

## Vacancy

The Red Cross Red Crescent Climate Centre is the expertise centre of the International Red Cross and Red Crescent in the field of climate change and climate disasters. The Climate Centre's mission is to help the Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement and its partners reduce the impacts of climate change and extreme-weather events on vulnerable people.

The Climate Centre consists of an enthusiastic team that guides a growing network of consultants from all over the world in integrating climate risks into their work. The Climate Centre works closely with the Netherlands Red Cross, the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies (IFRC) and the International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC)

Due to a vacancy at the Climate Centre, we are immediately looking for a:

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### **Internship for WISER Intern Mauritania project**

#### **Position within the company:**

Envisaged start date: 10 February 2025.

#### **Job Description**

The primary objective of this assignment is to support case studies that will be carried out through Key Informant Interviews (KIIs) and Focus Group Discussions (FGDs) with a range of field stakeholders in Mauritania for the FCDO/UKMO funded WISER project, aimed at improving the coordination and use of climate data and information by social protection stakeholders, with the long term vision of improving resilience of communities through better integrated systems and stakeholders.

#### **Responsibilities/tasks**

The responsibilities shall include:

- Working closely with Mauritania Red Crescent to collect data on climate change impacts from communities and relevant stakeholders.
- Analyzing data collected from the surveys and transforming it into clear, presentable forms.
- Supporting with research and report writing as per project requirements.
- Translating documents and transcripts between French and English to support various project activities.
- Conducting review of reports and studies on the social protection anticipatory or early response actions in the Mauritania to assist with field proceedings.
- Supporting with organizing training sessions and writeshops with relevant stakeholders.
- Assisting in other project related activities.

#### **Qualifications**

Education: The intern, must be enrolled in a Master's or Doctoral research program throughout the entire three-month full-time placement (starting 10 February 2025). A background in social sciences, geography, climate sciences, environmental sciences, or a related field is required.

Experience: Candidates with some experience in community surveys, social protection for climate projects, data analysis and fieldwork preferred.

Skills and Abilities

- Strong verbal and written communication skills
- Proficient in literature review, research, and analytical skills
- Proficient in data collection software for research (e.g. Kobo)
- Skilled in coordinating with diverse stakeholders
- Effective in collaborating within a multicultural team
- Capable of working independently within a primarily remote team
- Good programming abilities (e.g., R, Python, or similar)

Language: The position requires excellent proficiency in **Hassaniya Arabic, French and English.**

Travel: Locally in Mauritania

Location: Mauritania

**We offer:**

The intern will receive a monthly stipend of €450 based on a 40-hour work week (equivalent to 20 working days per month).

**How to apply:**

We would like to receive your application, CV and cover letter (in English) addressed to HR officer at the Climate Centre sent to [application@climatecentre.org](mailto:application@climatecentre.org) with “WISER Intern Mauritania” in the subject please.

If you have any questions about this vacancy, please send an email to [hr@climatecentre.org](mailto:hr@climatecentre.org).