

Recruitment of a Technical Assistant in Tourism, Concertation and Communication.

Champasak, 06th December 2021

Dear Sir, Madam,

1. The World Heritage Site Office of Vat Phu Champasak (WHSO) and the Department of Information, Culture and Tourism of Savannakhet (DICT SAVannakhet) (hereinafter called “Clients”) have received financing (hereinafter called “the funds”) from the Agence Française de Développement (AFD) toward the cost of the project, entitled “Preservation and enhancement of the heritage and development of the territorial attractiveness of Champasak and Savannakhet (CHAMPA)”.
2. The project aims to preserve the heritage ancient architectural sites and improve the territorial attractiveness of the Vat Phou Champasak and the city of Kaysone Phomvihane in Savannakhet. The whole amount of the project’s fund is 6M€ and shall be implemented by WHSO and DICT Savannakhet for the global amount of EUR 2,6M.

The specific objectives are:

- Preserve and enhance the cultural and natural heritage;
 - Promote territorial attractiveness and developing tourism activities;
 - Contribute to local development;
 - Strengthen the capacities of the concerned authorities in Vat Phu Champasak and in Savannakhet.
3. The project is structured around three components: Component 1”*Knowledge and enhancement of cultural heritage*”; Component 2”*Urban, local, and tourism development*” and Component 3”*TA and project management*”.
 4. The Project shall be implemented over a period of five years, starting from March 2021 onwards. In order to facilitate **the development of the tourism strategy in the project area and to implement the tourism development component of the CHAMPA project**, WHSO, on behalf of the two clients, shall recruit a Technical Assistant (TA) that could be an international or a national individual having experiences on tourism, concertation and communication in the fields of heritage preservation and in particular tourism promotion in ASEAN countries and in particular in Laos.
 5. Details on the vacant position and how to submit the candidacy could be requested for free (by person or Email) to the below address from the 6th of December onwards.
 6. The deadline for the candidacy submission is set at 4:00pm on the 7th of January 2022 at the below address.

Yours sincerely,

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