## Position available: Organizer in multi-faith-rooted April Action to prevent climate catastrophe and win eco/social justice.

The Shalom Center works to be a prophetic voice in Jewish, multireligious and American life.

We are recruiting a full time, skilled organizer for a six-month project to engage faith communities and activists in April 2022 during the convergence of Passover, Holy Week, Ramadan, Earth Day and the commemoration of the life of the Reverend Doctor Martin Luther King.

The organizer will act as a "seed-sprouter" to engage faith communities in the United States to confront the corporate, financial, and governmental interests that continue policies which stand in the way of preventing climate disaster and related eco-destruction of marginalized neighborhoods.

The organizer will work with a network of committed individuals and faith organizations on a program to actively recruit faith communities to engage their congregants and to gain the support of their regional and national organizations.

Key skills and tasks for the organizer will include reaching out to faith communities and building networks that engage congregants and their leadership structures. The skills needed include ability to work autonomously as a self-starter, ability to work in coalitions, at least three years of experience organizing on the climate crisis, including time working with a faith community, and ability to work with tight timelines. The goal is to serve a national multifaith coalition that can come to agreement on the broad outlines of vigorous advocacy and action that draws on the symbols and practices of the communities that are part of the coalition.

The organizer will be working in close communication with Rabbi Arthur Waskow, director of The Shalom Center, and with leaders of other key organizational partners. The Shalom Center is glad to offer our energy as simply one member of an emerging multireligious coalition.

## See a fuller exploration of the original proposal here.

We expect the emerging coalition to work out its own patterns.

The Shalom Center is located in Philadelphia. The organizer can work in person or remotely. We are seeking a candidate who is comfortable with multireligious organizing and can make a full - time commitment for six months. The search is not limited by religion, race, ethnicity, gender, or sexual identity. Salary is dependent upon skills and experience.

If you feel this invitation fits you or someone you know, please send your or suggest they send their CV and cover letter to <u>Awaskow@theshalomcenter.org</u>. No phone calls, please.