



## ADVERTISEMENT

The Project is looking for a Senior Non-Key expert:

***Senior NKE for standards' improvement***

**Project Title:** EU Support to Reform of Education in Serbia

**Contract no:** 2019/405-242

**The overall objective of the project:** To assist the Government of Serbia in implementing reforms in the education sector by improving the quality, equity and relevance of the education and training

**Purpose of the project:** Strengthening institutional and human capacities of key institutions in the education sector to manage comprehensive education reform; and timely, efficient and effective coordination and implementation of the Sector Reform Performance Contract (SRPC)

**Main tasks:** NKE Senior expert for standards' improvement will work closely with other relevant Senior experts (particularly Senior expert for legislative support) and support the Team Leader and Project Key Expert 2 in the delivery of activities and outcomes listed in the table below.

Sub activity N°	Task	Indicative input:	Expected deliverables:
3.1.4	<p><b>Indicative tasks:</b></p> <p><i>3.1.4.1. Establishment of the working group for reconciliation of standards and indicators of cross-curricular competencies for primary<sup>1</sup> education and for a part of secondary education</i></p> <p><i>3.1.4.2. Development of draft standards and indicators of cross-curricular competencies for primary education</i></p> <p><i>3.1.4.3. Implementation of wider</i></p>	50 wd	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The working group for defining standards of cross-curricular competencies for primary education established</li> <li>• Draft standards for cross-curricular competencies developed and discussed in relevant fora</li> <li>• New by-law on cross-curricular competencies for primary education</li> <li>• Analyses and harmonisation of existing regulation in accordance with the newly developed bylaw completed</li> </ul>

<sup>1</sup> Add Secondary schools with Key Competencies, 2018 document.



	<p><i>consultations through three meetings with representatives of different stakeholders in order to fine-tune the standards</i></p> <p><i>3.1.4.4. Development of the by-law on cross-curricular competencies for primary education<sup>2</sup> with the support of legal expert engaged by the project</i></p> <p><i>3.1.4.5. Analyses and harmonisation of existing regulation in accordance with the newly developed bylaw</i></p>		
<b>Total</b>		<b>50 WD</b>	

**Note:** For more information see the ToR

**Number of required experts:** One (1) Senior Non-Key Expert

**Duration of the assignment:** Up to a total of 50 working days

**Period of assignment:** December 2019 until April 2020

**Place of assignment:** Belgrade, Serbia

**Working language:** English

#### **Requirements for the position**

##### Qualifications and skills:

- A University Degree (where a university degree has been awarded on completion of three (3) years of study in a university or equivalent institution) in education, humanities, political science, pedagogy, psychology, andragogy, or other relevant human development subject or at least 5 years of relevant professional experience in addition to relevant General Professional Experience
  - Proficiency in written and spoken English
  - Have excellent oral and written communication and analytical skills

<sup>2</sup> Extend with a methodology for evaluating key competences at the school and system levels



<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Have excellent team working abilities</i></li><li>• <i>Strong communication and presentation skills and the ability to transfer his/her knowledge effectively</i></li><li>• <i>Knowledge of Serbian language (or other local languages- Bosnian, Croatian, Montenegrin) will be considered as an advantage</i></li></ul>
<p><u><b>General Professional Experience:</b></u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• At least ten (10) years, preferable twelve (12) of proven professional experience in education sector</li></ul>
<p><u><b>Specific Professional Experience:</b></u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Minimum five (5), preferably seven (7) years of experience in any of the following fields:</i><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ <i>Development and measuring the standards and indicators for preuniversity education</i></li><li>○ <i>Research activities aimed at improvement of education policy making</i></li><li>○ <i>Analyzing education data and translating findings into recommendations</i></li></ul></li><li>• <i>Knowledge of overall Serbian education system will be considered an advantage</i></li><li>• <i>Experience in presentation and dissemination of research results will be considered an advantage</i></li><li>• <i>Experience in EU and other international donor-funded projects will be considered an advantage</i></li></ul>

**Further requirements:**

The selected expert is not a Civil Servant or other staff of the public administration of the beneficiary country.

The deadline for application is:

**20 December 2019, 17:00**

Only short-listed applicants will be contacted.

Please submit the application: CV (EU format), relevant diplomas and employment certificates by email to: [ekin.or@weglobal.org](mailto:ekin.or@weglobal.org) and [snezana.pavlovic@weglobal.org](mailto:snezana.pavlovic@weglobal.org)

All applications will be considered strictly confidential.

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