

Seville, 12 December 2022

# Social Dimension and Work for Agroecology Project Manager -SDWAPM-

Vacancy – Terms of reference

## A. Job description

**JOB TITLE:** Social Dimension and Work for Agroecology Project Manager -SDWAPM-

**LOCATION:** LifeWatch ERIC ICT-Core premises in Andalusia (Spain)

**POSITION:** Full-time

**FUNDING RESOURCES:** LifeWatch ERIC ICT-Core – Multi-regional Operational Programme for Spain ERDF (European Regional Development Fund) POPE 2014-2020 (SmartFood Project); Horizon Europe (Path2DEA Project)

**COMPENSATION:** Competitive salary, commensurate to degrees and relevant experience

## B. Main responsibilities

- I. S/he will work under the supervision of, and directly report to, the PI of LifeWatch ERIC for the ERDF Projects, CTO/Head of ICT-Core and FEDERTECH Offices, and/or the person(s) he may delegate ("Agroecology Officers-PEC Assistants"), for the carrying out of the following tasks, activities and deliverables:
  - 1) As project manager, to monitor the degree of compliance of the different LifeWatch ERIC projects in relation to the social dimension and work on agroecology in rural areas, in particular, as set forth in the pilot case studies established by the Andalusia ERDF SmartFood project. Also, to further serve as a reference project for future Agroecology initiatives to come;

- 2) As an outcome, to provide agroecology trans-disciplinary staff members with the social dimension and work requirements for the co-design, construction and deployment of the LifeWatch ERIC Agroecology VREs, in line with the 2030 SDGs (e.g., SDG #5 Gender Issues) and EU Green Deal directives;
- 3) Support in the development of dissemination and raising awareness material and activities, starting from the Doñana Natural and surrounding flagship areas;
- 4) Support in the drafting of projects and initiatives at regional, national, EU and international levels;
- 5) Support in the creation and management of human-friendly co-working in either physical or virtual spaces in different rural areas.

## **C. The ideal candidate should meet the following requirements**

- University Degree in Social Science;
- Official Technical Degrees on Administration and Management will be also taken into account;
- At least 15 years of accredited professional experience in the agricultural and agrifood rural sectors, in particular, working for small/medium-sized cooperatives. Activities such as liaising with stakeholders from rural habitats for giving support to farmers' families in relation to public administrations, supply chain stakeholders, etc.;
- Professional experience in documents management, their custody, traceability and relevant accounting systems;
- Proven professional experience in the application of the Spanish Data Protection Act - Organic Act 15/1999, dated 13 December, regarding the Protection of Data of a Personal Nature;
- Writing and editing, as well as spoken fluency in English (B2 level);

- Writing and editing, as well as spoken fluency in Spanish (C1/C2 level);
- Proven organisation and analytical skills, capable of working in teams and under tight deadlines, in international environments and in multi-language contexts;
- Willingness to travel abroad according to the specific working needs of this position;
- High-standard work ethic.

## ASSETS

- Accredited knowledge on Environmental Management and Sustainable Development;
- Accredited knowledge on the Andalusia Social Economy and Labour Basis in Rural Areas;
- Accredited knowledge on the planning and management of Human Resources for the rural woman context;
- Essential-compulsory IT skills: Accredited knowledge on (a) MS Office package; (b) CONTAPLUS <sup>TM</sup>;
- Understanding of the structure, functioning and regulation of the European Research Infrastructure Consortia (ERICs), in particular regarding ICT, biodiversity and ecosystems.

## D. The vacancy is subject to the following procedure

- A **short covering letter** and **Curriculum Vitae**<sup>1</sup> (EUROPASS format and annexes, 5 pages at the most) shall be submitted to the Chief Technology Officer/Head of ICT-Core [cto@lifewatch.eu](mailto:cto@lifewatch.eu), and in cc to [hiring@lifewatch.eu](mailto: hiring@lifewatch.eu), by **27 December 2022**. Please write "**SDWAPM Candidature**" in the email subject;
- The selection process will follow the Employment Policy of LW ERIC;
- S/he will be appointed for a full-time position. A competitive gross salary, based on the qualifications and experience of the candidate, will be offered. Employment will be in Spain, follow Spanish employment law and be subject to a 180-day trial period;
- This position is a full-time job. Her/his main office will be located at the LifeWatch ERIC ICT -ore premises in La Palma del Condado-Huelva (Andalusia, Spain), without prejudice to the establishment of others in the future;
- Start date in office for the appointed person: **January 2023**.

**LifeWatch ERIC is an equal opportunity employer, and encourages all qualified candidates to apply, regardless of race, gender, age, national origin, or sexual orientation.**

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<sup>1</sup> *Special note for Italian market: According to Italian Privacy Protection Law n. 196/03 any resume not mentioning explicitly the following wording: 'I authorise the use of my personal data in accordance with Italian Privacy Protection Law (30/06/2003, n. 196/03)' will be automatically deleted from our database and consequently not taken into consideration.*