



**Food and Agriculture Organization
of the United Nations**

CALL FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

Contract duration: 5 months with possible extension (31 December 2016)

Duty Station: Gaziantep

Vacancy No. IRC3421

Deadline for Applications: 4 July 2016

Tasks and responsibilities:

Under the overall supervision of the Assistant Director-General/Regional Representative of the FAO Regional Office for the Near East and North Africa Region (RNE) and the direct supervision of the FAO Programme Coordinator, Gaziantep; in close coordination with the FAO International Consultant (Agronomist) and the Food Security and Livelihood Sector cluster, the consultant will:

- Collaborate with the FAO Gaziantep International agronomist on the following tasks:
- Provide technical support to FAO cross-border operations for humanitarian response in northern Syria;
- Provide technical support to NGOs partners operating cross-border;
- Provide technical support in developing technical specifications for agricultural inputs;
- Manage the Agricultural Working Group operating as a sub-group of the FSLWG;
- Design and coordinate capacity-building packages and specific trainings for partners and beneficiaries on agricultural-related subjects;
- Organize and conduct field visits
- Undertake any other duties to develop agricultural-related cross-border operations and support to partners

Candidates should meet the following requirements:

Requirements and qualifications for the position

Languages: English and Arabic, limited knowledge of Turkish would be an advantage

Studies: advanced studies on agriculture, food processing, engineering or relate disciplines

Experience: at least three years of experience in the agricultural sector, processing, humanitarian interventions.

Preferred: previous experience in managing working groups, preparing, organizing and delivery of trainings, workshops and meetings. Knowledge of the Syrian context.

Required Completion Date: 31 December 2016

<p>Expected Outputs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Project activities regularly monitored and progress reports prepared. - Detailed project proposals prepared - Technical specifications of agricultural inputs prepared - Training material prepared and training sessions for partners organized. 	<p>August 2016 September 2016 October 2016 October 2016</p>
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Additional Information

FAO seeks gender, geographical and linguistic diversity in its staff and international consultants in order to best serve FAO Members in all regions.

All candidates should adhere to FAO values of Commitment to FAO, Respect for All and Integrity and Transparency.

How to apply

All applications are to be made through FAO's [**iRecruitment**](#) system. Click on the link below to access [**iRecruitment**](#), complete your online profile and apply for this Call for Expression of Interest.

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In order for your application to be properly evaluated, please ensure that all sections of your iRecruitment account are completed. Incomplete applications will not be evaluated.

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