Intern, Indigenous Issues

Location FAO Representation in the Philippines, Manila, Philippines

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Tasks

3 months, with possibility of extension

- Provide support to the formulation of concept notes and detailed project proposals related to FAO work with indigenous peoples in the Philippines, including among others conduct of research, data gathering, policy and desk reviews.
- Assist in the coordination with relevant government agencies including, among others, the National Commission on Indigenous Peoples (NCIP), local government units and other key counterparts, to ensure coherent designing of programme and interventions by all actors.
- Participate in other coordination activities, including among others attendance to meetings of/with the Indigenous Peoples Technical Working Group under the United Nations Development Assistance Framework (UNDAF), Webinars and online trainings conducted by FAO headquarters, and Regional Office for the Asia and Pacific and other Indigenous Peoples -related meetings and activities organized by NCIP, UN agencies, civil society organizations (CSOs) and other relevant Indigenous Peoples stakeholders.
- Work closely with the communications specialist and contribute to the communications products to highlight FAO's Indigenous Peoples -related work in the country.
- Perform other duties that may be assigned by the FAO Representative.

Academic qualifications

University degree in development studies, agriculture, economics, social sciences or other relevant field.

Technical competencies and experience

- Knowledge of the work of FAO.
- Familiarity with youth and indigenous peoples issues in rural areas in Asia.
- Competency in MS Office programmes.
- Good writing and communication skills.
- Good organisational skills and team spirit.

Language skills

- Excellent knowledge of written and spoken English.
- Knowledge of local language(s) is required.