

INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE OF TROPICAL AGRICULTURE (IITA) INTERNAL & EXTERNAL ADVERTISEMENT

| Ref: IITA-HR-NRS2019-029 | Position: |
|---|--|
| | State Coordinator |
| Location: Borno & Adamawa | Recruitment Type: National (2-year renewable contract) |
| Date Posted: 16 th August 2019 | Closing Date: 31st August 2019 |

The International Institute of Tropical Agriculture seeks suitable applicants for the position below at the Institute's project location in Borno and Adamawa:

Position: State Coordinator

Contract: 2-year renewable contract (2-Positions) **Location: Borno & Adamawa**

DUTIES:

Successful candidate will among other things perform the following duties:

- Manage stakeholder platforms at State and Local Government levels
- Link Stakeholders to Government agencies and non-Governmental Organizations
- Facilitate implementation of all Activity Interventions in the Local Government Areas and communities
- Supervise field agents in the implementation of field operations
- Link Stakeholders to Government agencies and non-Governmental Organizations
- Facilitate implementation of all Activity interventions in the Local Government Areas and communities
- Facilitate training programs at all levels
- Promote linkages between the various value chain actors
- Perform any other duties as may be assigned from time to time by the supervisor

QUALIFICATION:

A post graduate degree in Plant/Crop Science, Public Administration or related fields with minimum of eight (8) years professional experience performing similar role in a structured organization.

COMPETENCIES:

The ideal candidate must:

• Have excellent interpersonal skills and the ability to work in a team-oriented multicultural environment

- Have ability to communicate fluently (orally and in writing) in Hausa and English language
- Have the ability to deliver accurate and timely reports
- Be able to work with minimum supervision and with tight deadlines
- Ability to communicate in one or more of northern Nigeria's major languages is an advantage

REMUNERATION:

We offer highly competitive salary with equally attractive benefits and excellent working conditions in a pleasant campus environment.

METHOD OF APPLICATION:

Interested applicants should complete the online application attaching detailed cover letter and curriculum vitae saved with their names in Microsoft word format to IITA website: <u>http://jobs.iita.org/erecruit/</u> no later than Two Weeks from the date of this publication. The application must include the names and e-mail addresses of three professional referees which must include the applicant's current or previous direct Supervisor, professional colleague and evidence of current remuneration package.

IITA is an equal opportunity employer and particularly welcomes applications from female candidates.