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Professional Profile

I have had extensive work experience in environment, chemical analysis and project management both in private sector and in the United Nations system giving me varied skills and the ability to work with many different types of people. I am a conscientious person who works hard and pays attention to detail. I'm flexible, quick to pick up new skills and eager to learn from others. I also have lots of ideas and enthusiasm

- 8 years of experience in environmental management and compliance experience.
- 4 years experience in chemical analysis
- Proven experience in Environmental Impact Assessments and Baseline surveys in various projects.
- Expertise in applying applicable rules, regulations, policies and procedures relating to environmental programs and mission critical business objectives
- Design and implementation of Environmental Education programs
- Excellent writing skills reflected in regular report writing and briefs after conducting Environmental Inspections in Military and police bases.
- Excellent communication skills as I oversee Environmental communication and interact with people from different background on a day to day basis
- Excellent time management skills and the ability to work independently, as well as the ability to work and live in harsh conditions.
- The ability to implement major projects such as Environmental Management systems and Waste recycling in Peacekeeping mission area.

Core Skills

- Environmental Management and Legislation
- Environmental Impact Assessment/Audit expert
- EMS internal /External Lead Auditor
- Food safety Management Lead Auditor
- Climate Mitigation Expert(REDD+)
- Project Management (Prince2, PMD PRO, Microsoft Project)
- Water, Sanitation and Hygiene Expert
- Industrial Chemist/Analyst
- SPSS (Statistical package for social Scientists) trained

Achievements

- I have carried out numerous Baseline Surveys and Environmental Impact Assessments and produced reports and mitigation plans,
- I was part of the team that implemented an Environmental Management System which was a pilot project in Field Missions. On 1 July 2015, MONUSCO was selected by DFS to pilot Environmental Management System (EMS) on behalf of other field missions. This is a collaborative initiative with UNEP-SUN that is supported by Swedish Environmental Protection Agency.
- I am headed a Waste recycling initiative that was inaugurated by the Director of Mission Support in 2016 that has seen staff members segregate their waste from source. 90% of Waste from MONUSCO sites in Goma region is being recycled.
- I am the officer in charge of Environmental communication and I carry weekly Environmental Briefings for new staff members and carry out Environmental Inspections in both Military camps and UN field offices. This has led to tremendous behavior change and the cases of Environmental pollution have decreased drastically
- I have drafted several Standard operating procedures during Environmental Management system implementation.

Career Summary

August 2015-Present

Environmental officer

UNITED NATIONS ORGANIZATION STABILIZATION MISSION IN THE DR CONGO

Key Responsibilities

- Support the Chief of Environmental Protection Unit in the drafting and/or review of the mission's environmental policy and objectives
- Produce the mission's Environmental Baseline Study (EBS), if no such study has been done, or update existing EBS as necessary; Produce the mission's Environmental Action Plan (EAP);
- Produce the Environmental Emergency Preparedness Plan with relevant offices;
- Environmental Action Plan – Implementation
- Maintain a record of environmental issues and actions thereon at the mission, including, for example, a list of potentially hazardous installations within the Mission (e.g. petrol station, warehouse storing flammables)
- Investigate complaints or reports of pollution, contamination, health hazards and other environment-related incidents;
- Submit periodic reports on environmental issues at the mission, to the Director / Chief of Mission Support including policy compliance status reports as required for DFS;
- Advise relevant officers or offices on environmental issues arising from the assessments, studies and plans, including environmental information relevant to the operations of the mission;
- Promote awareness on environmental issues;

- Provide an environmental briefing to all mission personnel including police and military contingents during their induction training;
- Support the Chief of Environmental Protection Unit in the drafting and/or review of the mission's environmental policy and objectives (including directives, Annual Mission Environmental Statement, Standard Operating Procedures, etc. Conduct environmental assessments and surveys of operations in the mission, including Environmental Impact Assessments

June 2014-August 2015

Environmental Consultant

HESCO CONSULTING SERVICES

Key Responsibilities

- Carry out Environmental Baseline Surveys and Environmental Impact Assessments.
- Prepare Environmental Audit reports that will be submitted to responsible Authorities (NEMA)
- Prepare and implement Environmental Action Plans and mitigation plans for various projects.
- Design and Implement Environmental Education Programs
- Implemented Environmental Management systems in various Companies.

October 2011-May 2014

Environmental Consultant

ECOHEALTH COMPANY LIMITED

Key Responsibilities

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- Prepare Environmental Audit reports that will be submitted to responsible Authorities (NEMA)
- Prepare and implement Environmental Action Plans and mitigation plans for various projects.
- Design and Implement Environmental Education Programs.

October 2007-September 2011

Chemist/Laboratory Analyst

MINISTRY OF ROADS

Key Responsibilities

- Carry out Chemical Analysis of water, soil and there road construction materials
- Prepare laboratory reagents
- Prepare test results and reports that will be submitted to responsible reporting officer

Education and Qualifications

- Master of Science in Environmental Legislation and Management.
- Bachelor of Science in Industrial Chemistry
- Diploma in Water, sanitation and hygiene
- Professional certificate in climate change mitigation (UN REDD+)
- PRINCE2(Project Management)
- PMD PRO (Project Management)
- Microsoft Project
- SPSS (Statistical Package for Social Sciences)
- Internal /External Lead Auditor Environmental Management System
- Lead Auditor Environmental Impact Assessment Lead/Auditor
- Food safety Management Lead Auditor

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