

## 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:

### **Intern, Mediterranean and Pan-European Forecast and Early Warning System against Natural Hazards (MedEWSa)**

**Envisaged start date:** As soon as possible for a period of three months (40 hrs per week)

**Project Title:** Mediterranean and Pan-European Forecast and Early Warning System against Natural Hazards (MedEWSa)

**Project Areas:** Attica, Greece; National Parks in Ethiopia; Venice, Italy; Alexandria/Delta Nile, Egypt; Kosice, Slovakia; Tbilisi, Georgia; Catalonia, Spain; and Sweden.

**Project Details:** MedEWSa, a EU-Horizon consortium project, aims to improve impact forecasting and early warning systems supporting the rapid deployment of first responders in vulnerable areas. It will deliver a comprehensive and innovative pan-European-Mediterranean-African solution comprising a range of complementary services.

#### **Responsibilities/tasks:**

- Contribute to the development of the MedEWSa Decision Support and Dissemination Service (DSDS)
- Adapt Public Awareness and Public Education (PAPE) Early Warning templates to align with the specific contexts of MedEWSa pilot countries.
- Organize and facilitate validation workshops across all MedEWSa pilot sites.
- Assist in drafting publications and blog posts to share project insights and outcomes.

#### **Education:**

The intern must be enrolled in a university program for the entire duration of the placement and have a background in Environment Science, Climate Risk Management, Disaster Risk Management, Geography, Communications or similar.

#### **Skills and Abilities:**

- Excellent verbal and written communication skills
- Excellent literature review, research, analytical and writing skills
- Ability to coordinate with different stakeholders
- Ability to work well in an inter-cultural team
- Ability to work well independently with a primarily remote-based team

#### **Location:**

This position will be home-based.

#### **We offer:**

The intern will receive compensation of Euros 450 per month based on a 40-hour work week.

**How to apply:**

We would like to receive your application, CV and cover letter (in English) addressed to Olette Manhoudt, HR officer at the Climate Centre sent to [application@climatecentre.org](mailto:application@climatecentre.org). Please use “Intern, MedEWSA” in the subject line.

**Application deadline:**

Friday, June 20<sup>th</sup> at 11:59 CET

**Please note** that due to the expected number of applications, we will only contact you if you have been successful in your application.

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