



YOUNG PROFESSIONALS PROGRAMME (YPP) – 2021

UNESCO is launching a call, through the Namibia National Commission for UNESCO, for applications to the Young Professionals Programme 2021! This programme provides talented, highly qualified university graduates and young professionals the opportunity to join UNESCO at the early stage of their professional career.

The objectives: *Improving the geographical representation of UNESCO; and Enriching and diversifying the UNESCO staff.*

A. Eligibility Criteria for the YPP 2021: (Who are we looking for?):

Nationality and age: Namibian. Age limit is 32 years old maximum (i.e., not born before 1st January 1990).

Education: Advanced University degree (Master's or equivalent) in the following areas: Education, Culture, Communications, Social and Human Sciences, Business Administration, Accounting/Finance, Law, International Relations.

Languages: Fluent English or French. Knowledge of both working languages would be an asset. Knowledge of Arabic, Chinese, Russian or Spanish would be an additional asset.

Experience: Initial professional experience is an asset, but not mandatory.

Values: Integrity, professionalism, respect for diversity and a strong commitment to UNESCO's mission.

B. Positions available:

- **ASSOCIATE EDUCATION POLICY ANALYST** (*Project Appointment*); Education Sector (ED), International Institute for Educational Planning (IIEP), UNESCO Office Dakar (Senegal)
- **ASSOCIATE LIAISON OFFICER**, Priority Africa and External Relations Sector (PAX), Africa Division (PAX/AFR), UNESCO Headquarters Paris (France)
- **ASSOCIATE HR OFFICER (LEGAL)**, Sector for Administration and Management (ADM), Bureau of Human Resources Management (HRM), UNESCO Headquarters Paris (France)
- **ASSOCIATE FINANCE & ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER**, Sector for Administration and Management (ADM), Section for Administrative Support (ADS), UNESCO Field Office
- **ASSOCIATE PROGRAMME SPECIALIST**, Communications and Information Sector (CI), Section for Media and Information Literacy & Media Development (MID), UNESCO Headquarters Paris (France)
- **ASSOCIATE PROGRAMME SPECIALIST** (*as of October 2022*), Culture Sector (CLT), Culture and Emergencies Entity (CLT/CEM), Movable Heritage and Museums Unit (MHM), UNESCO Headquarters Paris (France)

Applications: Candidates must apply via their respective National Commission. The Namibia National Commission for UNESCO will submit a maximum of 15 qualified candidatures to UNESCO Headquarters (HRM) who will do the final selection. Please submit a detailed CV **ON OR BEFORE 30 JULY 2021** to the Secretariat of the Namibia National Commission for UNESCO, at Rosalia.Nuuyoma@mheti.gov.na and copy Waldo.Junius@mheti.gov.na

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