UNV Offer in Support of the UN System Rapid Response in Lebanon

UNV is ready to support the UNCT in Lebanon in facilitating single source and fast-track recruitments or re-assignments of currently serving UN Volunteers for emergency response-and-recovery. UNV offers a wide range of volunteer categories – from UN Community, Youth and Specialist to Expert Volunteers – to fit the needs of our UN partners.

Fast, Efficient and Cost-Effective

The estimated proforma cost of a 6-month national UN Volunteer Specialist assignment in Beirut is 14,534 USD. Cost estimates for other volunteer categories or contract durations are available using an online calculator.

The speed of deploying national UN Volunteers to the duty station varies between 7 and 24 business days from selection to entry on duty, when funding is confirmed.

How to Access

To initiate UN Volunteer recruitment, UNV requires confirmation of funding and a Description of Assignment (DOA), which serves as Terms of Reference/Job description of the assignment. DOA templates for international, national and youth UN Volunteers are available online.



UNV has available sample DOAs for UN Volunteer Engineers, Medical Personnel, Administrative Associates and other occupational categories.

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UNV Good Practice: Response to the Nepal Earthquake



UNV previously supported the UN family in the aftermath of the Nepal Earthquake in 2015, through the UNDP Demolition and Debris Management Project and the Comprehensive Disaster Risk Management Programme. More than 100 UN Volunteers were engaged - mostly engineers by profession, including some experts in agriculture, forestry, accounting and administrative and logistical support. In coordination with UNDP experts on demolition, UN Volunteers undertook the structural assessment of public and private buildings damaged by the earthquake, including schools, health facilities and monasteries. They also supervised cashfor-work teams comprised of people from the community who cleared vast quantities of debris scattered in the disaster-hit areas.



National Talent Pool: An Extract

The below is a snapshot from a talent pool of 3,000 registered candidates



Lebanon



ENGINEERING

- 151 Civil engineering and construction supervision
- 112 Water sanitation and environmental engineering
- 30 Electrical engineering
- 39 Engineering economics and quantity surveying



MEDICAL AND HEALTH CARE

- 33 General doctors
- 23 Specialized doctors
- 41 Nursing
- 171 Public health
- 54 Mental health



OTHER AREAS

- 267 Emergency response, immediate relief operations, and post conflict humanitarian aid operations
- 162 Food safety and nutrition
- 169 Logistic and supply management
- 470 Administration, finance and human resources support

*Data as of 06 August 2020

This includes candidates who are 22 years or older, come with minimum 3 years of work experience and have a Bachelor's degree or above.

