

**UNICEF CHINA COUNTRY OFFICE
Vacancy Announcement**

Functional Title: - Technical Support to the Adolescent Education Project

Contract/Grade: Consultant

Duty Station: Beijing, China

Vacancy Open: 2 January 2019

Vacancy Closes: 13 January 2019

UNICEF works in some of the world's toughest places, to reach the world's most disadvantaged children. To save their lives. To defend their rights. To help them fulfil their potential. Across 190 countries and territories, we work for every child, everywhere, every day, to build a better world for everyone. And we never give up.

For every child, an education

UNICEF is working with partners to support life skills development for adolescents. We are currently undertaking two projects focused on the revision of eight current life skills modules to meet the changing needs of adolescents, and to develop courses on self-awareness, problem solving and social emotional learning, respectively. Strong technical inputs are vital to enhance the capacity of government counterparts. We are looking for a full-time consultant to coordinate the work and to provide strong technical support to ensure quality of results.

How can you make a difference?

The consultant will provide technical expertise for skills based teacher training and support in the development of teaching materials. Moreover, the consultant will collect and develop case studies of life skills education, including video documentaries and blog posts which will contribute to the documentation of results and dissemination of best practices. For full details of the assignment, kindly review [Terms of Reference](#).

The consultancy aims to begin on 1 February 2019 and end on 15 January 2020. The consultant will be based in UNICEF's office in Beijing but expected to travel frequently to the project sites.

To qualify as an advocate for every child you will have

- A university degree at graduate level or above in Education

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- At least five years' relevant technical work experience in the field of formal and non-formal education for adolescents in China,
 - Experience from working with vulnerable groups is an asset
 - Work experience on girl's education and gender expertise is an asset
 - Good writing and editing skills
 - Ability to work independently under tight deadlines
 - Openness to change and ability to manage complexities.
 - Strong relationship building skills
 - Strong organizational skills
 - A creative mind and ability to take initiative

How to apply?

Interested applicants are requested to submit: 1) Cover letter/application, 2) CV, 3) A financial quotation for the consultancy, indicating a suggested daily rate, and 4) at least one writing sample on relevant topic(s). Apply online through <https://www.unicef.org/about/employ/> (requisition 518884), or send your application to beijinghr@unicef.org The deadline for receipt of applications is **13 January 2019**.

UNICEF has a zero-tolerance policy on conduct that is incompatible with the aims and objectives of the United Nations and UNICEF, including sexual exploitation and abuse, sexual harassment, abuse of authority and discrimination. UNICEF also adheres to strict child safeguarding principles. All selected candidates will, therefore, undergo rigorous reference and background checks, and will be expected to adhere to these standards and principles.