

Dear colleagues:

The Evaluation Office of the International Labour Organisation (ILO/ ILO-EVAL) is seeking expressions of interest from qualified consultants to conduct an independent final evaluation of the project Skills Development for the Renewable Energy Sector (SkiDRES) – pilot project for a Public-Private Development Partnership ZMB/18/02/SWE., funded by the Swedish government.

Application deadline: 24 March 2020

Type of contract: External Collaboration Contract

Expected duration: The total duration of the evaluation process is estimated to be 20 working days for the evaluator and it will cover the period from May-June 2020.

Profile of the evaluator:

- Master degree in Business Management, Economics or related graduate qualifications
- A minimum of 7 years of professional experience specifically in evaluating international development initiatives in the area such as renewable energy, energy efficiency, green jobs, skills, employment, micro enterprises, entrepreneurship, business finance, policy and management of development projects, preferably in Africa (Zambia or Southern Africa will be an asset).
- Experience and capability in assessing and evaluating PPDP Projects implemented at regional, national or sub-national level in the areas of skills development, investments, infrastructure development, in different economic sectors, would be an asset.
- Proven experience with logical framework approaches and other strategic planning approaches, M&E methods and approaches (including quantitative, qualitative and participatory), information analysis and report writing.
- Knowledge and experience of the ILO and/ or UN System.
- Understanding of the development context of Zambia would be an asset.
- Excellent consultative, communication and interview skills.
- Excellent oral and written English skills.
- Demonstrated ability to deliver quality results within strict deadlines.

For further details about the evaluation, please see the attached ToR.

Candidates intending to submit an expression of interest must supply the following information:

1. A description of how the candidate's skills, qualifications and experience are relevant to the required qualifications of this assignment (maximum 2 pages).
2. A list of previous evaluations that are relevant to the context and subject matter of this assignment, indicating the role played by then consultant(s) applying (they can be highlighted in the CV).
3. A statement confirming their availability to conduct this assignment and the daily professional fee expressed in US dollars (indicating fees received for similar assignments in the last 2 years as a reference).
4. A copy of the candidate's curriculum vitae.

5. A statement confirming that the candidates have no previous involvement in the implementation and delivery of the project to be evaluated or a personal relationship with any ILO Officials who are engaged in the project.
6. The names of two referees (including phone and email) who can be contacted.

The deadline to submit expression of interest for undertaking the evaluation is by on 24 March 2020. Please send an e-mail with the subject header "Evaluation of ZMB/18/02/SWE to the Evaluation Manager Ricardo Furman (furman@ilo.org) copying Pacome Dessero (dessero@ilo.org).