asylum seekers
- Practitioners in policy, civil society or advocacy spaces
- Fundraisers, finance or HR professionals with experience in small orgs
- People working within universities, decolonial education or interdisciplinary research
- Systems thinkers, social entrepreneurs or grassroots organisers

We aim to assemble a group that reflects a range of disciplines, identities and experiences. We especially welcome expressions of interest from people from Black, brown, Indigenous and global majority communities, disabled people, LGBTQIA+ people, people from working-class backgrounds, and anyone whose work lives at the margins of conventional sectors.

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### **Commitment and Support**

- Term: 1 year (Autumn 2025–26), renewable by mutual agreement
  - Time: ~10–12 hours/year, including meetings, reading, and optional contributions
  - Location: Online + 1 in-person meeting in Dartington (travel covered)
  - Support: Members receive a full onboarding pack, clear agendas and documentation, and support to contribute in ways that match your capacity
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### **How to Express Interest**

Please send a short expression of interest — written, audio or video (up to 1 page or 3 minutes) — covering:

- Why you're interested in Radical Ecology and this role
- What experience, insight or support you would bring
- Anything you would need from us to participate (e.g. access, travel, childcare, flexibility)

 Email: [opportunities@radicalecology.earth](mailto:opportunities@radicalecology.earth)

 Deadline: 31<sup>st</sup> August 2025, midday

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