

Job Position : Environment & Livelihood Advisor

WHO WE ARE

World Vision Foundation of Thailand is a Christian humanitarian, development and advocacy organization devoted to improving the lives of children, their families and communities by tackling the root causes of poverty. With nearly 50 years of experience in the country, we help all people regardless of race, gender, and religion.

OUR SELECTION PROCESS

We embrace diversity, employing people from a variety of cultural and religious backgrounds. We take our child and adult safeguarding responsibilities seriously and we are committed to providing an environment that is safe for children. All successful candidates will undergo all required pre-employment checks which is inclusive of a criminal record check. Our stringent recruitment procedures make sure the safest and most suitable people work with the children in our programmes.

Come join our team in Thailand, be part of our more than 33,000 staff working in 100 countries and share the joy of transforming vulnerable children's life stories!

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PURPOSE OF POSITION

The Environment & Livelihoods Advisor provides senior technical expertise to strengthen WVFT's environment, natural resource management (NRM), and livelihoods programming under the Environment & Sustainability Integrated Program Framework (IPF).

The role focuses on the design, quality assurance, and technical development of programs related to natural resource management, agriculture, and livelihoods resilience, with an emphasis on community-based approaches that support environmental sustainability and household wellbeing.

Working under the direction of the Environment & Sustainability Programs Manager, the Advisor contributes to program design, proposal development, evidence generation, external engagement, and technical positioning. The role also supports the gradual strengthening of WVFT's capacity in climate-smart agriculture and livelihoods adaptation, without assuming ownership of disaster risk reduction (which sits under the DRR specialist role).

The position plays an important outward-facing role, engaging with government, NGOs, academia, and private sector partners to strengthen WVFT's credibility, partnerships, and learning in environment and livelihoods programming.

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MAJOR RESPONSIBILITIES

Technical Leadership in Environment & Livelihoods (NRM / Agriculture) 30%

Provide senior technical inputs to the design and review of environment and livelihoods programs, with a focus on natural resource management, sustainable agriculture, and livelihoods resilience. Support development of technically sound approaches that are appropriate to WVFT's current capacity and operating contexts.

Program Design Support and Quality Assurance 20%

Support the Environment & Sustainability Programs Manager in reviewing program designs, concept notes, and implementation approaches. Provide technical guidance to ensure integration of livelihoods and environmental sustainability into broader programming.

Proposal Development and Resource Mobilization Support 15%

Provide technical inputs for proposals, budgets, and donor reports related to environment and livelihoods, working closely with the Environment Resource Development Specialist. Ensure technical narratives are credible, realistic, and aligned with donor expectations.

External Engagement, Partnering, and Sector Representation 15%

Engage with external stakeholders including government agencies, NGOs, academic institutions, and private sector actors working on environment, agriculture, and livelihoods. Participate in technical working groups, learning platforms, and partnership discussions to strengthen WVFT's sector engagement.

Learning, Evidence, and Innovation Support 10%

Support documentation of lessons learned, case studies, and evidence related to environment and livelihoods programming. Contribute to piloting and learning around emerging areas such as climate-smart agriculture and livelihoods resilience.

Technical Branding and Advocacy Contribution 10%

Work with **Branding & Communications** and the Advocacy & Partnering Advisor to develop technical content, sector narratives, and key messages related to environment and livelihoods. Contribute technical inputs to advocacy and policy engagement where relevant.

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KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES

- Bachelor's or Master's degree in Environmental Science, Natural Resource Management, Agriculture, Rural Development, or related field.
- Training in livelihoods development, sustainable agriculture, or NRM is an advantage
- Minimum 7–10 years of experience in environment, livelihoods, or agriculture programming
- Demonstrated experience in community-based NRM, livelihoods resilience, or agricultural development.
- Experience contributing to program design, technical quality assurance, and proposal development
- Experience engaging with government, NGOs, or academic institutions at technical level
- Strong technical understanding of:
 - Natural resource management (NRM)
 - Livelihoods and household economic resilience
 - Agriculture and food security
 - Emerging climate-smart agriculture approaches
- Ability to translate technical concepts into practical program guidance
- Strong analytical, writing, and facilitation skills
- Familiarity with donor expectations for environment and livelihoods programming
- Proficiency in Microsoft 365 and collaboration tools
- Fluency in Thai and working proficiency in English (written and spoken)
- Based in Bangkok
- Occasional domestic travel (≤15%) for donor meetings or program visits
- Hybrid work arrangement

As a child focused organization, World Vision Foundation of Thailand is committed to the safeguarding of children, therefore any offer of employment is conditional upon the successful completion of applicable background checks, including a criminal records check.

By submitting your application, you understand and accept that World Vision Foundation of Thailand will process the data you provide for the purposes of your application and in accordance with the World Vision Foundation of Thailand - Job Applicant Privacy Notice.

Applicants are required to send a CV and cover letter via email to Banyen_Muenjob@wvi.org **Tel. 02-0229200 Ext.154**. Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis, with interviews scheduled with suitable candidates on a rolling basis. Any questions or requests for additional information can be directed to the emails and phone number above.