



Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations

## PROFESSIONAL VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT N°:

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Deadline For Application:

POSITION TITLE:	<b>APO - Fishery Officer(Oman-APO-01)</b>	GRADE LEVEL:	<b>P-2</b>
		DUTY STATION:	<b>Muscat, Sultanate of Oman</b>
ORGANIZATIONAL UNIT:	<b>FAO Representation in Oman</b>	DURATION* :	<b>Fixed Term: one year with possibility of extension</b>
		POST NUMBER:	
		CCOG CODE:	<b>1H05</b>

\* The length of appointment for internal FAO candidates will be established in accordance with applicable policies pertaining to the extension of appointments

**Qualified female applicants and qualified nationals of non-and under-represented member countries are encouraged to apply.**

**Persons with disabilities are equally encouraged to apply.**

**All applications will be treated with the strictest confidence.**

**The incumbent may be re-assigned to different activities and/or duty stations depending on the evolving needs of the Organization.**

### Organizational Setting

Under Vision 2020, Oman plans to reduce the crude oil sector's share of the Gross Domestic Product (GDP), through an increase in the contribution of fisheries and aquaculture. To achieve this target, the country will need to: improve the technical and fisheries management capacities of government staff; improve the monitoring of the fisheries sector and the quality of data; strengthen sustainable management of national fisheries resources; facilitate private sector investment and technological advancement; improve the quality and diversity of fisheries products; reduce post-harvest losses; and exploit Oman's considerable aquaculture potential in an economically and environmentally sustainable manner.

### Reporting Lines

The Fishery Officer reports to the FAO Representative in Oman

### Technical Focus

To perform duties in the area of fishery and aquaculture with interaction and collaboration of relevant fishery officers in SNG and HQ and with FAO partners in Oman..

### Key Results

Collection and analysis of information, data and statistics and project / meeting services to support programme projects, products and services

### Key Functions

- Collects and analyzes relevant technical, social, economic, environmental, institutional and technology related information, data and/or statistics to support the delivery of programme projects, products and services
- Undertakes analysis, provides technical input for plans and reports and edits/revises technical/scientific documents.
- Participates in the development of improved work methods, tools and systems
- Updates databases and web pages
- Participates on multi-disciplinary project/work teams
- Collaborates in the development of training tools and materials and the organization of workshops/seminars etc.
- Participates in the organization, conduct and follow-up of meetings, consultations and conferences, the development/production of required materials and the provision of information and assistance to partners

### Specific Functions

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## CANDIDATES WILL BE ASSESSED AGAINST THE FOLLOWING

### Minimum Requirements

- Advanced university degree in economics, fisheries economics or marine affairs with a specialization in fisheries management and/or governance or other related field
- Three years of relevant experience in fish trade, fishery products safety and quality, field of statistics and data management of fisheries, or related field
- Working knowledge of English, French or Spanish and limited knowledge of one of the other two or Arabic, Chinese, Russian

### Competencies

- Results Focus
- Teamwork
- Communication
- Building Effective Relationships

- Knowledge Sharing and Continuous Improvement

#### **Technical/Functional Skills**

- Work experience in more than one location or area of work, particularly in field positions is desirable
- Extent and relevance of experience in collecting and analysing technical information and data
- Extent and relevance of knowledge and experience in related fields such as fisheries
- Extent and relevance of experience in the preparation, editing and revision of technical/scientific documents and in organizing meetings and workshops
- Extent and relevance of experience in working with scientific bibliographic databases and/or information systems

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Please note that all candidates should adhere to *FAO Values of Commitment to FAO, Respect for All and Integrity and Transparency*.

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#### **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

- All candidates should possess computer/word processing skills.
- Your application will be screened based on the information provided in your iRecruitment online profile (see “*How to Apply*”). We strongly recommend that you ensure that the information is accurate and complete including employment record, academic qualifications and language skills.
- Please note that FAO will only consider academic credentials or degrees obtained from an educational institution recognised in the IAU/UNESCO list.
- Other similar positions at the same level may be filled from this vacancy notice and the endorsed candidates will be considered for the Employment Roster for a period of 2 years.
- Candidates may be requested to provide performance assessments.

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#### **REMUNERATION**

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#### **HOW TO APPLY**

To apply, visit the iRecruitment website at <http://www.fao.org/employment/irecruitment-access/en/> and complete your online profile. Only applications received through iRecruitment will be considered.

Candidates are requested to attach a letter of motivation to the online profile.

Vacancies will be removed from iRecruitment at 23:59 Central European Time (CET) on the deadline for applications date. We encourage applicants to submit the application well before the deadline date.

If you need help, or have queries, please contact: [iRecruitment@fao.org](mailto:iRecruitment@fao.org)

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