

# Vacancy

# WE ARE HIRING

# **SASSCAL Graduate Studies Programme**

In an effort to address the capacity needs of the Southern African Development Community (SADC) water sector, the Southern African Science Service Centre for Climate Change and Adaptive Land Management (SASSCAL) established the SASSCAL Graduate Studies Programme in Integrated Water Resources Management (SGSP – IWRM) at the Namibia University of Science and Technology. The programme is implemented by NUST in partnership with the International Centre of Water Resources and Global Change based at the Institute of Hydrology in Koblenz Germany. The SGSP-IWRM is fully funded by the Federal Ministry of Education and Research (BMBF). The objective of the SGSP – IWRM is to develop and deploy an innovative and excellent regional collaborative education and research programme at the PhD level complemented by selected tailor-made short courses.

## **Communications Officer**

### Requirements

A Bachelor's degree (NQF Level 8) in a combination of Natural Resources Management/Environmental Management with a bias in science communication/Marketing/Advocacy or other suitable discipline or equivalent with at least two years practical experience in water/environmental/sustainability and development issues providing strategic programme visibility, communications, networking, and impact/output support in all media both internally and externally including electronic and print media. A Master's at NQF Level 9 or equivalent would be an advantage. Excellent English communication (both oral and written), computer, organisational, interpersonal, creative, negotiation and networking skills. Competent in using all Microsoft packages including MS Project.

### Key Performance Areas

Management of communications and Media Relations; Networking and promoting collaborative partnerships (in promotion of internationalisation); and Marketing material development and dissemination and events management.





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#### APPLICATIONS PROCEDURE

Applicants who are suitably qualified with a distinguished record of achievements and proven capacity to conduct effective and high-quality research and education can submit their applications in writing, accompanied by a detailed Curriculum Vitae, as well as the names and full contact details (including e-mail addresses) of at least three traceable and credible referees and proof of their qualifications to: recruitment@nust.na. On e-mail applications, please enter the title of the position in the subject line. All foreign qualifications must be validated by the NQA.

> Term of Appointment: TWO YEARS Closing Date: 16 SEPTEMBER 2022