



Local Junior Consultant - Kenya

Background

For a period of 6 months of professional internship, Junior Consultants support the long-term experts and the local staff as well as the project partners of Sparkassenstiftung für internationale Kooperation. Our Eastern African project components are the following:

- Professionalization and strengthening of microfinance institutions and their umbrella organizations in Burundi, Rwanda, Uganda, Kenya, and Tanzania. Amongst others, this includes advisory services for project management, strategy and business planning, customer care, human resources management, IT, financial education, and savings mobilization.
- In Kenya, we work together with our partner organizations, the African Confederation of Co-operative Savings and Credit Associations (ACCOSCA) and AMFI-K (Association of Microfinance Institutions - Kenya).

Out of our wide range of activities you will work on those tasks most fitting to both your qualification and your interests with a high level of self-responsibility. For example, you will develop conceptual documents, prepare workshops and round tables, organize and accompany trainings, and much more.

Profile

- University degree (at least Bachelor) in banking, finance, economics, development policy, or any other relevant field of education, or: Completed vocational training (e.g. certified bank clerk) combined with ongoing studies in a relevant field of education. Working experience is a plus
- IT knowledge or/ and first experience with conduction of surveys
- Good analytical and conceptual skills combined with the ability to work self-responsible
- Excellent interpersonal, communication and intercultural skills





Fluency in spoken and written Swahili and English

What we offer

- Working on interesting and diversified tasks with a high level of self-responsibility
- Insights into a well-structured organization in the area of international development cooperation
- Working in a dedicated and supportive international team
- Fixed monthly allowance

Deployment location

Together with our permanent team, you will be based in Nairobi/Kenya. Field activities in rural areas are possible.

How to apply

Please submit your CV, a cover letter and relevant certificates (incl. transcripts of records) clearly demonstrating your knowledge, experience and motivation as well as highlighting your suitability for the assignment to application.eastafrica@sparkassenstiftung.de

Please send your complete application documents as <u>one PDF file</u>. Applications will be received not later than **July 20**th **,2020**.

Please understand that we will only contact candidates who will have passed the preselection successfully and will be invited to the Assessment Center.