I. Position Information

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<th>Job Code Title:</th>
<th>Project Associate (Border Control)</th>
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<td>Contract Type and Grade:</td>
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<td>Duration of contract:</td>
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<td>Supervisors:</td>
<td>Programme Coordinator (Border Control)</td>
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<td>Deadline for application:</td>
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<td>Duty Station:</td>
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II. Organizational Context

Within the Regional Programme for the Arab States to Prevent and Combat Crime, Terrorism and Health Threats and Strengthen Criminal Justice Systems in line with International Human Rights Standards (2016-2021), Sub-Programme I on "Organized Crime", UNODC is implementing the project “Strengthening Regional Cooperation and Border Control against Illicit Trafficking”, managed by the UNODC Regional Office for the Middle East and North Africa (ROMENA), based in Cairo.

This position is located at the UNODC Regional Office for the Middle East and North Africa (ROMENA) located in Cairo, Egypt. The incumbent would be under the direct supervision of the Programme Coordinator (Border Control) located in Cairo, Egypt, and the Deputy Regional Representative at ROMENA will be second reporting officer.

Work implies frequent travel outside Egypt and interactions with different stakeholders: national project officers, program staff, donors, consultants, operation teams in UNODC ROMENA and HQ

III. Purpose of the assignment

Under the direct supervision of the Programme Coordinator (Border Control), the Associate will support the implementation of the UNODC project “Strengthening Regional Cooperation and Border Control against Illicit Trafficking”. This will include:

- Support the administrative and financial planning and logistical implementation of the project strategies and activities across the MENA region;
• Support the development of detailed work plans and accompanying budgets and budget revisions for all project activities for the timely and realistic achievement of the project objectives, and monitor expenditures per funding agreement;
• Support timely project review, revisions, monitoring and completion of related reporting obligations;
• Organize and oversee the procurement of goods and services pertaining to project activities across the MENA region and ensure adherence to UN procurement regulations and financial rules;
• Coordinate the development of annual procurement plans for all project activities across the MENA region.
• Monitor the issuance of payments for goods and services procured and costs incurred for the purposes of the project;
• Monitor the liquidation of project commitments upon completion and the release of committed funds.
• Prepare Terms of Reference for sub-contractors to ensure qualitative and objective procurement of services and support quality assurance of deliverables;
• Prepare and contribute to field missions and capacity-building activities, including the preparation of workshops and trainings in the MENA region under the project, and carry out logistical and administrative arrangements, including the preparation of travel requests and expense reports for meetings’ participants;
• Contribute to the development of mission reports upon participation.
• Draft web-stories and newsletter inputs pertaining to project achievements.
• Translate short written outputs and communication from English to Arabic and vice versa;
• Control and administer all project documents and maintain updated records for the different project deliverables and revisions;
• Carry out any other tasks as required.

IV. Recruitment Qualifications
Smooth implementation of UNODC activities on Border Control against Illicit Trafficking

V. Competencies and Critical Success Factors

**Professionalism:** Project administration experience and skills, and general understanding of theories, concepts and approaches relevant to crime prevention and international relations. Knowledge of the operational modalities of UNODC. Good analytical and problem-solving skills, including ability to identify and contribute to the solution of problems/issues; sound judgment and political sensibility.

**Teamwork:** Good inter-personal skills and ability to establish and maintain effective partnership and working relations in a multi-cultural, multi-ethnic environment with sensitivity and respect for diversity and gender.

**Planning and organizing:** Ability to plan own work, manage conflicting priorities and to use time efficiently. Ability to organize and implement activities and outputs. Ability to maintain focus and pay attention to necessary details.

VI. Recruitment Qualifications

**Education:**
- First level university degree in social sciences, business administration, project management, or other related areas is required

**Experience:**
- Four years of relevant progressively professional experience in the administration of projects, including financial management, procurement or related areas is required.
- Knowledge of and exposure to criminal justice and crime prevention especially border control and Management or relevant areas is desirable.
- Work experience with the United Nations system or similar international organizations is desirable.
- Experience in administering Regional projects is desirable

Other desirable skills:
- Experience in the use of computers and office software packages (MS Word, Excel, etc) and advance knowledge of spreadsheet and database packages are required;
- Experience and readiness to travel within the region are required.
- Experience and Knowledge in handling web-based management and ERP financial management systems is an advantage.

Language Requirements:
- Fluency in English and Arabic is essential;
- Knowledge of French is considered an asset.

Interested candidates should submit their duly filled P.11 form and a cover letter explaining why they think they are the best candidate for the position to unodc-egypthr@un.org by close of business 24.02.2020 writing in the subject line the title of the position. **Only short-listed candidates will be contacted**