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## **END/SNE - JOB DESCRIPTION**

# Job Framework

Job Title:

END/SNE - (POL) Political officer ACP countries in the Pacific Region and Trade issues

Job Location:

EU-Delegation for the Pacific, Suva, Fiji islands

Job Number:

new post

Area of activity:

The EU-Delegation for the Pacific in Suva is responsible, in close cooperation with the European External Action Service, for the management and co-ordination of relations with currently 11 ACP countries in the Pacific Region - Cook Islands, Fiji, Kiribati, Marshall Islands (RMI), Micronesia (FSM), Nauru, Niue, Palau, Samoa, Tonga, Tuvalu, and 4 Overseas countries and Territories - as well as with regional organisations, notably the Pacific Islands Forum.

Category:

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Duration of secondment: 2 years

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## Job Content

#### Overall purpose:

- Reinforce the Political and Trade section of the EU-Delegation in Fiji as the far-most EU-representation to the biggest number of sovereign states, spread across a vast area in the Pacific;

Contribute to the new emerging strategy for the EU in the Pacific and to the renewal and negotiation of the Pacific part of the ACP post Cotonou process.

- Work under the direct supervision of the Head of Section and/or Head of Delegation (HoD) and contribute to:

- Monitoring, analysis and reporting on the overall situation and development in the countries the Delegation is responsible for, including at regional level and in political relations with the EU and Member States
- Analysis and reporting in the fields of justice, liberty, security, the rule of law, human rights as well as good governance in the host country and at regional level
- Building strategic alliances with like-minded partners in the Pacific to counter emerging security issues and address global challenges
- Developing trade policy, economic and business affairs
- Leading influence on discussions of future EU-Pacific relations (Post-Cotonou)
- Communicating effectively EU interests and promoting the EU's role as a global player.

## Functions and Duties:

The successful candidate will be asked to

- 1) Carry out political analysis, suggest appropriate policies, monitor political developments, and develop political dialogue with ACP countries in the Pacific region including on trade, security, conflict prevention, consolidation of peace and migration.
- 2) Liaise with authorities in ACP countries in the Pacific, civil society, media and other relevant stakeholders in political affairs.
- 3) Ensure coherence of EU policies and complementarity with Member States' policy as well as synergies and coherence of the EU instruments.
- 4) Be responsible for the policy coordination with the European External Action Service and relevant services of the European Commission in Headquarter and will closely liaise with colleagues in the cooperation sections of the Delegation.
- 5) Monitor country/regional strategies and engage in dialogue at a high level with regional and international authorities in the Pacific, such as the Pacific Island Forum and the Melanesian Spearhead Group.
- 6) Contribute to awareness and visibility of EU policies and activities in the region.

## Job Requirements

**Education and Training:** 

University diploma in political science, development policy, law, economy, business administration or

any other related issue

Knowledge and Experience:

Experience of at least 3 years in the above mentioned areas at institutional level, analysis and reporting; in third countries (Embassy, International organization, NGO, etc.); Knowledge of EU institutions, related decisional processes, CFSP-CFSD, JLS, EU external action and related EU external policies (geographic and thematic); of geographic area in question and relevant regional

integration processes

# **Skills**

Linguistic skills:

Thorough knowledge (capacity to write and speak) in English, fluency in French would be an

advantage.

Communication skills:

Capacity to work and communicate under time constraints in an international diplomatic and multi-

lingual environment.

Interpersonal skills:

Teamwork, Coordination and communication skills.

Intellectual skills:

Solid analytical capability as well as drafting and reporting skills. Rapid grasp of problems and

capacity to identify issues and solutions.

# Personal Qualities

Dynamic. Motivated and flexible personality. To adapt quickly to new situations and deal with new challenges.