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Introduction

Cordaid is a Dutch, international non-governmental organization which combines 100 years of experience and expertise in emergency aid and structural poverty eradication. Cordaid believes in a world without poverty and exclusion. We strive for a just and sustainable society where every person counts. We stand for knowledge and talent sharing between North and South, between farmers and businesses, between activists and policymakers. Where poverty, conflict and exclusion tear up societies, we connect people and communities. We also stand for professionalism, expertise, and solidarity across borders, to make a difference where it is most needed. Together with more than 600 partner organizations in Africa, Asia, the Middle East and Latin America we structurally improve the living conditions of the poorest and most excluded populations - the bottom billion.

Cordaid has been active in South Sudan for more than 20 years, with a strong focus on civil society capacity-building. Currently it has programs in the area of Emergency Response, DRR, Health, Food Security, Security & Justice, Women Leadership and Investments.

Presently, Cordaid is expanding its program in different parts of the country. For that purpose, additional capacity is required. Therefore, Cordaid South Sudan would like to recruit for the position of **NRM/DRM Project Officer as detailed below.**

Position: NRM/DRM Project Officer

Based Location: Magwi-Eastern Equatoria State

Number of positions: One (1)

Reporting Lines:
NRM/DRM Project Coordinator

Purpose of the position

The NRM/DRM Project Officer position will provide technical project activities implementation of Natural Resources Management, and Disaster Risk Reduction in two Payams of Magwi County (Pageri and Nimule). The position holder will work closely with DRM Assistants and build the capacities of the DRM Assistants to implement DRR intervention in collaboration with DRM committees. He/she will implement initiatives related to DRM/NRM within the delineated areas of the 2 Payams, in close collaboration with GIZ and other partners. This position will be responsible for the day-to-day activities' implementation, monitoring, documentation compilation, the conduct of assessments, and involvement in the identification of key Disaster Risks/Natural resources priorities, work with key partners including Government, CSOs, CMDRRCs committees, and communities, and provide technical support to local DRM committees considering the local context of climate change adaptations and Ecosystems restoration.

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Key accountabilities and Responsibilities

- Direct project activities planning, implementation, and reporting regularly according to the established schedules.
- Review the progress of project performance against objectives through analyzing output data, organizing regular field visits, and providing updates during meetings.
- In collaboration with the project team, and partners identify existing project implementation gaps and new opportunities for DRM/NRM-related interventions.
- Participates in planning, implementation, monitoring, mentoring, and provision of support to the technical.
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- Technical Support/Capacity Building; building capacity of DRM Assistants, and DRM committees through training, mentoring, and supervision.
- Coordination with partners implementing similar interventions, GIZ field office staff, state/County, Payam government representatives, and other stakeholders.
- Other duties and responsibilities; Perform other related duties as may be assigned by the supervisor.
- Actively participate and represent Cordaid in DRM/NRM, food security, and Livelihood sectors coordination fora, to discuss, and serve as Cordaid's resource focal person in the field and display technical and organizational leadership in sectoral activities.
- Create and maintain smooth relations and open collaboration with Government and local stakeholders.
- Perform other related duties as may be assigned by the supervisor.

Qualifications and skills

- BSc. Degree/Diploma in an appropriate field related to Natural resource Management, Disaster Risk Management, Rural Development, or other related areas such as (conservation, environmental science, natural resources management, and freshwater ecology).
- At least 2-3 years of experience developing and implementing projects in one or more of the above-mentioned fields.
- Experience with multi-disciplinary environment teams, (Government, NGOs, Civil Society), would be a strong asset.
- Knowledge of the institutional and legal framework of the environment and conservation in South Sudan, as well as of relevant policy issues.
- Experience working with the government and with donors/government aid agencies and civil society in South Sudan.
- Excellent English communication skills (oral and written) and local Arabic language.
- Excellent interpersonal skills, including the ability to develop and maintain strong relationships at all levels, including with local communities, government agencies, and other partner organizations.
- Experience in the facilitation of training and workshops
- Experience in budget management, logistics, and Human Resources management
- Experience in writing/developing project proposals and project reports.



Further information and how to apply.

Interested and qualifying applicants can submit their application letter including CV in English, copies of birth certificate, National ID and qualification documents, both phone and email contact details of at least 4 professional references, including most recent/current employer/supervisor to the following email hr.southsudan@cordaid.org

Mention the vacancy reference number position in the subject line on the envelopes.

CSS002/07/24 NRM/DRM Project Officer

or

Applications can also be hand dropped at Cordaid Juba office and Cordaid Juba field office to the attention of the **Human Resource and Administration Manager – Cordaid Juba South Sudan Country Office.**

Deadline for submission is by the **24th July 2024**

Cordaid is an equal opportunities employer and women are strongly encouraged to apply.

Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.

An integrity check will be part of the recruitment procedure. All applications submitted cannot be returned.

Note that:

Cordaid recognises the right of each individual in particular children and adults at risk with the aim to protect, empower and prevent any abuse and exploitation action against them by implementing the policy on Prevention of Sexual Abuse and Exploitation (PSEA) of the children adults, regardless of gender, race, religion, culture and ability or disability.

(South Sudanese Nationals Only)

