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Position: Agriculture Advisor
Project: Agriculture Cluster (ILiPS Project)
Reports to: Project Manager
Contract Duration: Until December 2025
Location: Magwi, with occasional travel
In South Sudan

Background:

In South Sudan, GIZ works on behalf of the German Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development in the following three priority areas: Food and nutrition security and rural development, Urban water supply and sanitation, Rural development and good governance. GIZ's coordination office has been in the capital, Juba, since 2010.

The GIZ Country Office Juba is urgently seeking qualified candidates to fill the vacant position of Agriculture Advisor for one of its Agriculture cluster projects, Improved Living Conditions and Psychosocial Support (ILiPS) based in Magwi.

Scope of the Position:

Generally, The Agriculture Advisor performs his/her duties independently with guidelines defined by the Project Manager, and in accordance with GIZ processes and rules or under the instruction of professionals in higher band.

Your Tasks

- ❖ Support in the overall planning and implementation of the agricultural activities.
- ❖ Liaise with the project team and support in the preparation of trainings, workshops, forums, team meeting, report writing and other project related activities and events.
- ❖ Support in designing and facilitation of context based agricultural trainings on agricultural production, horticultural production, Farmer Business School approach, nutritional counselling, post-harvest losses, small livestock farming, agricultural marketing, and financial management through providing leadership

to the project community-based extension workers.

- ❖ Liaise with implementing partners to create collaborative working relations and define clear channels of activities mainstreaming within ILiPS project and other sister projects.
- ❖ Represent GIZ in partner coordination forums and meetings in the state and at county level.
- ❖ Development of content: success stories, press release, presentations, and dissemination within the project and to relevant stakeholders.
- ❖ Provision of content and input for radio talk shows on agricultural subjects.
- ❖ With guidance from M&E Specialist, support M&E related activities such as beneficiaries' registration, data quality checking, safe storage, orienting community-based Extension Workers on use of M&E tools, data protection and basic M&E reporting.
- ❖ Provide support to Extension Workers by ensuring regular planning meetings, activities and context updates, report writing and verification as well as data storage.
- ❖ Regular provision of in-depth understanding of the farmer's needs, challenges, opportunities, and recommendations for management intervention. The technical professional will perform other duties as well at the request of the management.



Your Profile

- ❖ Bachelor's degree in agricultural science, agronomy, animal husbandry, agriculture extension, agribusiness, or any related field from reputable institution. MSc degree is an added advantage.
 - ❖ At least 6 years of professional experience in food security, agricultural development, or livelihoods.
 - ❖ Applicants must possess at least six years of experience in planning, implementing, and monitoring of development projects in South Sudan.
 - ❖ Experience in working with international organizations will be an added benefit.
 - ❖ Excellent knowledge of MS office (Word, Excel, PowerPoint, MS Teams, and Outlook).
 - ❖ Strong reporting and communication skills in both written and spoken English.
 - ❖ Clear knowledge of the project locations/ cultures, understanding of the local language and willingness to travel within South Sudan is highly regarded.
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How to Apply

Applicants should submit their CV and cover letter declaring interest for the position to the GIZ-Coordination Office through GIZ recruitment portal. <https://www.giz-jobs.com/southsudan/#id=d2c81c5d-d459-4903-87b3-9ecc88e03fd8>

Please note that all applications must be submitted with **non-returnable** photocopies of all the relevant documents including recommendation(s) from previous employer(s) and a copy of the national certificate. Original documents will only be required for verification during interviews if requested. Ensure that you and your referees are reachable via the stated contact information during daytime.

Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted for interviews. If you didn't hear from GIZ in 3 weeks after closing date, please note that your application wasn't successful. This position is open only to South Sudanese nationals.

The Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH provides equal employment opportunities to all, regardless of gender or disability. Qualified women are highly encouraged to apply.

Opening Date: 04/11/2024

Closing Date: 22/11/2024