

## **Country Director to Qandil's central management Office in Erbil, Northern Iraq**

**Qandil is a Swedish non-governmental organisation, providing aid in northern Iraq since 1992 through development and rehabilitation programmes including humanitarian assistance. We are working with water supply systems, constructions and primary healthcare services in urban and rural areas and have approx. 130 employees (technical experts – civil engineers and health professionals) with headquarter in Sweden and the central management office in Erbil and in addition two field offices. Social sector development and gender issues will become an important part of our projects. The annual budget is approx. 9 million USD.**

Are you interested to work in an international environment with challenging tasks? If so, Qandil may be the employer for you.

We are seeking an experienced country director within management/leadership skills to our central management office in Erbil. You will be responsible for the field organisation in Iraq. The duties will include marketing of our services to existing donors as well as to new donors.

Our main donors are Sida, Danida, UNHCR and IOM.

### **EMPLOYMENT**

As country director you will be responsible for the field organisation in northern Iraq, support experts and project leaders engaged in various projects, networking and coordinate with other international donors and local authorities. You will be working together in a team in large- and small scale projects.

### **YOUR PROFILE**

University degree in public administration, management and civil engineering or with a relevant combination of professional and academic qualifications. Proven experience as country director/managing director or project director, experience in development projects and/or programmes, financial management, used to team work, interested in social and gender issues. Understand complex emergencies and development cooperation within aid business. Knowledge of one of the Scandinavian languages would be an asset.

You are fluent in English language, both written and verbal; and experienced from international employment.

### **DURATION OF CONTRACT**

We offer two years contract starting from 1 December 2008 with possibility of extension.

### **SALARY AND BENEFITS**

Salary according to agreement. We offer free meals and housing of moderate standard.

### **CONTACT AND APPLICATION**

For further information please contact: Managing Director Margit Vaarala, +46-(0)18-14 57 39 or Chairman Marianne Andersson +46-(0)70-536 54 07.

Applicants shall submit their applications and CV in English by email to the following address: [margit.vaarala@qandil.org](mailto:margit.vaarala@qandil.org)

**Deadline for application: 28 July 2008**