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POSITION TITLE:	<b>Technical Officer (Water for Production)</b>	GRADE LEVEL:	<b>P4</b>
		DUTY STATION:	<b>Kampala, Uganda</b>
ORGANIZATIONAL UNIT:	<b>FAO Representation in Uganda (FRUGA)</b>	DURATION *:	<b>2 years renewable</b>
		POST CODE/N°:	<b>unidentified</b>
		CCOG CODE:	<b>1.R</b>

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**Applications from qualified women as well as from qualified nationals of non-and under-represented member countries are encouraged  
Persons with disabilities are equally encouraged to apply.  
All applications will be treated with the strictest confidence.**

**The incumbent may be re-assigned to different activities and/or duty stations depending on the evolving needs of the Organization.**

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#### **DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

Under the overall guidance of the FAO Representative in Uganda, the technical supervision of the Lead Technical Officer in the Climate, Energy and Tenure Division (NRC), and in collaboration with the Commissioner of Water for Production in the Ministry of Water and Environment, the incumbent will provide technical advice to the Head of the Water for Production Department of the Ministry of Water and Environment and will coordinate the technical support for development and management of water for production facilities. In particular, the incumbent will:

- Provide technical advice in the implementation of water for production (WfP) facilities under the Global Climate Change Alliance (GCCA) project;
- Support the Ministry of Water and Environment to enhance and stabilize livestock and farmers access to this resource;
- Support institutional development, training and capacity building (including development of training modules) for sustainable management of water for productive use services;
- Design and implement capacity building initiatives and training programme for water for multiple use and management services, including and participation for private sector players in operation and maintenance of WfP facilities;
- Develop information materials (brochures, handbooks, pamphlets, charts etc), including preparation of site implementation documentaries, for dissemination of appropriate practices as well as guidelines, regulations, standards, design manuals and technical back-stopping for water for production facilities;
- Support the establishment of demonstrations and pilot water for productive multiple uses and management to ensure transfer of knowledge and skills;
- Contribute to the establishment and implementation of a framework for Public-Private Partnership (PPP) for development and management of WfP facilities;
- Promote research and development into application of appropriate water for production technologies;
- Recommend and formulate proposals on specific matters of relevance to the WfP as well as on matters of relevance to the whole Project and the Climate Change realm in Uganda;
- Prepare quarterly progress reports, joint annual performance appraisals, and capacity development and training reports;
- Support information management and monitoring framework for water for production;
- Support design, establishment and operation of ICT/MIS/GIS system and monitoring framework for water for production development and management;
- Perform other related duties as required

#### **MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS**

*Candidates should meet the following:*

- Advanced university degree in rural/water engineering, rural development, agriculture, or a related field
- Seven years of relevant experience in agricultural, water resource management projects and technical support to Government institutions;
- Working knowledge of English and limited knowledge of one of the other official languages of FAO (Arabic, Chinese, French, Russian or Spanish)

#### **SELECTION CRITERIA**

*Candidates will be assessed against the following:*

- Extent and relevance of experience in water resource management and technical assistance to government institutions
- Ability to analyze complex problems and provide sound technical advice and support to government counterpart for water resource management
- Ability to plan and organize own work and to meet tight deadlines
- Demonstrated experience with the design and implementation of systems of monitoring and evaluation of the impacts of rural and water investment projects and familiarity with methodologies for the economic, financial and institutional appraisal of projects
- Relevance of experience in Eastern Africa is considered a strong asset
- Working knowledge of another official language of FAO (Arabic, Chinese, French, Russian and Spanish) would be an asset

*Please note that all candidates should possess computer/word processing skills and should be capable of working with people of different national and cultural backgrounds.*

**\* The length of appointment for internal FAO candidates will be established in accordance with applicable policies pertaining to the extension of appointments**

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#### **REMUNERATION**

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**For guidelines to applicants, please visit the Application Toolkit at: <http://www.fao.org/employment/current-vacancies/project/en/>**

Send your application to:

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