



TEMPORARY APPOINTMENT

(Re-advertisement)

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INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SERVICES (ITS) PROGRAMME

ANNOUNCEMENT NO:	13/TA16/ITS
PUBLICATION DATE:	08 February 2013
DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION	17 February 2013
TITLE AND GRADE:	Information Technology Assistant (G-5)
INDICATIVE MONTHLY SALARY:	Euro 2,976 net, plus UN benefits and pension fund
DURATION OF APPOINTMENT:	as soon as possible for 11 months
DUTY STATION:	Bonn, Germany

Background

The United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC) is the focus of the political process to address Climate Change. The Convention secretariat supports the Convention and its Kyoto Protocol by a range of activities, including substantive and organizational support to meetings of the Parties.

The Information Technology Services programme is a central service provider for information and communication technology infrastructure and user support services, as well as for information systems development, maintenance and application support within the UNFCCC.

Functions to be performed

The Information Technology Assistant will work under the supervision of the Team Lead of the Reporting & Business Intelligence unit of the Information Systems Delivery (ISD) sub-programme in the Information Technology Services programme. He/she will:

1. Provide support for software solutions and quality assurance by preparing test scenarios and testing of new software solutions, both manual and automated.
2. Assist in designing and ensuring overall integrity of the testing strategy.
3. Help design, develop and implement test plans, scripts, tools, using the detailed business requirements document provided by the business analysts.
4. Work with business and technology leads to identify the appropriate data for testing, determine the acceptable range for test results and performance and prepare that data for the test cases.
5. Assist developers and technical support staff in identifying and resolving problems.
6. Reconcile test results from different tests and different groups and document test procedures and findings.
7. Assess and revise test sequence and scope based upon test results and/or changes in product design.
8. Provide support to deployed information systems by acting as helpdesk, tracking problems, responding to user requests and generating inputs for continuous improvement of applications and processes.

Essential Requirements
(Only candidates who meet the requirements stated below will be considered.)

- Completed secondary education.
- At least five (5) years of progressive experience in Information Technology with demonstrated experience in testing and support of complex web-based applications.
- Good customer support experience.
- Knowledge of the following technologies is required; Java Script/JQuery, Java/ JEE, SQL Server 2008, JSF 2.0, XSD/SML/XSLT, Eclipse, Ant/Maven/JUnit.
- Good command of English.

To apply

Candidates whose qualifications and experience match the requirements, should use the on-line application system available at <http://unfccc.int/secretariat/employment/recruitment>.

Please note:

1. **This post is for local recruitment only. All travel, interview and relocation costs incurred to take up an appointment at the duty station in Bonn are at the expense of the applicant.**
2. **We will confirm receipt of your application. However, only candidates under serious consideration and contacted for an interview will receive notice of the final outcome of the selection process.**