

Photographer | Content Collecting Teamer

@ The Salty Pelican Yoga & Surf Retreats



Location: Cascais, Ericeira, Peniche (Portugal) Hirketiya (Sri Lanka)

Join the Salty Pelican crew as a **Photographer | Content Collecting Teamer** and become an essential part of daily life at our retreats. This isn't just a photography role — it's an opportunity to immerse yourself in the retreat lifestyle while capturing its essence through both stunning imagery and dynamic video, with a sharp eye for what connects on social media.

You'll be part of the team, contributing to the flow of each day and enjoying full access to the retreat experience — in return for using your creative skills to help us tell our story. From sunrise yoga and surf sessions to community dinners and spontaneous guest moments, you'll help document the energy, people, and atmosphere that make The Salty Pelican so unique.

It's a perfect opportunity for someone looking to trade their creative talent for an inspiring lifestyle and an unforgettable experience with like-minded people by the sea.

Key Responsibilities

- **Guest Interaction:** Welcome and interact with guests, help with check-ins and general questions
- **Customer Service:** Be a visible, friendly part of the team — helping to create a warm, inclusive atmosphere
- **Content Collection:**
 - Capture daily life at the retreat: yoga, surf, food, social moments, sunrise hikes, and more
 - Frame engaging **photo and video** content with a good understanding of angles, light, and storytelling for social media
 - Shoot with a mix of spontaneity and intention — showing real people, real moments
 - Work alongside our Social Media Manager, uploading content regularly for use across channels
 - Follow brand guidelines but bring your own creativity to how you capture each day
 - Occasional editing of reels and short-form video clips is a plus

- **Daily Retreat Support:**
 - Help keep the space looking its best — assist lightly with housekeeping and tidiness
 - Support the team during breakfast and group dinners (setting up, clearing down, etc.)
 - Help promote activities and excursions to guests, answering questions and creating excitement
 - Participate in the overall vibe — from morning coffees to sunset chats

Requirements

- **Strong eye for photo and video:** You know how to shoot for Instagram videos, not just for print
- Experience with **DSLR or mirrorless cameras** and/or high-quality phone video setups
- You're a natural people-person — comfortable chatting with guests and making them feel at ease
- Some background in hospitality, travel, events, or content creation is a bonus
- You're comfortable working independently but love being part of a team
- You're adaptable, positive, and proactive — no day is the same here
- Basic editing skills and ability to deliver content quickly is a big plus
- Bonus if you've been part of a surf or yoga lifestyle before

What you get

- A creative, inspiring work environment by the sea
- Flexible weekly schedule with free time to surf, chill, or explore
- Shared staff accommodation provided
- Daily breakfast buffet and up to 4 group dinners per week
- Access to yoga, wellness activities & community events
- Discounts on food, merchandise, and stays for friends and family

- Opportunity to grow within the Salty Pelican family and take on future roles

How to Apply

To apply for the Photographer | Content Collecting Teamer position or for more information, please contact us at:

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Instagram: [@saltypelicanretreats](https://www.instagram.com/saltypelicanretreats)

Application Details

Please include the following in your application:

- **Name**
- **Languages Spoken**
- **Nationality**
- **Telephone**
- **Age**
- **Email**
- **Availability for training and work periods, specifying preferred locations and dates.**

Motivation Letter Brief

In your motivation letter, please tell us why you believe The Salty Pelican is the perfect place for you. Share how your experiences and personality align with our mission of crafting unforgettable guest experiences. Highlight your passion for hospitality and content creation, your adaptability, and how you can contribute to our team. We're excited to hear why you're drawn to The Salty Pelican and how you can help us create lasting memories for our guests.

We look forward to welcoming you to our dynamic and supportive team. Let's create unforgettable experiences together!

Stay Salty!

The Salty Pelican Team