JOB ADVERT: 2 AGRIBUSINESS VOLUNTEERS.

ABOUT KRC

Kabarole Research and Resource Centre is a leading Research, Advocacy and Community Development Organisation operating in the Rwenzori Region of Western Uganda. Founded in 1996, with a research mission and a long term commitment to understanding the measures and drivers of poverty and its solutions, KRC has accumulated substantial experience in research and created numerous development programs based on community analysis of the activities which would be most helpful in achieving peaceful, sustainable and equitable socio-economic development.

Vision
A leading research, advocacy and community development organisation in Uganda

Mission
To Build a dynamic strong research, advocacy and community development organisation that enables policy makers, academia, CSOs, private sector and rural communities to effectively respond to development needs for a peaceful equitable and economically sustainable development.

KRC is seeking to recruit 2 volunteers to support the Food Security and Agribusiness Unit of KRC who are hardworking, dynamic and ready to start work in August 2020 as per the following Job descriptions.

JOB TITLE: AGRIBUSINESS VOLUNTEER
NO. OF POSITIONS: 2

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JOB ROLES

- Take lead in the mobilization and sensitization of the street vendors to form Community Based Organisations (CBOs)
- Support street food vendors to constitute leadership of the community Based Organization (CBO).
- Support CBOs to formulate internal rules & regulations (IRR) of the CBO based on their social and economic interests.
- Support the CBOs to register at division level (Fort-portal Tourism City).
- Support CBOs to open Bank Account.
- Train leaders of the CBOs to build their capacity in financial literacy, micro savings and credit for members.
- Support CBOs to set up the management information System (MIS) for the savings and credit scheme.
- Conduct action audit for the CBOs, development of sustainability plan and road map for transformation to a SACCO.
- Develop weekly, monthly plans and produce activity, weekly, monthly reports and change stories for monthly newsletter
- Document and profile the changes, experiences and achievements and share them with wider public through case stories, most significant change stories, articles and publications.
- Perform any other roles as may be assigned by the immediate supervisor and or SMT

QUALIFICATIONS AND REQUIREMENTS
• Degree in Agribusiness, Microfinance, social work, community development and other related fields from a recognized University. A certificate in Village Savings & Credit Association or similar approaches/Methodologies will be an added advantage.

• Undergraduate students with proven abilities and can dedicate time for the assigned tasks are also encouraged to apply.

• Should have passion for working with urban market vendors

• Should have basic skills in microfinance

• Should be have better mobilization and communication skills

• Should have skills in documentation and with ability to use computer (excel, word, PowerPoint)

• Should have basic skills in group dynamics

HOW TO APPLY

Applications should be sent to the Human Resource Manager, Kabarole Research & Resource Center, plot 28, Mugurusi Road, P.O Box 782, Fort-Portal or by email to humanresource@krcug.org and should include the following documentation:

• A complete and signed application letter
• A curriculum Vitae / Resume
• Copies of academic Transcripts
• Names, contact numbers and addresses of three (3) professional references.

CLOSING DATE

The application MUST reach Kabarole Research & Resource Center (KRC) office by close of business on Friday, 31st July 2020.