Job title: Grants & Finance Officer

Grade: EUR €29,500-34,000

Status: Fixed term contract: 1-year initial contract with the possibility to extend

Term: Full time, 37.5 hours per week

Location: Home based in the Netherlands

Start Date: September 2022

Are you interested in working with grants and funding? Do you enjoy working on your own initiative while also being part of a positive and supportive team? Would you like to work in an organization that sits at the heart of an extensive global network driving transformational change to reduce inequality, tackle climate change and protect our natural world? Then we would like to hear from you.

An exciting new opportunity has arisen with the Capitals Coalition - a purpose driven global collaboration transforming the way decisions are made by including the value provided by nature, people and society. The Capitals Coalition hosts an open, pre-competitive space for organizations to share best practice, tackle collective challenges, and co-create solutions. Our ambition is that by 2030 the majority of business, finance and government will include all capitals in their decision making (that is natural, social, human and produced capitals), to deliver a fairer, just, and more sustainable world.

We are looking for a skilled finance administrator with hands-on experience to join our team as a Grants & Finance Officer, providing support for our financial administration and grant reporting. You will work closely with the Operations function to make sure that all aspects of financial management are delivered timely and accurately, working collaboratively to ensure compliance with Capitals Coalition’s internal policies and procedures as well as donor regulations. We are a growing organization, and this is a new role offering the successful candidate the opportunity to grow with the organization.

If you have a strong ‘can-do’ attitude, great financial and organizational skills, can work independently, and thrive working on a variety of topics – then this role is for you. If you’re dynamic with great interpersonal skills and believe the decisions we make need to include nature and people – then we want to hear from you!

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES

Grant and project management

- Assist in the development of budgets, project planning and reporting for donors;
- Assist in the preparation of organizational budgets and accounts (quarterly reports and annual accounts), as requested;
- Support the team in developing tenders, budgets and making financial decisions about program budgets;
- Provide financial information as requested and respond to a range of financial queries;
- Liaise regularly with internal budget holders;
Contribute to developing strong, effective relationships with grant partners and funders including through setting up meetings with grant stakeholders as appropriate.

**Financial administration**

- Ensure that grant financial information is accurate, up to date and aligns with the technical deliverables of the projects;
- Ensure that costs are allocated to the correct ledger accounts, projects and donors;
- Ensure that all transactions are properly accounted for, processing all incoming invoices, ensuring the correct coding, and preparing payments;
- Assist in the annual accounts audit;
- Support the maintenance of accounting records and documentation;
- Continue to develop improvements in the finance system, as necessary;
- Undertake ad-hoc administrative, communications and development tasks as required by the team.

**SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE**

- Experience of the principles and practices of finance management in a medium sized (non-profit) organization;
- Experience in managing and knowledge of reporting on grants from a variety of donors including state sector grants, EU grants and private trust donors.
- Experience of interpretating and implementing donor/client contract financial requirements;
- Excellent working knowledge of Excel;
- Experience with online financial software (e.g. Exact) is desirable;
- Excellent literacy, numeracy and IT skills, including data manipulation;
- Comfortable with a high degree of autonomy and independent working (home based) and a proven ability to self-motivate and take the initiative;
- Collaborative, personable, engaging and able to work with people from all cultures and backgrounds;
- Proven ability to present complex information in a concise and compelling way;
- Proven ability to plan work effectively, deliver on tight deadlines and manage competing demands;
- Excellent verbal and written communication skills in Dutch and English;
- High levels of attention to detail and accuracy.

**HOW TO APPLY**

We are looking for a colleague to work with us full-time (37.5 hours p/w) as soon as possible. The successful candidate must be based in and eligible to work in the Netherlands. The Capitals Coalition offers a range of benefits alongside a competitive salary and a great place to work, including pension, enhanced sick pay, and flexible working. All staff at the Coalition provide their own IT equipment, including laptop and phone; the Coalition offers an annual Bring Your Own Device allowance.

To express your interest and request a copy of the application form please send an email to: info@capitalscoalition.org

Please send a completed application form (do not convert it to PDF) to info@capitalscoalition.org by **Wednesday 27th of July 11pm CET.**
Please state the role in the subject line and kindly note that only short-listed candidates will be contacted.

First round interviews are planned for **Tuesday 9th and Wednesday 10th of August**.

For any queries about the role please contact [info@capitalscoalition.org](mailto:info@capitalscoalition.org)

The Coalition consists of organizations from all around the world and with people of different gender, race, age, religion, sexual orientation, physical ability, geography, political affiliation, and country of origin, and as much as possible we want this to be reflected in our team. We are committed to promoting a diverse and inclusive community and we welcome applications from all backgrounds.