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ABOUT Advance Youth Radio (99.9 FM).

Advance Youth Radio 99.9 FM is a community development media agency and a subsidiary of **Advance South Sudan organization (ADVANCE)**. The radio utilizes the power of media and communication to champion youth empowerment. It also aims to reach thousands of youth with life-changing information and opportunities to have a stronger voice in their own development. The radio pioneers' innovative programs that tackle specific issues cutting across Art & culture, Health rights (Sexual Reproductive Health Rights-SRHR), entrepreneurship, peace building and round table discussions on building local democracies and current affairs aimed to help reduce poverty and support young people in understanding their rights. The radio has a fully equipped On-Air and production studio with transmission power covering over 75 KM square radius. **Advance Youth Radio (99.9 FM)** broadcasts primarily in Jubek State (Juba), and will gradually expand across South Sudan in the coming years.

Purpose of the post.

If you have confidence, charisma and a good speaking voice, you could try your hand in the creative role of broadcast presenting at Advance youth Radio 99.9 FM, Juba.

A broadcast presenter is the public face, or voice, of programmes broadcast on the radio and on line. Your role is to entertain and inform the audience by presenting information or entertainment in an accessible and attractive way. You'll introduce, host (or co-host) a Programme, create links between items, introduce and interview guests and interact with the audience. The exact nature of the job may vary according to a program's subject matter, for example, if it covers news, weather, sport, music or lifestyle.

Position	Broadcast Presenters – 5 positions
Report to	Station Manager
Duty Station	Juba
Contract type	Fixed-term with possibility of extension depending on funding availability.
Eligibility	South Sudanese nationals only
Salary	According to ADVANCE SOUTH SUDAN salary policy – non-negotiable.
Employment start Date	As soon as possible
Advertisement closing date	15/ July /2019



Responsibilities and tasks.

As a broadcast presenter, you'll need to:

- Research topics and background information for items to be featured on the Programme
- Plan and rehearse shows
- Meet with the production crew to assess or review the broadcast and to plan the next broadcast.
- Write and sometimes memorize scripts
- Introduce and host programmes
- Interview guests in the studio, by telephone or on location
- Play music
- Read short news, traffic, sport or weather reports
- Provide links between programmes
- Read from a script or autocue, or improvise
- 'Drive' the desk and operate some of the technical equipment for recording and playback, using computers to cue up and play music and jingles - in radio work
- Keep the Programme running to schedule, responding positively and quickly to problems or changes and improvising where necessary
- Keep in contact with program directors and other members of the production and technical teams in the studio

Qualifications

A Diploma or a Bachelor Degree in any of the bellow fields of sturdy;

- Mass media/communications studies.
- broadcast/radio/television/media production
- drama/performing arts
- journalism
- Social Sciences.

Skills and experiences required.

You will need to have:

- Previous experience in broadcast media work at least (2 years)
- Previous experience in community based activities including mobilization and awareness raising.
- Excellent communication and presentation skills
- Performance skills and a clear voice
- The ability to generate original ideas
- A personable and confident manner
- A broad range of interests, including current affairs
- Good research and interviewing skills
- The confidence and the ability to sell yourself
- An awareness of media law
- The ability to take initiative and make quick decisions under pressure
- team-working skills
- Creativity and problem-solving skills.
- Female applicants are highly encouraged to apply.



Salary

Salaries vary enormously, depending on whether the broadcaster is working full time or working freelance, on an ad-hoc basis. Experienced or celebrity presenters has an added advantage.

Working hours

You'll work much longer than the actual broadcast hours and work is rarely, if ever, 8am to 5pm. Pre-show preparation, such as meetings with the producer, researching, writing scripts, rehearsing and post-show review, which includes discussing the broadcast with the producer and beginning advance planning for the next show, all add to the working day.

Hours may be long and unsocial, involving early mornings, evenings or weekends, although this depends on the timing of the Programme and whether it is Live or pre-recorded.

What to expect

Working conditions vary enormously, depending on the broadcast medium and type of Programme.

- Most work is based in the radio studio in juba, but may also include outside broadcasts, which can involve working in all conditions.
- You'll have a public image to maintain and, as a result, must be prepared for some loss of privacy.
- Travel during the working day varies according to the type of Programme. Radio roadshows, for example, involve a significant amount of travel and you may be required to work away from home for extended periods of time. Similarly, documentary-makers or presenters can also be expected to travel to other towns and local communities across South Sudan to cover stories and news events.

Languages.

Fluency in English and Juba Arabic is an added advantage.

How to apply.

Please send a covering letter outlining how your skills and experiences meet the person specified above along with your CV, National ID/Passport and academic documents to the human Resource Department through ayradio99@gmail.com or submit your hard copy application to Human Resource Department to the attention of Human Recourse manager **Advance South Sudan** office reception located at **4th Floor Eastern Plaza Building**, Airport road opposite Hotel Panorama, Juba.

Please note, as this position is urgent, applicants may be shortlisted and interviewed prior to the closing date. We appreciate your application however; only shortlisted candidates will be contacted for interview. If you have not been contacted within two weeks of the closing date, we regret that your application has been unsuccessful. Please continue however, to listen to **Advance Youth Radio 99.9 FM** or Follow us on our social media platforms @ Advance Youth radio 99.9 FM (Facebook and twitter) for more information and opportunities.