(Only short-listed candidates will be contacted)

CLOSING DATE: 26 April 2024

at 17H00

MANAGER: ICT AND INNOVATIONS (D4)

Primary purpose of the position:

Reporting to the Executive: Cybersecurity & ICT, the Manager: ICT & Innovations will be responsible for technical and functional support to all users within the organisation by ensuring that the various ICT and Innovation operations run smoothly.

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Key Performance Areas:

Management and Implementation of ICT policies

- Participates in the formulation, coordination, and implementation of ICT policies;
- Assists to formulate Standard, Procedures and Guidelines for operating IT networks and systems;
- Monitors daily operations, including server hardware, software, and operating systems;
- Initiates, coordinates, and enforces systems, policies, and procedures;
- Directs information technological research by studying organisation goals, strategies, practices, and user projects;
- Oversees information technology installations, upgrades, and maintenance;
- Provides inputs on ICT recovery, development and BCM risk management assessment;
- Enables service delivery through implementing systems and processes to improve service delivery;
- Ensures testing, troubleshooting, and modifying information systems so that they operate effectively;
 Ensures compliance with internal and external information security requirements (i.e. Information Security Policy and Data Protection Bill;
- Enables document management for both technical and systems aspects to ensure access to relevant information as required by CRAN; and
- Oversees and liaises with relevant departments on the technical aspects and requirements for the web design and development.

Innovation

- Interprets the business strategy and determine innovative solutions to improve operational efficiency; and
 Assists in the design of innovative solutions to improve operational efficiency.
- Assists in the design of innovative solutions to improve operational efficiency and contribute to overall stakeholder satisfaction.

Budgeting

- Contributes to the annual IT budget and ensure cost-effectiveness; and
- Approves the purchasing of new and replacement hardware and software, in accordance with the division's budget.

Risk Management

- Responsible for the identification of potential risks within the area of responsibility, providing reports and recommendations; and
- Manages and mitigates risks as per approved recommendations and creates a risk consciousness within CRAN.

Staff Management

- Manages IT staff by recruiting and training employees, communicating job expectations, monitoring and appraising IT staff performance;
- Coaches and mentors team members as required; and
- Monitors activities of staff to ensure compliance with established procedures, policies and practices, with particular regard to integrity, security and confidentiality of the organisation.

Stakeholder Engagement

- Enters into stakeholder agreements with major stakeholders, within Authority mandate;
- Complies with responsibilities enacted in the stakeholder agreements;
- Ensures that all contracts, standards, and relevant criteria are adhered to when external service providers are involved.

Education, Experience and Skill Requirements:

- A Honours Degree in Information Technology or Computer Science or relevant equivalent qualification;
- A Systems Administration related Microsoft certification, or a networking certification, or an information security certification will be an added advantage;
- Five (5) years' experience within the ICT industry. Specifically in ICT infrastructure maintenance, software engineering, or ICT security;
- Two (2) years experience should have been at a supervisory level;
- Understanding ICT and Software Design;
- Problem-solving skills and critical thinking;
- Analytical and detail oriented; and
- Shortlisted candidates will be required to submit proof of Namibian Police clearance.

CRAN IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER. WOMEN AND PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES ARE ENCOURAGED TO APPLY.

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REMUNERATION PACKAGE:

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