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Mangement/Organizational Development - Disater Risk Reduction Consultant Sri Lanka, Nonprofit Organization Management



Summary

Currently independent consultant and tour leader based in Sri Lanka. Management/Development professional with considerable international experience mainly as a resource person on long-term assignments in countries as diverse as Laos, Vietnam, Cambodia, Indonesia, East Timor, Myanmar, Sri Lanka, Pakistan and Nepal. Apart from working in Asian countries, worked in Denmark on Management level (Health sector) for 15 years.

Main area of technical expertise is in the sectors of community based Disaster Risk Reduction and Health projects / programmes and negotiations with local partners and Governments, establishment of country / regional offices, HR Management and training of local staff. Additionally, worked with the development of regional administrative / financial systems incl. further development of software for activity based financial management (NAVISION). Extensive experience in these areas working with bilateral and multilateral Donors. Project design, project proposals (DANIDA, EU, ECHO, DIPECHO, USAID, Qatar Foundation and private donors). Been engaged in policy and strategy development work.

Extensive work experience further involved project documentation, case studies, and evaluations, restructuring of projects and designing new initiatives. Have designed and conducted numerous consultations and training workshops for project personnel, local government officials and others.

Though a management professional with expertise in mentioned aspects, I have experience of working in disaster response. (Tsunami Sri Lanka, earthquake in Pakistan and flooding in Nepal and Laos).

Over the last few years taken up jobs as tour leader for group travellers among other introducing country specific culture, historic, political, social and resource topics to the groups in addition to sharing more problematical issues experienced especially in the countries in South and South East Asia.

Running a boutique villa in southern Sri Lanka

Experience

Independent Consultant Self Employed March 2011 – Present (3 years 11 months)Sri Lanka Community Based Disaster Risk Reduction hereunder Community Based Early Warning, Project Design, Project Management, Project Proposal, Project Evaluations and Reviews, Organization Development and Institutional Strengthening.

Tour Leader Viktors Farmor Worldwide Expeditions 2011 – Present (4 years)Sri Lana and Laos Tour leader for group tours in Sri Lanka and Laos

Programme Manager

Mercy Corps February 2008 – March 2011 (3 years 2 months)Nepal Overall responsible for DRR, emergency and recovery projects in terms of design, proposals formulation, and management including financial management, implementation, donor communication, documentation and capacity building; coordination with national and local authorities, humanitarian actors and key implementing partners; initiated formulation of Early Warning strategies, cost benefit analysis and case studies.

Consultancies Danish Red Cross April 2006 – May 2007 (1 year 2 months)Sri Lanka Reporting, monitoring, and capacity building.

Base Camp Manager and Administrator IFRC October 2005 – April 2006 (7 months)Pakistan Camp management; liasing with relief operation stakeholders and the local community in the relief operation and in the local community.

Regional Consultant Danish Red Cross April 2005 – October 2005 (7 months)Sri Lanka and Laos Pre-project desk studies, capacity building, financial management and budgetting

Regional Consultant Danish Red Cross March 1999 – April 2005 (6 years 2 months)Laos Support establishment of country offices in Laos, Cambodia, Indonesia and Myanmar. Desk studies (Essential drug, Primary Health Care Programme, Education within Primary Health Care and Disaster Preparedness). ECHO/DIPECHO/EC Proposals. Development of activity based planning, implementation and monitoring software. Capacity building and monitoring.

Consultant COPE/National Rehabilitation Centre December 1998 – March 1999 (4 months)Laos Capacity building of doctors and physiotherapists Head of Department of Physiotherapy Svendborg Hospital November 1983 – August 1998 (14 years 10 months)Denmark Overall responsible for the clinical, administrative and financial management of the Department of Physiotherapy.

Education

Syddansk Universitet Master, Public Management 2003 – 2005

University of Southern Denmark Master, public management 1996 – 1998

Copenhagen University Diploma, Clinical Decision-Making and Research Methods 1992 – 1993

School for Physiotherapists, University of Odense, Denmark Bachelor, Physiotherapist 1976 – 1979

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