

Daily Notices circulated by the Government Information Office

Tuesday, 19 May 2020

Contents:

- NUC: Planned power outage: Wed, 20May2020, 10am-2pm, Aiwo and Buada.
 - DFAT/NORI: Job Vacancy: Nauru Ocean Resources Inc. (NORI) Country Manager. Closes 26May2020 (for full details, see attached).
 - DFAT/SPC: Job Vacancy: The Pacific Community (SPC) Seed Systems Specialist, Suva, Fiji. Closes 27May2020 (for full details, see attached).
-

Please scroll down for the notices listed above including contact details for each.

On Behalf of Nauru Utilities Corporation (NUC)

Planned power outage: Wed, 20May, 10am-2pm, Aiwo and Buada.

NUC wishes to inform those affected of a planned power outage on Wednesday, 20 May 2020 from 10am to 2pm for the installation and connection of new high voltage cables between Aiwo and Buada districts.

Outage schedules:

<i>Affected areas</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Districts</i>
RMS ABS 345- ABS Solar/Farm RMU: from Mrs. May Cook residence at Aiwo to whole of Buada.	10am - 2pm (4hrs)	All of Aiwo and Buada

Power supply will resume when works have been completed.

Thank you for your patience and anticipate your understanding.

For assistance, call 557 4038.

On Behalf of the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade (DFAT)

Job Vacancy: Nauru Ocean Resources Inc. (NORI) Country Manager. Closes 26May2020 (for full details, see attached).

NORI invites applications to the role (part-time) of Country Manager in Nauru. The Country Manager will be responsible for assisting NORI achieve and maintain its social and regulatory licenses to operate.

The role will assist NORI in advocating for the development and approval of a commercially viable international regulatory framework. The role will also be responsible for developing positive and productive relationships with key stakeholders, including the Government of Nauru, regional governing bodies, the International Seabed Authority, local communities, and NGOs with an interest in NORI activities. This role will be the company's representative in Nauru and the "face" of the company. The position will be integral to ensuring there is a positive perception of NORI and the industry.

The role is based in Nauru but will require regular international travel. The position will manage NORI's in-country engagement, participate in NORI's international communications, as well as provide strategic advice on existing and emerging issues of interest to NORI.

The successful candidate will be a passionate, highly motivated, experienced professional with established connections in Nauru and the ability to liaise with the Government of Nauru and other key international stakeholders.

This role offers an opportunity to join a growing company in an exciting new industry.

Primary objectives of role:

- NORI's representative in Nauru and the Pacific region
- Identify issues, challenges and opportunities within Nauru and provide strategic advice to advance NORI's objectives
- Establish and strengthen relationships and partnerships with key stakeholders within Nauru and the Pacific, as well as internationally
- Establish and manage NORI's social and community initiatives in Nauru

Qualifications:

- Candidates must reside in Nauru
- Relevant qualification or experience working in Government Relations, Community Engagement or a technical qualification relevant to NORI's project
- At least 5 years' experience working with or within key stakeholder organisations
- Holds or be eligible to hold a passport

Knowledge and experience:

- Experience working in Nauru
- Expert knowledge of Nauru and the stakeholders within the country that will influence NORI's project
- Experience working with or within government
- Established relationships with key stakeholders in Nauru and a demonstrated track record of working collaboratively to deliver value
- Knowledge of or experience within the resource sector is an asset

Salary range: AU\$30,000 to AU\$50,000 dependent on qualifications and experience

How to apply:

Interested applicants should submit their CV and two references to Corey McLachlan at: corey@deep.green with the Subject: NORI Country Manger

In addition to Corey McLachlan, interested applicants can contact Christiana Detenamo at: chana.denitage@gmail.com for additional information.

Applications close 26 May 2020.

On Behalf of the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade (DFAT)

Job Vacancy: The Pacific Community (SPC) Seed Systems Specialist, Suva, Fiji. Closes 27May2020 (for full details, see attached).

The Pacific Community (SPC) invites applications for the position of Seed Systems Specialist located at its regional office in Suva, Fiji.

The role – Seed Systems Specialist is responsible for the provision of strategic and technical support for the development, implementation and operationalisation of an effective seed systems program, and will lead the management of the Pacific Seed for Life programme (PS4L). This role will establish a strong functional link with the Centre for Pacific Crops and Trees (CePaCT) to ensure conservation and use of crop genetic resources are intrinsically connected. The Specialist will also be operationalising SPC's strategy to enhance the Pacific Community's adaptation

to climate change and reduce the impact of the burden of non-communicable diseases by increasing of choice in healthy food systems to the Pacific region.

The key responsibilities of the role include:

- Strategic and policy advice
- Scientific and technical advice
- Coordination and partnership support
- Finance and reporting

Key selection criteria:

Qualifications

- Post-graduate degree in a relevant field such as agriculture, economics, development studies, climate change or forestry

Knowledge and experience

- At least 10 years of experience managing donor funded programme/projects related to agriculture development in developing countries
- Knowledge and experience on seed systems and seed development work

Essential skills

- Budget management skills
- Ability to build and maintain professional, client-focused relationships and mutually beneficial partnerships
- Negotiation skills
- Creative thinker with ability to take initiative

Language skills

- Excellent English communication skills (oral and written)

Interpersonal skills and cultural awareness

- Strong interpersonal skills
- Ability to coordinate efficiently with multiple partners and staff in a multicultural, inclusive and equitable environment

Salary, terms and conditions:

Approximate Start Date – August 2020

Contract Duration – Three years

Remuneration – The Seed Systems Specialist is a Band 11 position in SPC's 2020 salary scale, with a starting salary range of 3,015–3,769 SDR (special drawing rights) per month, which currently onverts to approximately FJD 8,986–11,233 (USD 4,161–5,202; EUR 3,709–4,636). An offer of appointment for an initial contract will normally be made in the lower half of this range, with due consideration given to experience and qualifications. Progression within the salary scale will be based on annual performance reviews. Remuneration of expatriate SPC staff members is not subject to income tax in Fiji; Fiji nationals employed by SPC in Fiji will be subject to income tax.

Benefits for international employees based in Fiji – SPC provides a housing allowance of FJD 1,353–3,025 per month. Establishment and relocation grant, removal expenses, airfares, home leave, medical and life insurance and education allowances are available for eligible employees and their recognised dependents. Employees are entitled to 25 days of annual leave and 30 days of sick leave per annum, and access to SPC's Provident Fund (contributing 8% of salary, to which SPC adds a matching contribution).

SPC's working languages are English and French. SPC is an equal opportunity employer and is committed to child protection. Successful candidates will be required to provide a police clearance certificate.

Application procedure:

Closing Date – 27 May 2020 – 11:45pm Fiji time. Applicants must apply online at <http://careers.spc.int/> Hard copies of applications will not be accepted. For your application to be considered, you must provide us with:

- an updated resume
- contact details for three professional referees
- a cover letter detailing your skills, experience and interest in this position
- responses to all screening questions

Please ensure your documents are in Microsoft Word or Adobe PDF format. Applicants should not attach copies of qualifications or letters of reference. These documents may be requested at a later stage.

For international staff in Fiji, only one foreign national per family can be employed with an entity operating in Fiji at any one given time. The Pacific Community does not support dual spouse employment.

Please ensure that you respond to all the screening questions. If you do not respond to the screening questions, your application will be considered incomplete and will not be reviewed at shortlisting stage.

Screening Questions:

1. The potential benefits of robust seed systems are enormous. In the Pacific region however, farmers have not yet been able to benefit from its advantages due to a combination of internal and external factors. Please provide a few examples of these internal and external factors, and describe what strategies are needed to develop and operationalise robust seed systems in Pacific Island countries? Who should be the key stakeholders and what should their roles be in strengthening seed systems?
2. A key component of robust seed systems is based on sustainable availability and access to diverse quality seeds. What are the key factors influencing sustainable availability and access to diverse quality seeds, and how can the Pacific region strengthen capacities at regional and national levels to ensure sustainable availability and access to diverse quality seeds?
3. Why is the “conservation” of seed critical to establishing and developing a seed system. What kind of conservation systems would you propose for grain seed and for clonal propagated crops?

Daily notices are circulated by the Nauru Government Information Office on behalf of departments and SOEs
GIO, Yaren District, Government Office, Republic of Nauru / Mobile +674 557 3009
Em: gio.nauru@gmail.com / naurugovinfo@gmail.com / www.naurugov.nr



Follow us on *The Government of the Republic of Nauru*