



In a fast-paced environment, the ability to constantly learn and adjust in an ambiguous world needs to be a fundamental principle of any organization. With over 50 years of development experience, the United Nations Development Programme is re-inventing itself to adapt to emerging challenges and opportunities, improve our business model and the way we work. In Sri Lanka, UNDP has been working as a key development partner since 1967, to achieve sustainable human development in economic, social and environmental fronts. To support national development, we are looking for individuals who are driven and passionate to join our dynamic team.

For this purpose, UNDP is seeking to recruit a dynamic and well accomplished “Communication & Engagement Analyst” to play a key role in the Sri Lankan Country Office.

Career Opportunities

Communication & Engagement Analyst (NOA)

Key Responsibilities

- Design, manage and implementation of the Country Office communications and publication strategies which are geared to influence the development agenda, promote public and media outreach and mobilize political and financial support for UNDP.
- Acts as the daily face of UNDP to the outside world through casting both a broad information net as well as targeted communication efforts, and also projects the work and identity of UNDP outward and the perspectives and needs of the client communities.
- Through keen awareness of communication actors and issues in Sri Lanka, positions and prepares UNDP colleagues for successful communication engagements with the press, government, formal presentations with institutional actors and in non-traditional settings as well.
- Create media and information campaigns in local and regional media that position UNDP, as well as UNDP’s partners, and ensure the role and voices of UNDP and its collaborating partners are widely seen and heard in the national development dialogue.
- Facilitate the contribution of Sri Lankan citizens and institutions in development innovations via Country Office and corporate UNDP innovation resources and access points.

Key Requirements

- Master’s degree in media relations, journalism, publishing or a related area.
Or
Bachelor’s degree in media relations, journalism, publishing or a related area or a related area with 2 years’ experience.
- Preferably with experience at the national or international level in public relations, communications or advocacy.
- Strong oral and written communication skills in English, along with Sinhala and/or Tamil.

To express an interest for this position please forward your CV along with contact details of two non-related referees **before the 27th of November 2017** to hrsadvisory@lk.pwc.com. Please mention the position applied for in the subject line of the email.

For additional clarification or concerns please contact:
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Note: UNDP staff will be placed on a one year service contracts with the possibility of extension.

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