



JOB OFFER

Description

The firm is looking for a Senior Legal Consultant to strengthen its team and to meet the growing demand of some specific clients.

The Senior Legal Consultant will be responsible for providing legal advice and strategies at the request of our clients, particularly Arabic-speaking clients, in areas related to Islamic law and the promotion of peace as well as inter-religious respect.

The Senior Legal Consultant will be in regular contact with members of the Geneva International community, IOs, NGOs, Foundations, etc.

Job Title

Senior Legal Counsel

Location

Geneva

Academic Qualifications and Work Experience:

- Master degree in law or/and in International relations, specialisation in Islamic Sharia required; specialisation in Constitutional law or Human rights or Comparative law desirable;
- minimum of 10 years experience in the practice of Sharia law and in Constitutional law or Human rights or Comparative law, of which at least 5 years' experience performing legal functions in an environment of high level people;
- minimum of 5 years experience in Arabic countries;
- minimum of 5 years experience in promoting peace, tolerance among religious communities.

Skills/Competencies:

- analytical and problem solving skills;
- excellent respect for religious diversity;
- excellent value of openness and tolerance;
- knowledge of Arabic cultures;
- excellent relationship building skills and ability to build consensus among various stakeholders with tact and discretion;
- excellent interpersonal and influencing skills and ability to work collaboratively with people from a wide range of disciplines and backgrounds;
- excellent ability to work in a multi-cultural environment;

- ability to work collaboratively with high-level individuals from multi-religious and multi-cultural backgrounds;
- knowledge of all Abrahamic cultures and religions;
- ability to travel internationally as required to fulfil duties;
- computer skills and ability to work with minimal clerical assistance.

Languages:

- fluent in Arabic, speaking and writing;
- understand and read English;
- French and/or other languages are an advantage.

Schedule

Full-time

Entry in function:

As soon as possible

Deadline for application:

Your complete application must be sent by email to our hiring partner, Me Ndaté DIENG, nd@diengstuder.com, **by July 20, 2022**. Each application will be treated confidentially.

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