

Vacancy # 01-06-2022

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

I. GENERAL INFORMATION

Unit: Executive Office Unit
Title: Executive Office Assistant
Function: Administrative Assistant

Duty station: Lima, Peru

Type of contract: Service Contract (SB3)

Duration: Six months, with possibility of extension

II. SUPERVISION

First supervisor: Executive Office Coordinator

Second supervisor: Director

Organizational Setting

and Reporting Relationships: This position is located in the Executive Office unit.

Supervision method: Executive Office Assistant is expected to carry out his/her

assignment to completion and report its results

III. DUTIES, RESPONSIBILITIES AND OUTPUT EXPECTATIONS

The Executive Office Assistant will assist the Executive Office Coordinator in the following:

1. Assist in the elaboration, planning, tracking and application of financial and accounting procedures:

- Prepares, reviews and cross checks all payment requests and purchase orders submitted to ODA and UNDP, using the corresponding Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) system;
- Assist in the preparation and reviews financial reports and requirements, using UN ERP system;
- Periodic reconciliation of accounts with UNDP and ODA;
- Assists with the monitoring of expenditures to ensure that they remain within authorized levels.
- Communicate with UNDP field offices regarding payments requests.
- Responds to queries from staff members and third parties.

2. Assist in the elaboration, tracking and application of procurement procedures

- Reviews required preparatory work for purchase orders, contracts, tendering, according to UN procedures, rules and regulations;
- Creates shopping carts to request Purchase Orders in UN ERP
- Prepares low value purchase Orders for goods and services in UN ERP system;



- Requests the creation of new suppliers and the update of information of suppliers in UN ERP system when necessary; and
- Assists with the IPSAS inventory.

3. Assist in the elaboration, reviewal and application of travel procedures

- Reviews travel authorizations information such as airfare, terminal expenses, daily subsistence allowance for UNLIREC personnel traveling on missions;
- Creates travel requests in UN ERP system according to the travel authorizations received; and
- Reviews of travel claims and supporting documentation for completeness, accuracy, reasonableness, validity, and conformity with UN travel rules.

4. Assists with the administration of Human Resources

- Support with the preparation of documents to request the issuance of contracts;
- Prepare authorizations for payment requests to UNDP and other relevant entities:
- Monitors and administers attendance, vacation and sick leave requests;
- Coordinates with UNDP and ODA/EO- HR personnel; and
- Support with the documents required for the procedures with the Ministry of Foreign Affairs for international personnel.

5. Perform other duties as requested by the Director.

IV. COMPETIENCIES:

- **Professionalism:** Good understanding of the functions and organisation of the work unit. Good knowledge of internal policies, processes and procedures generally and in particular those related to programme/project administration, implementation and evaluation, technical cooperation, programming and budgeting; etc. Ability to extract, interpret, analyse; research and gather information from a wide variety of standard and non-standard sources; demonstrated ability to apply good judgment in the context of assignments given.
- Planning & Organizing: Ability to plan own work and manage conflicting priorities.
- **Communication:** Good communication (spoken and written) skills, including ability to draft a variety of correspondence and other communications, summary reports, etc.
- **Teamwork:** Good interpersonal skills and ability to establish and maintain effective working relations in a multi-cultural, multi-ethnic environment with sensitivity and respect for diversity.

V. QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCES

- **Education:** Bachelor's degree in administration, finance, industrial engineering or other relevant discipline, or the equivalent combination of education and experience in a related area (minimum 7 years of relevant experience).
- **Experience**: Working experience with United Nations or international organization in specific area associated with this post is desired.
- Language: Fluency in written and spoken Spanish and English is required.



• **Technological Awareness:** Solid computer skills - MS Office applications (Excel, Word and Power Point), ERP systems and other IT applications required. Knowledge of Umoja is highly desirable.

VI. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

• Qualified candidates who are interested in the above position are invited to submit their application, in Spanish, attaching a UN Personal History Form with contact details for two professional references, **not later than 30 June 2022**

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