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Economic Growth Specialist, FSN-10

Vacancy Announcement No. 2016-

Opening Date: Immediately

Closing Date: May 6th, 2016 at 12:00 (noon)

BASIC FUNCTIONS

The position is located in the USAID/Burundi Office. The USAID/Burundi Economic Growth Specialist will provide technical expertise and project management for USAID/Burundi economic growth (EG) activities, including value chain development, access to finance, and private sector growth and trade. The incumbent will be responsible for EG project management, including design, monitoring and planning for project evaluation. In addition, the incumbent will represent USAID/Burundi with other donors, partners, and government and non-governmental entities working on EG in Burundi and be the point of contact for Trade related activities.

REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS:

Education: Bachelor's degree in Business Administration, Economics, International Development or other relevant field, such as Agriculture and/or Trade, is required. Master's Degree in one of these fields is preferred. **Prior Work Experience:** A minimum of eight years of progressively responsible experience in economic development is required in two or more of the following areas: enterprise or micro-enterprise development, trade policy, women's business development, competitiveness, financial sector development and access to credit, commercial legal reform, policy advocacy for business enabling environment/reform, agriculture value chain, and workforce development. **Language Proficiency** Level IV English and French (speaking/reading/writing). **Job Knowledge:** The incumbent is to possess comprehensive technical knowledge in Trade and two or more economic growth areas: enterprise or micro-enterprise development, women's business development, competitiveness, financial sector development, commercial legal reform, policy advocacy for business enabling environment/reform, agriculture value chain and workforce development. **Skills and abilities:** The incumbent must be able to learn and apply USAID activity implementation procedures and demonstrate management and organizational skills.

TO APPLY FOR THIS POSITION

A copy of the complete position description listing all duties and responsibilities and the application form are available at <http://burundi.usembassy.gov/employment-opportunities.html> Interested applicants for this position **should** submit the DS-174 application form and a current résumé or a curriculum vita that provides additional information.