

Consultancy – Carbon Projects Specialist

About Us

EcoSecurities is an impact environmental service provider with 25 years of experience in carbon markets and emission reduction projects around the world. At EcoSecurities, we are committed to developing high-quality carbon projects based on the principles of environmental integrity, transparency and good practices, which contribute not only to climate change mitigation, but also to sustainable and inclusive development.

EcoSecurities structures carbon projects from Nature-Based Solutions (NbS), such as forest conservation (REDD+), reforestation, agriculture, blue carbon and energy related projects. We provide tailor-made services for the origination, development and financing of these projects.

Consultancy Context

EcoSecurities is rapidly growing its projects portfolio, therefore we are structuring a database with capacitated professionals to support the company in a variety of activities related to the implementation of its portfolio.

We are asking for professionals, interested in collaborating with us; to send the information requested in the “Application Process” session below, so we can include it in our database and contact the professional in a speedier way, when the opportunities arise to request then, a tailored-made proposal for it.

The Consultant hired would support the company in the development of Land Management Projects, on the structuring and writing of the Project Design Document (PDD) and Verification Report, compiling required information with the EcoSecurities Technical Team and organizing the supporting documentation to be accessible for validation. The professional must have knowledge of climate change science, greenhouse gases and their impacts on the environment, environmental regulations and policies, carbon standards accounting methodologies and land management projects monitoring protocols. Previous experience on carbon projects report writing, is required, as well as proven expertise describing carbon projects crucial components as land eligibility, baseline, additionality, leakage and permanence.

The Consultant should not elaborate on any PDD topic more than necessary, and it should carefully analyze the type and scope of the required studies, emphasizing

key information about project design and emissions reductions calculations, remaining focused on essential information that can be monitored and verified over the project lifetime, referring to external documents and background studies containing information to be validated and guaranteeing PDD consistency in arguments, data assumptions, and dates.

Consultancy activities

Consultancy activities would include, but are not limited to:

- 1) Writing, with EcoSecurities Technical Team inputs and support, the following project design document contents:
 - a. Project Activities and Theory of change.
 - b. Spatial Boundaries
 - c. Land Eligibility
 - d. Additionality
 - e. Starting Conditions, Baseline and With-Project Scenarios.
 - f. Quantification of Emissions Reductions or Removals
 - g. Leakage
 - h. Monitoring Plan

- 2) Writing, with EcoSecurities Technical Team inputs and support, the Non-Permanence Risk Assessment justifications:

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- Bachelor's and/or Master's degree in Environmental Management, Sustainability, Environmental Engineering, Agronomic Engineering, Geography or a related disciplines.
- Minimum of three years' experience writing NBS carbon offset projects.
- Strong analytical knowledge of the principles and concepts of the main carbon project standards (Verra, CCB, Gold Standard, CDM, etc).
- Desirable knowledge in:
 - ✓ Land tenure regularization process in the Amazon states,
 - ✓ Experience with projects involving Agroforestry Systems, Low Carbon Agriculture, Conservation, Environmental Education or similar.
 - ✓ Nature finance, Payments for Environmental Services and climate change agenda.

Skills and competences:



- Strong analytical, research, and writing skills
- Ability to identify issues and suggest solutions
- Attention to detail: ensuring accuracy in data collection, analysis, and reporting.
- Ability to work independently and collaboratively with a team
- Proficiency in English is required.

Application Process

E-mail to ana.garrido@EcoSecurities.com by October 31st, containing:

- CV or portfolio
- Contact information of three references
- Usual consultancy fee per hour or per kind of activity.

Please include “Consultancy – CarbonProjects” in the e-mail subject.

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