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# United Nations Development Programme

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# What is UNDP?

- Mandate for social and economic development
- Strategic Plan 2013 – 2017
- Goal: Eradication of poverty and a significant reduction of inequality and exclusion
  - 1) Sustainable Development
  - 2) Democratic Governance
  - 3) Crisis Prevention and Recovery



# Working at UNDP

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- On the ground in 170+ countries
- Majority of open positions located in the field
- International Professional Staff (IP)
  - Junior Professional Officers (JPO), P2
  - Special Assistants to the Resident Coordinator (SARC), P3
- National Officers / General Service Staff
- Consultancies
- Internships
- United Nations Volunteers (UNV)

# Is UNDP the workplace you are looking for?

- Are you someone who cares about development issues and is passionate about making a difference?
- We are looking for people with integrity, who are fair and impartial and who can work in a multicultural environment.
- We need dynamic and adaptable professionals who think creatively and are proactive, flexible and responsive.



# What you can do for UNDP

## Technical profiles:

- Rule of Law & Governance
- Climate and Environment
- Monitoring and Evaluation
- Disaster Risk Reduction
- Poverty Reduction
- South-South Cooperation

## Operations profiles:

- Communication
- Partnerships & Advocacy
- Finance
- Human Resources
- Procurement
- Project Management



# Preparing to apply

- Know yourself and your competencies: is this the position for me?
- Do I meet the qualifications and experience requirements?
- What do I know about this particular job?
- What do I know about the organisation?
- Have I considered all the implications if I am given the position? (Moving abroad, leaving family, culture shock)
- Will I actually take the job if I am selected?



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## Millennium Development Goals

At the United Nations Millennium Summit, world leaders put development at the heart of the global agenda with the Millennium Development Goals (MDGs), setting clear targets for reducing poverty, disease, hunger, illiteracy, environmental degradation and discrimination against women by 2015. On the ground in virtually every developing country, UNDP uses its global network to help the UN system and our partners raise awareness and track progress, while we connect countries to the knowledge and resources they need to achieve these goals.

We are now hiring expert practitioners for the following assignments:

Deux Consultants en appui pour la réalisation de l'étude sur les Connaissances, Attitudes et pratiques sur le VIH/sida, le rapport genre, les violences basées sur le genre et les droits humains dans les communautés au Nord Kivu et Sud Kivu	External	National Consultant	Apply by Oct-16-14	Nord-Kivu et Sud-Kivu, CONGO, DEM. REPUBLIC	<a href="#">APPLY NOW</a>
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Rédacteur Technique - Publiciste, Expériences de financement de l'agriculture dans les pays du Sahel	External	International Consultant	Apply by Oct-17-14	Home- Based	<a href="#">APPLY NOW</a>
Rédacteur Technique - Publiciste, Expériences Pilotes de l'analyse de l'offre et la réglementation suivant la méthodologie	External	International Consultant	Apply by Oct-17-14	Home Based	<a href="#">APPLY NOW</a>
Online Communications Specialist of the Kapuscinski Development Lectures	External	International Consultant	Apply by Oct-18-14	Home-based, no travel required	<a href="#">APPLY NOW</a>
Re-advertisement - Consultant to Support Integration of Gender Perspective in the Process of Programme Budgeting in Serbia	External	International Consultant	Apply by Oct-18-14	Home-based and 1 mission to Belgrade, SERBIA	<a href="#">APPLY NOW</a>

# QUESTIONS?

