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Position title: Livestock Technical Specialist

Location: Remote

Reports to: International Program Director

Salary range: \$80,000 - \$95,000

Reporting to the International Program Director, Livestock Technical Specialist will provide critical knowledge in the agriculture and livestock sectors to the international development and humanitarian world.

Job Responsibilities

Strategic:

- Participate and provide input to program strategy, including necessary adjustments or refinements to the work plan.

Technical role:

- Provide technical leadership in implementation of the livestock programming across VWB/VSF
- Provide technical mentorship to program staff, implementing partners and key stakeholders.
- Guide the development, planning, monitoring and evaluation of Ukraine's emerging humanitarian livestock programming.
- Lead documentation of livestock programming through development of the relevant progress reports, Donor reports, success stories
- Representation of VWB/VSF in the relevant working and technical groups / forums
- Identification, communication and support in addressing of program related risks
- Work with International Projects leadership to assess and develop project proposals addressing livelihoods-related needs.
- Provide professional technical input and review of field-level sector reports and proposals.
- Act in a capacity of central resource center for all field-based livelihoods and market-based programming.
- Work with teams to build the capacity of agriculture and livestock program staff through training development and delivery, troubleshooting support and technical backstopping.



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- Facilitate technically sound program implementation with staff, in-field partners and community stakeholders that results in high participation and empowerment of local communities.

Responding to Emergencies

- Participating and contributing towards VWB/VSF's emergency response, as and when necessary

Qualifications & Experience

- Ability to read, analyze, and interpret periodicals, professional journals, technical procedures,
- Ability to write proposals for donors, program reports, business correspondence, and technical reference manuals.
- Ability to effectively conduct trainings, present information, and respond to questions from donors, colleagues, beneficiaries, and the general public.
- Bachelor's degree (Masters preferred) in Agriculture, Veterinary, Zootechnics, or Economic Development. With three (3) to four (4) years related experience living and working in a cross cultural context; or equivalent combination of experience and education.

How to apply:

Please submit your cover letter and C.V. to recruitment@vetswithoutborders.ca by May 15th, 2023

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