

# FORMULAIRE DE DESCRIPTION ET DE DEMANDE DE PUBLICATION DE PROFIL D'EXPERT INDIVIDUEL

## Informations à publier sur le site d'Expertise France :

**Position** Deputy Team Leader, international expert in French urban planning (m/f)

Country or Region Manama, Bahrain

Duration 36 months (full-time) - Available: July 2015

Deadline for submission of CV May, 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2015

Project reference Bahrain-French Town Planning Initiative

**Project description:** The global objective of the mission is to identify and provide technical support the General Directorate of Urban Planning to:

- To improve the capabilities of the GDUP in producing and regularly reviewing clear comprehensive evidence based plans at national level, governorate level and local action level;
- To prepare the GDUP to take a leadership role in the implementation of the three planning levels ensuring consistency and harmony between the three tiers of plans;
- To prepare the GDUP to fulfill the role in the enforcement of the provisions
  of those plans and ensure that development control is a positive activity in
  the plan implementation proves and in the management of development.

## Job description

The Deputy Team Leader will be responsible for assisting the Team Leader in the overall management of the project and the achievement of results. S/he will be responsible for coordinating in Manama key resources to achieve project objectives and for reporting on project progress. S/he will be permanently located in the beneficiary administration.

### **Qualifications and skills**

We are looking for an expert who meets the following criteria:

 The candidate will have at least a Master's degree in urban planning and/or urban management, or relevant engineering, financial or economics degree;



- High level diplomatic skills and capacity to establish high level decision makers contacts;
- Ability both to work well across cultural boundaries;
- Strong management skills and experience;
- Ability to adopt a collaborative approach;
- · Sound interpersonal and communication skills;
- Problem solving skills and ability to assure timely adaptive action;
- Full computer literacy;
- Fluency in written and spoken English/French is mandatory; fluency in Arabic will be a strong asset.

## General and specific professional experience

- Around 7 years of professional experience on projects in urban planning and/or infrastructure development;
- Previous relevant experience related with the French public sector;
- Good command of local administration mechanisms, urban policies and processes, including institutional and legal aspects, particularly in an Arabic environment, will be an asset;
- International professional experience in project management will be a strong asset, preferably in the MENA region or GCC countries, and/or including at least two of the following: spatial/urban planning, urban informal settlement upgrading, transport, public private partnerships, urban conservation, water and sanitation and/or solid waste management;
- Fully proficiency in project management tools and techniques;
- Substantial experience of writing and producing project work programmes and reports.

#### Documents à fournir :

CV

Together with CV, candidates have to give full coordinates of the company which is to be contracted by Expertise France.

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The process of selection of expressions of interest will occur in two phases:

- As a first step, a shortlist will be freely established by Expertise France.
- Selected candidates may then be invited for an interview.



Fees for the services will be negotiated with the designated candidate.