# SAVE THE CHILDREN INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS ROLE PROFILE

•	TITLE: Project Assistant	
Г	TEAM/PROGRAMME: Child Right Governance	LOCATION: Ha Noi
	GRADE: C	

#### CHILD SAFEGUARDING:

Level 3: the role holder will have contact with children and/or young people <u>either</u> frequently (e.g. once a week or more) <u>or</u> intensively (e.g. four days in one month or more or overnight) because they work in country programs; or are visiting country programs; or because they are responsible for implementing the police checking/vetting process staff.

**ROLE PURPOSE:** Project Assistant works under the guidance and supervision of the Project Manager and in close coordination with partners to ensure effective, efficient and cost-sensitive operations of the "Supporting civil society in Vietnam-Support Right to Education, Civil Culture and Ethnicity Project" in the assigned geographical locations.

# SCOPE OF ROLE:

Reports to: Project Manager

Dimensions: Within SCI, partners and others CSOs

Number of direct reports: N/A

# **KEY AREAS OF ACCOUNTABILITY:**

- 1. Program Planning and Implementation
  - Participate in Country Annual Planning and gather necessary information
  - Support in developing Project Detailed Implementation Plan and provide support for partners in developing their respective Detailed Implementation Plan
  - Assist Project Officer to produce and submit a quarterly work-plan and progress update to the Project Manager that indicates project activities as well as the PO/PA's schedule.
  - Support PO and PM to schedule activities, meetings, and workshops organized in Van Chan, Yen Bai.
  - Make recommendations on the quality of SC project materials including training manuals, documentation, and other project materials
  - Support PO to maintain database, records for case studies, photos, and other data for project planning and documentation
  - Provide inputs for communication materials development
  - Work closely with the project team and relevant local partners to create and pilot innovative and effective models or approaches that can extensively replicated at provincial, regional, and national scope
  - Support PO to coordinate all logistical issues for visits, project activities and other related things
  - Translate relevant project document as requested by PM
- 2. Finance Management and Budget control
  - Review partners' financial report and supporting document when requested by PM
  - Comply SCI and donor requirements on expenditures and provide support to partners
  - Prepare advance requests and expense claim
- 3. Monitoring, evaluation, reporting and capacity building
  - Assist in developing needs assessment tools, designing training modules, and conducting training as necessary
  - Monitor project activities conducted by partners to ensure project activities implemented as per workplan
  - Support PO to collect and submit monthly reports that compile the numbers trained and numbers reached in each project sites, achievements, challenges and lessons learned.
  - Participate in, support and prepare logistics for research, surveys and other monitoring and/or evaluation activities in Van Chan district, as needed.
  - Propose solutions to address assessed needs and adjust implementation approaches to attain or maintain the highest quality based on assessment and ongoing monitoring and evaluation.
  - Provide input into reports as requested by the Project Manager in a timely manner.
- 4. Representational/Coordination/Networking
  - Meet with local partners, school teachers and students of target schools in a regular basis, record minutes, cooperate and collaborate on program design and implementation.
  - Maintain collegial working relationships with all stakeholders through collaboration and cooperation
  - Ensure effective communication in order that all partners are well informed on program objectives and activities
  - Represent the project in workshops and meetings as requested by Project Manager.

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• Actively collaborate with sectoral colleagues in SCI Vietnam to promote shared directions, exchange best practices, and provide assistance.

# 5. Other tasks as assigned

· Additional tasks will be identified and assigned as needed

# **BEHAVIOURS (Values in Practice)**

# **Accountability:**

- holds self- accountable for making decisions, managing resources efficiently, achieving and role modelling Save the Children values
- holds the team and partners accountable to deliver on their responsibilities giving them the
  freedom to deliver in the best way they see fit, providing the necessary development to improve
  performance and applying appropriate consequences when results are not achieved.

#### Ambition:

- sets ambitious and challenging goals for themselves and their team, takes responsibility for their own personal development and encourages their team to do the same
- widely shares their personal vision for Save the Children, engages and motivates others
- future orientated, thinks strategically and on a global scale.

#### Collaboration:

- builds and maintains effective relationships, with their team, colleagues, Members and external partners and supporters
- values diversity, sees it as a source of competitive strength
- approachable, good listener, easy to talk to.

### Creativity:

- develops and encourages new and innovative solutions
- willing to take disciplined risks.

# Integrity:

honest, encourages openness and transparency; demonstrates highest levels of integrity

# **QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE**

# **Essential**

- University degree in economy, education, social sciences or other related fields
- Have at least 3 years experiences working in the development areas, (working with children, especially ethnic minorities ones is preferable).
- Ability to learn quickly and respond to multiple demands
- Positive attitude to working with children in schools, parents, school and communities leaders,
- Knowledge of child participation, early childhood development is a plus
- Excellent communication and interpersonal communication skills
- Fluency in English speaking and writing
- Willing to travel

# **Desirable**

- Have experiences working at community level,
- Have experiences in working with education and CSO sectors,

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