



## **Solidarity with South Sudan is looking to appoint an Executive Director to head the organization,**

*Solidarity with South Sudan* aims to create self-sustainable educational, health and pastoral institutions and programs that will help to empower South Sudanese people to build a just and peaceful society. Solidarity is a collaborative commitment of religious working in partnership with the Catholic Church in South Sudan.

**The Executive Director is responsible for the overall operation, performance and success of Solidarity with South Sudan and for its transition to a sustainable future.**

**This role is based in Juba, South Sudan.**

### **The Role**

- Support the Board in delivering its objectives efficiently and effectively, complying with all its legal and regulatory obligations and maintaining high standards of corporate governance.
- Contribute to and oversee implementation of the Board's strategy.
- Maximize the efficient use of all Solidarity with South Sudan's human, financial and other resources.
- Ensure the transition of projects in sustainable form to the people of South Sudan, in the light of the Strategic Plan of the organization.
- Ensure the development of a sustainable funding programme.
- Manage Solidarity with South Sudan's external relationships both and nationally and internationally.

Solidarity with South Sudan is a registered NGO operating primarily in South Sudan but with registered charities in the UK and Italy and works in collaboration with Friends in Solidarity in the USA. The Executive Director is responsible for the success of all these operations.

### **The Person**

The ideal candidate must have a proven track record of successful strategic and operational leadership in a complex, preferably developing world, environment.

You must also be able to demonstrate:

- A track record of management across an organization delivering and developing high quality services in difficult circumstances.
- Expertise in leading, inspiring and motivating people towards the achievement of objectives.
- Skills in developing team working with people in different locations and continents.
- Strong track record of thinking strategically and translating strategy into achievable objectives accompanied by clear outcomes and measurement systems.
- Proven track record of running operations to a firm budget with effective systems of financial management, control and reporting.
- Ability to work effectively with external partners, stakeholders and a Trustee Board.
- Desirable experience of training in education or health sectors.
- An awareness of and sensitivity to cultural and ethnic differences.
- Ability to work with volunteers, religious and lay people working within the ethos of Solidarity with South Sudan.

## **More Information**

To apply for this role please complete the application form and return it along with your curriculum vitae, on or before 30<sup>th</sup> April 2017 to [personnel16.solidarity@gmail.com](mailto:personnel16.solidarity@gmail.com) . Late applications will not be considered.

## **Supporting Documents**

*Advert*

*Role and responsibilities*

*Person specification*

*Solidarity with South Sudan Strategy*