

Project title:	"Support to the EU Development Partners in Joint Programming in Lao PDR"
Position:	Senior Expert in Development Cooperation
Location:	Lao PDR; South East Asia
Eligible nationalities:	All nationalities
Start of project:	20 April 2015
Assignment duration:	134 working days
Deadline:	24/03/2015
Objective of the project:	<p><u>Overall objective</u></p> <p>The overall objective of the assignment is to enhance the overall effectiveness of aid to Lao PDR in order to support maximum possible achievement of Millennium Development Goals and the post-2015 agenda – Sustainable Development Goals – with more equitable and sustainable growth and poverty reduction.</p> <p><u>Specific objective</u></p> <p>The specific objective is to support the EU development partners in the joint programming process and facilitate development and formulation of the EU Joint Cooperation strategy (2016-2020) in a conducive Aid Effectiveness environment (Paris and Busan declarations).</p>
Qualifications required:	<p><u>Qualifications and skills</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • At least Master degree academic level in social sciences, political sciences, development management, governance or any other relevant field to this assignment or equivalent professional experience of 13 years if candidate does not possess the master degree. • Proficiency in English (excellent oral and written communication is necessary). <p><u>General professional experience</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum of 10 years of professional experience in international development cooperation. <p><u>Specific professional experience</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • As part of these 10 years of experience, <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Minimum 5 years of experience should be demonstrated in the field of donor coordination, development effectiveness ✓ Minimum of 1 year working with the EU Development Partners (either the European Commission and/or EU Member States). • Experience in EU Joint Programming or EU coordination will be considered an advantage. • Experience in Laos and/or other South East Asian countries will be considered a strong advantage.
Other information:	<i>If you are interested in this position please send your CV in EU format under the heading "Senior Expert in Development Cooperation (Lao PDR)". When sending your application please include an indication of your desired remuneration (day-rate). Please also make sure that you include one or more telephone numbers. Only selected candidates will be contacted.</i>
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