

Job Title : Chief Of Party

Location : Béni Mellal, Morocco

## **Project Description**

FHI 360, a U.S.-based nonprofit organization, is seeking qualified candidates for the position of Chief Of Party based in the Beni Mellal-Khénifra region to support the USAID-funded ISED-BMK project to promote the socio-economic inclusion of marginalized groups in the region by improving and institutionalizing participatory governance and enhancing business and livelihood opportunities. The position is based in Beni Mellal city, Morocco.

## **Description of the position**

FHI 360 seeks qualified Moroccan candidates for the position of Chief Of Party (COP), to lead the USAID-funded Inclusive Socioeconomic Development Project in the Beni Mellal-Khénifra region. ISED-BMK is a five-year project (2020 – 2025) helping Morocco achieve its national and local development priorities for accelerated and equitable economic growth built on greater inclusion and active participation of women, youth, people with disabilities and rural populations. The goal and expected outcome is sustainable job creation generated by a more productive and dynamic private sector working with a more transparent and effective public sector and a more engaged and participatory citizenry.

The COP will provide overall leadership to ensure effective project management, coordination, and oversight and ensure that activities and the work of sub-partners are coordinated and achieve intended results. The COP will be the key liaison with USAID, stakeholders, and other implementing partners.

Her/his primary responsibilities include providing overall leadership, management, and general technical direction of the entire project, ensuring an integrated vision among different components and actors, and a focus on achieving the results defined in the contract. The successful candidate will be expected to identify issues and risks related to project implementation in a timely manner and recommend appropriate strategies and adjustments to address them.

She/he will supervise activity implementation, ensure activities meet stated goals and that reporting requirements are met. The COP position requires good judgement and political sensitivity, as she/he will interact with numerous institutions and senior-level national and regional-level government officials.

The COP will have demonstrated ability to work in complex environments and manage diverse teams to deliver impact within agreed timelines.



## **Minimum Requirements**

- Minimum of a master's degree in a directly relevant field from an accredited university
- Minimum of 12 years' experience in relevant management, supervisory and technical areas working with projects of a similar scope and scale to this project (including 8+ years of line management experience)
- Demonstrated experience in governance and/or business and livelihoods in Morocco is required
- Experience in managing large-scale activities, strategic planning, and implementation of related activities
- Demonstrated experience in adaptive management
- Proven track record in developing and maintaining relationships with government officials, the private sector, Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), donors, international NGOs, and professional institutions, and in assisting multi-stakeholder consultations, negotiations, and consensus building
- Demonstrated knowledge of USAID rules, regulations, policies, and procedures as they relate to project compliance and reporting
- Demonstrated experience working with project stakeholders to deliver planned impact within agreed timelines
- Demonstrated project management, strategic planning, staff development and capacity building experience
- Strong advocacy, negotiation, and consultative skills
- Fluency in Arabic, French and English required
- Experienced with MS Office tools
- Only local hires will be considered for this position

## To Apply

Please submit a copy of your CV and a cover letter to: Morocco.ISED@fhi360.org and put in the subject line of your message: "Chief Of Party".

CVs must be received not later than **February 22, 2023**. The selected candidate must commit to living full-time in Beni Mellal city.

The ISED-BMK project is strongly committed to hiring qualified women, young people and people with disabilities and would like to receive their CVs as well as those of other qualified people.

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