

## **Job Vacancy**

### **Who we are**

Strengthening community- and development-oriented media and communication initiatives in developing countries is CAMECO's central concern. With our non-profit consulting services, we support funding organisations - including numerous faith based international aid organisations - as well as local partner organisations active in the field of media cooperation in planning and implementing all necessary steps to give their projects media attention.

CAMECO aims to strengthen capacities of civil society and local churches in media and communication. We form an active part of the German and international media assistance community, and our networks make international media expertise accessible to its partners.

To strengthen our international team based in Aachen, Germany, CAMECO seeks to recruit a

### **Desk Officer for anglophone and lusophone Africa**

#### **Main Tasks and Responsibilities:**

- Screening and assessing project proposals from partner organisations in African countries (mainly anglophone)
- Advice and support in the development of radio, TV, print and digital media / social media projects, in cooperation with project partners
- Guiding communication and media development work in Africa
- Development and management of media development projects publicly funded (BMZ) or by private foundations
- Networking in media development cooperation

**Qualification:**

- University degree in a field relevant to the tasks (e.g. media, communication studies, African studies, ethnology or development studies)
- Previous relevant professional experience in the media industry and/or in development cooperation
- International experience, preferably in anglophone Africa
- Experience working with local / community / social media
- Experience with project cycle management
- Good knowledge of the functions and specifics of traditional and online media
- In-depth developmental skills and knowledge of the current state of the debate
- Experience in working with NGOs, committees and associations

**Language skills**

- Business fluent language skills in English and German
- Good command of Portuguese is an asset
- Any other language spoken in Africa would be an additional advantage

**Personal Requirements:**

- Planful and analytical thinking
- Moderation and facilitation skills
- Communication and presentation skills
- Teamwork and motivation
- Willingness to travel within the region. Fitness for tropical climates
- Openness and experience with working in politically sensitive and culturally diverse contexts
- Above-average commitment, resilience and flexibility
- Identification with the Catholic Church, and understanding of processes within faith-based organisations
- European Union citizenship

The position offers a creative scope and a diverse field for professional development. We offer an initial 14 months contract, with the possibility of



extension, a competitive salary, and social benefits package including an additional pension fund.

If you feel you would be suited to the position, please submit your application per email by 16 May, 2022 to [employment@cameco.org](mailto:employment@cameco.org).

Please include a letter of motivation in English, your CV, as well as previous employment certificates and documentation.