

Subject: Capacity development and Project Support Expert

CIMA Research Foundation is a non-profit research organization that promotes the study, scientific research, technological development and higher education in engineering and environmental sciences. Actives in the fields of civil protection, risk reduction, climate change impact, public health and aquatic and terrestrial ecosystems conservation.

CIMA is looking for an expert motivated to work in programmes on capacity development for Early Warning System and risk information in Africa and EU neighborhood Countries.

The desired candidates should work pursuing the following objectives within the Programme:

- Facilitate exchange and develop partnerships with beneficiary countries and institutions working in the programmes;
- Contribute to develop trainings material and organize online training on Early Warning System, risk data and information;
- Contribute to organization and animation of webinar and consultations with Continental, regional and national stakeholders, develop desk research and discussion paper on EWS in Africa as background of webinars and consultations;
- Contribute to the coordination of consultants working on developing harmonized system for warning and risk information dissemination in Africa;
- Prepare policy brief and position paper on Early Warning System centre and situation room for the African Union Commission;
- Contribute to project communication and mainstreaming the importance of EWS at continental, regional and Nation level in Africa;
- Support overall projects implementation, work plan, reporting.

The ideal candidates should have the following characteristics:

- University master's degree in civil engineering, Environmental Engineering, Environmental Sciences, Disaster Risk Management, Architecture, Geology, Geomatics or equivalent;
- Fluency in English (written and spoken); Confident in French and Spanish. Knowledge of other UN or non-UN languages is an advantages;
- Knowledge of Sendai Framework and experience in managing risk information for DRR;
- Experience in developing partnerships with Government and Countries. Working for multi-countries projects is desirable;
- Experience in supporting countries in developing risk information database for DRR
- Experience in writing position and discussion paper on DRR. Author of Publications for non-scientific audience

Further desirable assets could refer to:

- Experience in reporting;
- Excellent skills in communication and team working;

We offer:

- an interesting job in an interdisciplinary environment;
- the opportunity for professional growth and know-how acquisition;
- the opportunity to work in motivated teams;
- the opportunity to work in an international project.

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Interested candidates should submit their CV to the email ricerca.personale@cimafoundation.org (cover letter and reference letters can be submitted too) within 25.02.2021. Specify "DRR Capacity Development and project support Expert".

The candidates, after CV evaluation, will be contacted for an interview. Based on the interview outcomes, a proposal for a position within CIMA will be made to the candidates. The proposed compensation will commensurate with experience: factors such as demonstrated soft skills, level of education, history in the sector, and relevant work experience will all be evaluated. The target start date is as soon as possible.

Any questions can be directed to tatiana.perrone@cimafoundation.org

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