



**South Sudan
Red Cross**



JOB ADVERTISEMENT	
Job title:	Project Officer-Partners for Resilience
Unit/dept/delegation:	Disaster Management ; Juba
Reports to:	Disaster Risk Reduction (DRR) Coordinator
Opening Date	10 th June 2019
Closing Date	21 st June 2019

ORGANIZATIONAL CONTEXT

The SSRC was established by law on 9 March 2012 with the SSRC Society Act, 2012. SSRC was formally recognised by the International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC) on 18 June 2013, making it the 189th National Red Cross Society in the world. In November 2013 the SSRC was admitted into the International Federation of Red Cross Societies. SSRC's headquarters is based in Juba with a total of sixteen (16) branches – and a growing network of sub branches. There are currently over 250 SSRC staff members at the Headquarters and branches and approximately 10,000 volunteers across the country.

The society's work is guided by seven fundamental principles (humanity, impartiality, neutrality, independence, voluntary service, unity and universality) and by Strategy 2020, which voices our collective vision and determination to move forward in tackling the major challenges that confront humanity in the present decade. All our staff **MUST** abide by and work in accordance with the Red Cross and Red Crescent principles.

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:

The Partner for Resilience (PFR) Dialogue and Dissent programme in South Sudan is implemented through 4 consortium partners; NLRC and its implementing partner SSRC, Red Cross Red Crescent Climate Center, Cordaid and Wetlands International. The NLRC and its implementing partner SSRC are the lead in two out of 4 trajectories; trajectory 2 influencing the National government agencies and local government units to mainstream IRM into their Youth policy and strategy and ensure its implementation, and the youth supports the realization of the strategic goals of the MHADM as a result, and trajectory 3 ensuring that Local community adaptation needs are prioritized in the National Adaptation Programme of Action (NAPA) implementation.

The roles and responsibilities of this position are to ensure efficient, quality and smooth lobby and advocacy for the implementation of the integrated Risk Management (DRR, CCA,



EM&R) with a focus on Trajectory 2 and 3. Promote the spirit of working together as an alliance (NLRC/SSRC, RCCC Cordaid, Wetlands International) through networking, joint planning, meetings, dialoguing with stakeholders and representing the alliance members in meetings on matters on IRM. The Officer works under the guidance of the DRR Coordinator with technical support from the Netherlands Red Cross in South Sudan.

Duties applicable to all staff:

- Work towards the achievement of the South Sudan Red Cross goal through effective managerial and lateral relations and teamwork.
- Ensure an understanding of roles, responsibilities and lateral relationships and accountabilities.
- Perform any other work related duties and responsibilities that may be assigned by supervisor / line manager.
- Share and act in accordance with the Red Cross and Red Crescent Fundamental Principles and humanitarian values as well as SSRC's Code of Conduct.

Specific duties, responsibilities and accountabilities

- Support designing, Implementation, Monitoring and Evaluation of project Work Plans for the PfR project as well as reporting according to SSRC guidelines and procedures.
- Collaborate with national agencies and other stakeholders including technical/scientific/academic institutions working on climate change adaptation, disaster risk reduction and environmental management.
- Work with the DRR Coordinator to develop the operational plan for rolling out PFR strategy in South Sudan
- Work towards the achievement of trajectory 2 and 3 in South Sudan through the development of IRM plans and activity implementation.
- Carry out lobby and advocacy with government establishments, CSOs, communities and other stakeholders to increase the understanding and buy in of the IRM to enhance IRM practices among local authorities and key stakeholders.
- Conduct workshops for capacity building, lobby and advocacy on IRM
- Attend multi-stakeholder meetings to lobby and advocate for IRM and also for exchange learnings.
- Support NLRC as the lead Coordinator of PfR in South Sudan – organization of meetings and linkages with government and other actors,
- Build the capacity of SSRC volunteers/CSO in IRM to take up alliance representation and bring forward the dialogue agenda to the local level
- Collaborate with government institutions and authorities on IRM
- Support Red Cross Red Crescent Climate Centre (RCCC) who are the technical supporters on NAPA and CCA to roll out support to stakeholders
- Support RCCC in the understanding of adaptation and critical issues on IRM

Qualifications, Skills and Experience

Education:

- Bachelor's Degree in Social Sciences, Disaster Risk Management, Rural Development, Development studies or relevant fields.
- A post graduate Diploma in Project Planning and Management or Monitoring and Evaluation will be an added advantage



Experience:

- At least two (2) years of experience working with Disaster Management, Community Based Disaster Risk Management, Climate Change, Natural Resource Management, Food Security or Livelihoods; involving implementation of community-based activities in community.
- Excellent and proven track record of previous work with Disaster Management and Disaster Risk Management programs. Experience of work with humanitarian international agencies will be an asset; Excellent written skills at professional level; Familiarization with current national/international frameworks and consultations on climate change issues would be desirable; Past experience of community-based disaster preparedness and risk management activities;
- Experience in lobby and advocacy is an added value.

Skills:

- Excellent working knowledge of MS Office-Word, Excel, Access, Power Point, Intra-Internet, e-mail applications. etc.
- Reporting, monitoring and evaluation skills
- Able to implement new systems/innovations with attitude change among implementing partners and field staff.
- Consistently approaches work with energy and a positive, constructive attitude;
- Effective communications skills and ability to establish good working relationships with national and international interlocutors
- Demonstrated openness to change and ability to solve problems, manage complexities; work and act under pressure.
- Ability to travel under harsh conditions within the country whenever required

How to apply:

Interested applicants should submit their Cover letter, CV with 3 references, Copy of National ID and Certificates including day time telephone contact to Human Resources Department. Or by email: vacancy@ssdredcross.org please indicates the title of the position you are applying for in the subject line of your email.

Alternatively, applications can be hand-delivered to South Sudan Red Cross Headquarters. Plot #4, Block Ministries, Munuki Area, Juba
Please indicate clearly the position you are applying for on the back of your envelop.

You Must arrange your documents in the following sequence.

1. Cover Letter
2. Curriculum Vitae (CV)
3. Copies of Certificates and National ID

Note: Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted for the interviews and all the photocopies are not returnable and will remain the property of SSRC.

Female candidates are encouraged to apply

