

Project title:	Operational Support Facility for Civil Society Organisations implementing the EU Thematic Programme "Non State Actors and Local Authorities" in Palestine"
Position:	Civil Society Expert – Team Leader (Category II)
Location:	Palestine (West Bank, Gaza Strip and East Jerusalem)
Eligible nationalities:	All nationalities
Start of project:	February 2015
Assignment duration:	78 working days
Deadline:	02/12/2014
Objective of the project:	<p><u>Global objective</u></p> <p>The global objective of this action is to improve the impact and increase the effectiveness of the NSA Thematic Programme in Palestine as to strengthen the Palestinian civil society as a pre-condition for a more equitable, open and democratic society.</p> <p><u>Specific objectives</u></p> <p>SO 1: To reinforce the technical and operational capacities of the local civil society organisations partners of the NSA thematic programme (20-25 organisations) by providing technical assistance:</p> <p>a) to enhance their capacities to manage EU grants in a sustainable manner.</p> <p>b) to enhance their sectoral knowledge and their capacities to monitor public policies and to advocate.</p> <p>c) to ameliorate the internal governance, transparency and accountability of at least 6 organisations.</p> <p>SO 2: To promote networking, coordination and cooperation amongst NSA projects (16 ongoing projects) and partners aiming at sharing knowledge and best practices.</p>
Qualifications required:	<p><u>Qualification and skills</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Senior expert, with university degree in social sciences, economics, or any other relevant field. • Excellent drafting skills in English, and preferably in Arabic too • Proven communication and interpersonal skills <p><u>General professional experience</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum of 6 year’s professional experience in development cooperation with civil society. <p><u>Specific professional experience</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Knowledge of EC policies/strategies/programmes to support civil society. • Knowledge of civil society arena, preferably in the neighbourhood countries/Palestine. • Proven expertise in Project Cycle Management and EC procedures applicable to grants. • Proven experience of project coordination and management of a team of experts. • Previous experience in the context of the Thematic Programme NSA-LA will be an asset
Other information:	<i>If you are interested in this position please send your CV in EU format under the heading “Civil Society Expert – Team Leader (Palestine)”. When sending your application please include an indication of your desired remuneration (day-rate). Please also make sure that you include one or more telephone numbers. Only selected candidates will be contacted.</i>
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