

JOB VACANCY: FSL Extension Assistants (1)

AVSI Foundation is a global non-governmental organization with headquarters in Italy. Its mission is to support human development in developing countries according to the social teaching of the Catholic Church: recognizing the uniqueness of each person, who as such cannot be reduced to a number within an anonymous category such as “the poor, the sick, the disabled”. Furthermore, every person and every community represent a resource, regardless of their vulnerability. This is why AVSI works to help people in becoming aware of their own value and dignity. AVSI is operating in South Sudan since 2005, implementing medium to long-term sustainable health, education, water & sanitation, food security and emergency relief programmes.

Purpose of the position

The FSL extension assistants shall be assisting the implementation of the FSL emergency response livelihood project funded by FAO in Juba County. He/she shall provide technical support required to the team through supervision, management and reporting of the project progress. Liaise with the FSL project officer for any field activity during the project implementation process. He/she will be implementing FSL related trainings, monitoring and reporting of project activities, and work closely with local and county authorities especially the CAD and RRC.

Duty Station: Juba County Central Equatoria State.

Starting Date: The contract will start ONLY UPON PROJECT AND BUDGET APPROVAL.

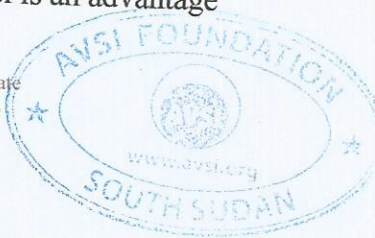
Duties and responsibilities:

- Conduct selection of beneficiary households within the target areas are following the approved beneficiary selection criteria.
- Participate during distribution of emergency livelihood kits to the targeted beneficiaries and ensure post distribution monitoring conducted in accordance to the guidelines.
- Facilitate the targeting and creation of farmer field schools for improved vegetable and crop productions according to project needs.
- Work in close coordination with the logistic to keep track of goods received and released and also act as logistic focal point at the distribution sites.
- Write weekly project activity progress reports especially during input distribution and post distribution monitoring.
- Ensure that beneficiary data are properly captured in the biometric system to share with project officer and forwarding to donor.
- Coordinate with relevant partners (farmers group, County Agriculture Department, local authorities) for any activity to under.
- Ensure correct and complete documentation is provided from activities
- Provide and on job capacity building to APFS community facilitators and progressive farmers.

Education

- A Certificate in Agriculture or any other related field. Diploma is an added advantage
- Agriculture technical and social training to a degree level is an advantage

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Work experience

- At least 1-2 years of professional experience
- Previous experience with climate smart agriculture, nutrition-sensitive agriculture models, Environmental conservation practices and conflict mapping will be considered as a relevant added advantage
- Previous experience in FSL projects including inputs trade fairs and inputs distribution will be considered a strongly added advantage
- Experience with community involvement in implementation of programs
- Knowledge in agronomy, livestock production, horticulture

Required skills and experiences:

- Technical expertise in distribution of agricultural kits.
- Have experience in community mobilization.
- Technical skills in agro-forestry and crop diversification.
- Technical skills in conducting farmers field school training and setting of demo plots.
- Extensive experience in computer (word, excel and PowerPoint) and report writing skills.
- Have knowledge of the local language spoken of **bari and Juba local Arabic**
- Have high spirit of interpersonal and team work.
- Have strong individual initiative and willingness to work extra hours with minimum or without supervision.



How to Apply:

Applications should include updated **Curriculum Vitae (CV)** of maximum 3 pages, **National ID** and **cover letter** of maximum one page **ONLY**. Please do not attach other documents in this phase, it will be considered as a sign of inability to follow guidelines

In the cover letter the candidate should briefly describe his or her motivation for the position and **highlight relevant experience**.

The above documents can be delivered to AVSI Office Juba – Afex River compound Juba, South Sudan

Or send in soft copy to loku.peter@avsi.org cc Aziz.musema@avsi.org
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Submitted application documents shall not be returned.

- **Women are strongly encouraged to apply.**
- **The candidate must have a valid national ID**

ONLY SHORTLISTED CANDIDATES WILL BE CONTACTED.

THE CLOSING DATE FOR RECEIPT OF APPLICATIONS IS **June 8th 2022**

Due to the urgency of these roles, AVSI reserves the right to shortlist applications prior to the closing date.

