





Position:

Disaster Risk Management Advisor

Project:

Community Driven Rural Development

Reports to:

**Project Manager** 

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Contract Duration: Until September 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 Coordination Office Juba is urgently seeking a qualified candidate to fill the vacant position of Disaster Risk Management Advisor for its project "Community Driven Rural Development".

# **Scope of the Position:**

Generally, the Disaster Risk Management Advisor works independently with guidelines defined by the Project Coordinator, and in accordance with GIZ processes and rules. The Disaster Risk Management Advisor respond promptly and competently to matters that fall within his/her assigned thematic area, where applicable in consultation with his/her line manager and the Project Coordinator.

## Your Tasks

- Technical and organizational support regarding the overall preparation and implementation of disaster risk management (DRM) planning processes in Magwi County (Payam and Boma level) in coordination with local DRM committees and other stakeholders
- Technical and organizational support to integrate DRM strategies into agricultural and horticultural production, reduction of post-harvest losses, and small livestock farming
- Assist in the establishment of local DRM committees and the capacity development of local stakeholders such as agricultural cooperatives, state actors and small holder farmers
- Document lessons learnt for subnational and national dialogue and contribute to the project's monitoring and evaluation, and to reporting

- Provide general support to the Project Coordinator regarding the preparation of operational activities, budgetary calculations, terms of references for consultants, monitoring and evaluation reporting
- Coordinate with implementing partners under the supervision of the Project Coordinator
- Assist national and international consultants in carrying out their work
- Support preparing, implementing, and documenting training events, workshops, forums, team meetings and other project activities
- Represent GIZ in partner coordination forums and meetings in the state
- Ensure knowledge management, collect, process and distribute relevant information, monitor communication and interaction between government institutions, NGOs and civil society through analyses of the media and direct



The technical professional performs other duties and tasks at the request of management

### **Your Profile**

- Master's degree in natural resource management, disaster risk management or equivalent; certificate in agricultural extension/agronomy is an asset
- 3 years' work experience in a relevant position
- Adequate experience, skills and training in natural resource management, disaster risk management, including integrated planning and implementation; experience in agriculture extension or agronomy is an asset
- Understanding project management, and knowledge of M&E and reporting

- Excellent knowledge of MS Office (word, PowerPoint, excel, MS Teams)
- Good working knowledge of ICT (related software, phone, fax, email the internet)
- Strong communication skills in both written and spoken English
- Excellent attention to details with good planning, organizational and problemsolving skills
- Ability to work with limited supervision
- License to ride motorbike

# **How to Apply**

Applicants should send their CVs and cover letters declaring interest for the position by email to HR-Suedsudan@giz.de. Hand delivered applications will not be received.

Please note that all applications must be submitted with <u>non-returnable</u> 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.

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**Closing Date: 16/05/2023**