The Robert Bosch Stiftung is one of the major foundations in Germany associated with a private company. The foundation exclusively and directly serves charitable purposes.

Within our “Global Issues” support area, we are looking for a

**Senior Expert for the topic “Climate Change” with a focus on land use (32 hours per week)**

to start on April 1, 2023.

We advocate a just transformation in land use based on holistic solutions that achieve climate goals, safeguard biodiversity, reduce inequality, and strengthen resilience. We address both synergies and trade-offs and foster the social acceptance of this challenging transition. Our geographic focus is on Europe and sub-Saharan Africa.

**The role:**
As part of the climate change team, you will work on the development and implementation of the impact-oriented funding strategy for the topic of climate change, also in nexus with other topics of the foundation.

Specifically, your responsibilities will include:
- Initiation, implementation and management of the Foundation’s participation in international alliances, global processes and multilateral forums in connection with our funding activities in Europe and sub-Saharan Africa
- Development and responsible management of complex project portfolios (conception and design of content, cooperation with national and international partners, budget planning and controlling, administration, monitoring, evaluation and learning).
- Networking in the professional and political environment at home and abroad
- Representing the foundation’s activities on climate change both internally and externally (e.g., writing opinion pieces, participating in panel discussions)
- Supporting the foundation’s political communication on the topic
- Further development of the foundation’s professional networks and competencies within the team.

**The requirements:**
- Relevant academic background and track record of academic publications
- Several years of internationally-focused professional experience related to climate change and land use issues
- Excellent understanding and knowledge of relevant international discourses on climate policy and land use, as well as the environmental, socio-economic and political aspects of the transformation
- Excellent professional and political networks at international level
- Experience in strategy development and project management
- Enjoy teamwork and co-creative processes
- Extensive international experience living and working abroad, preferably in sub-Saharan Africa
- Professional fluency in German and English; French and other foreign languages an advantage
- High level of writing skills and stylistic confidence as well as media competence
- Willingness to travel for work at home and abroad.

**Our offer:**
If you are performance-focused, highly committed, and have the drive to dedicate yourself to this role, we offer you a challenging and varied position within a motivated team. We offer a
generous package including additional benefits and support you with extensive opportunities for future training.

The position is initially limited to two years. We endeavor to make the role permanent at the end of the two-year period. The job can be based in either Berlin or Stuttgart.

Interested?

Please submit your application by 25 of October 2022 using our Online Application Portal. For data protection reasons, we ask that you only apply via the Application Portal.

Please include the following documents in your application:
- Cover letter
- Resumé
- Certificate of your highest school-leaving qualification (e.g. high school diploma)
- Certificate(s) of training and university degree
- Certificates/supporting documents of previous professional activities

For further information on our work, please visit our website: www.bosch-stiftung.de/en.

We look forward to receiving your application!

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