

Job Description: Projects Team Leader

Main purpose and scope of job

Aqua Africa is a UK business set up to focus on social impact government-to-government projects providing safe, sterile, clean drinking water. Our first project in Ghana will provide community-based potable water infrastructure, alleviating Ghanaians from the plight of daily water poverty for less than 1 US cent per litre.

Aqua Africa is looking for an experienced Projects Team Leaders for its office in Ghana, working with the UK and Ghana teams to enable the smooth daily operations of the office and its staff to ensure the successful delivery of AA projects in Ghana through an efficient management approach.

Position in organisation

Reports to:	Construction Manager
Responsible for:	Project Execution
Location:	Ghana
Contract type:	Full time, Fixed term (6 months rolling contract)

Key Duties and Responsibilities

- Managing the day-to-day activities of the project team.
- Delegating tasks to team members.
- Motivating the team to achieve organizational goals and targets.
- Ability and willingness to lead the team for efficient and timely completion of works without compromising on quality.
- Ability and willingness to work in rural locations with minimum resources.
- Report day-to-day progress on field, sending reports to management.
- Ability to install programs, calibrate and test payment systems (Necessary training will be provided).
- Ensure company brand, materials and project execution meet company standards.
- Commissioning and handover of water treatment systems.
- Maintaining good working relationship with the local communities and the AA's community relationship officer.

Skills and Experience

- Proven experience managing a diverse projects team.
- Good understanding of technical drawings and specifications.
- Good technical knowledge on both electrical and mechanical systems.
- Critical thinker and problem-solving skills.
- Computer literate and experience working with Microsoft applications including Word, Excel, and Outlook
- Good communication skills, with ability to generate reports and present information.
- The ability to work under pressure and to tight deadlines.

Knowledge and Qualifications

- Minimum of Higher Diploma.
- Technical Certification (Electrical/Mechanical)
- Knowledge of safety practices.

Other Requirements

- An understanding of the importance of access to clean water and the necessity to alleviate daily water poverty.
- A positive attitude, willingness to learn and strong work ethic with a willingness to travel and occasionally work unsocial hours.
- A desire to support Ghana's vision of being a country beyond aid.

- A commitment to anti-corruption.

To apply

Please send a brief CV (two pages maximum) and accompanying cover letter outlining your motivation and suitability for the role to Aqua Africa's Construction Manager, Seyi Bolarin, seyi.bolarin@aquaafrica.com. Please use the subject line "Projects Team Leader". Applications will be considered on a rolling basis until the position is filled, so you are encouraged to submit yours as soon as possible.

Please note that due to the expected high number of applications, we will only respond to successful candidates.