



# Network Activities Group (NAG)

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Network Activities Group (NAG) is a national registered non-government organization in Myanmar. In fostering our vision “Emergence of a peaceful, prosperous and dignified society that values equity and diversity”, NAG focuses on the Governance Approach, intending to necessary changes of various stakeholders and existing practices towards good governance which is essential and core for the sustainable development and win-win solutions for all stakeholders. Accordingly, NAG has engaged stakeholders of all levels and different areas including local, regional and national government departments, trying to promote interaction, good relations, and eventually coordination and collaboration among them. Given that nature of facilitating and coordinating activities, and creating networks of development efforts with partners, and promoting governance among relevant stakeholders, NAG implements livelihood, natural resources management and rural development programs and projects in Central Dry Zone, Coastal and Delta, Hilly Region and South Eastern Part of Myanmar.

NAG is looking for strong, committed candidates for the following positions:

**Post Title** : **Agronomist** (1) Post  
**Duty Station** : **Magway & Min Bu and Thongwa & Kayan Based**  
**(50% time sharing for)**

Contract Type – One year with 3 months probation (possibility to extend/renew based on performance multiple years)

**Deadline for application** : **As soon as possible**

**Send application together with cover letter, CV, recent photos and references to [nag.hr.recruitment@gmail.com](mailto:nag.hr.recruitment@gmail.com) , or address – “Recruitment Unit, Network Activities Group (NAG) No.31(A-1), Mya Hnin Si Street, 27-Ward, Rose Park (3), North Dagon Township, Yangon. Phone: 01 8010233, 09 450694361~5.”**

### Major Duties and Responsibilities

Under the overall authority of Chief Executive Officer of the Network Activities Group, collaboration and guidance from the Program Manager, the direct supervision of the Project Manager, the incumbent will perform the following duties.

- Assist the Project Manager in analyzing smallholder farming systems in the Central Dry Zone (Magway & MinBu) and Yangon (Khayan & ThoneGwa), with a particular focus on mung bean and an improved mix of inputs and services that can increase the productivity and profitability of mung bean cultivation.
- Create and maintain a list of quality, required inputs for GAP for mung bean
- Plan on seasonal works with team members and implement the activities when as discussed in team meeting.
- Maintain a regular routine of field trips through the project locations to monitor progress, issues and solutions, reporting issues to the Project Manager as they arise.
- Facilitate in participatory meetings among farmer groups, private sector suppliers, buyers, service providers, DoA extension workers, DAR staffs and NGOs/INGOs



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- Provide the trainings which are the related modules of GAP on mung bean for the farmers
- Directly participate in the field-level establishment of demonstration plots, seed multiplication plots and isolated farms of mung bean set up throughout the project area, ensuring compliance with project protocols.
- Manage the data collection of crops and to ensure the data is valid, reliable, timely, precise and free from manipulation.
- Liaise with DoA local extension workers and farmer service providers, and assist in the delivery of training to the farmers
- Facilitate in all policy advocacy workshops and dialogue involvement with multi-stakeholders
- Identify market opportunities and constraints and together with mung bean value chain stakeholders
- Attend all project team and planning meetings as required.
- Any other duties as assigned by Project Manager

## **Qualification Requirements**

- University degree or Master degree in related field
- At least 3 years relevant working experience in INGOs/NGOs
- Well organized, able to manage high workloads efficiently
- Ability to effectively and clearly communicate both oral and correspondence in English and Myanmar
- Good analytical skills, resourcefulness, initiative, maturity of judgment and negotiating skills
- Proficiency in computers with competency in Microsoft Office
- The agronomist should be familiar with development challenges in the dry zone of Myanmar
- Extensive knowledge and experience in Agriculture technology, especially in mung bean GAP and seed production techniques
- Basic knowledge of agriculture extension and capacity building at community level
- Ability to conduct research and analysis, as well as to design and lead interventions. Strong analytical and managerial skills, coped with an innovative and creative mind-set
- Understanding of field implementation Activities at Community Level and ability to spend time with the community whenever needed

## **Note:**

Only short-listed candidates will be invited for interview. Telephone inquires will not be responded. We are not obliged to return all received application.

**(Please do not send original documents as they will not be returned)**