

Senior Evaluation Consultant (International Development)

Who we are

Ecorys is a leading research and consultancy organisation, with over 85 years' experience and 500 staff. This wealth of knowledge enables us to deliver projects covering a wide range of thematic areas, and support clients throughout the policy and programming cycle. Our international development work boasts a global reach that allows us to annually deliver over 100 projects in 50 countries, assisting both governments and non-government organisations. We are currently growing and are looking for further talented individuals to join Ecorys and contribute to the continued success of our team.

What we do

Monitoring, evaluation and learning in the field of international development are key areas of work for Ecorys UK. We have an extensive track record of conducting assignments for governments, development partners, non-governmental organisations (NGOs) and regional bodies across the world. Our strength is our ability to combine technical evaluation methodologies with extensive sectoral expertise (including in education, private sector development, governance, trade, civil society, conflict and security, health, water and sanitation, environment and climate change, agriculture, public finance management and public administration). We currently have a diverse and growing portfolio of monitoring and evaluation projects. This includes active involvement in large, high-profile framework contracts for the UK Department for International Development (DFID), the Independent Commission for Aid Impact (ICAI), British Council and the European Commission, as well as conducting research and evaluation projects for a range of international NGOs and country governments.

About the role

Working with an established team of experts, we are looking for a Senior Evaluation Consultant to advance Ecorys' research credentials and business potential in the area of monitoring and evaluation in international development. Key parts of the job will include managing the implementation of projects as well as the identification and acquisition of new opportunities. They will guide junior consultants in their work and help coordinate the network of experts, partners and clients. This role involves travel abroad, which could include short or longer-term assignments.

Why work for Ecorys

- We are a socially responsible, employee-owned organisation that gives 1% of our profits to charity each year;
- We are highly regarded internationally with distinguished clients including DFID, European Commission, World Bank, UN Agencies and major NGOs;
- It is an opportunity to work with dedicated people in a fast-paced but intellectually rewarding environment. Personal and professional development of our employees is important to us.

What we are looking for

As a senior role, we are looking for someone who can demonstrate the following essential skills and experience:

- Proven knowledge and implementation of advanced monitoring and evaluation systems and methodologies, including quantitative, qualitative and mixed-methods approaches;
- Significant relevant experience in monitoring and evaluation, including in the field of international development;
- Experience of tender processes, including leading some bids independently and providing technical and quality assurance inputs into others. Enthusiastic about business development with a proven record of winning new business;
- Strong project management experience, from conception to completion and preferably acquired in a consultancy environment;
- Professional experience and policy knowledge in at least one development sector;
- Strong academic credentials up to at least Masters level in a subject relevant to international development;
- Fluency in written and spoken English and;
- Eligibility to live and work in the UK.

What we can offer



A competitive salary with benefits including a performance bonus, private healthcare, company pension and more.

Application process

To apply for the position, please send your CV and a cover letter outlining your motivation for working for Ecorys to recruitment@ecorys.com. The deadline for receipt of applications is 20 April 2018.