

Call for applications for a job position

- **Position Title:** Trauma Registry Research assistant.
- **About Us:** The *Data Science Centre for the Study of Surgery, Injury and Equity in Africa (D-SINE Africa)* is an organization located at **University of Buea** responsible for the systematic collection of data on injuries through Trauma Registries in various hospitals across the country in collaboration with the Ministry of Public Health of Cameroon. D-SINE Africa is a multi-institutional organization involving multiple countries (Cameroon, USA, South Africa, and Uganda) and is funded by the *National Institutes of Health (NIH)* and the *Fogarty International Center (FIC)*. The ultimate mission of D-SINE Africa is to reduce the burden of injuries and bridge the gap of inequities to access to surgical services in African countries. Hiring of collaborators in our organization is guided by the principles of merit, equity, gender equality and protection of minorities.
- **Job Description:** This is a full-time position for a 1-year contract which is renewable during the 5-year period of the project depending on individual performance and availability of funds. The Trauma Registry Research Assistant will be charged with the implementation of trauma registry in selected health institutions. As such, under the leadership and the supervision of a Field Supervisor, he/she will be responsible for collecting health-related data from eligible patients in collaboration with other hospital workers and keying the data in an electronic data platform. Working hours will be 08:00am-04:00pm, Monday to Friday, and he/she will be given a 1-hour lunch break every working day.
- **Applicant Requirements:** All applicants MUST fulfil the following conditions:
 - Be holders of at least a Bachelor Degree or any equivalent in the following health-related disciplines: Nursing, Midwifery, Medical Laboratory Sciences, Biomedical Sciences, Public Health and Hygiene.
 - A working experience in a hospital, especially in the emergency department or surgical ward would be an advantage.
 - Be computer literate and proficient in using basic data entry software.
 - Speaking both English and French fluently would be an advantage.
 - Be highly motivated.

- Be available to work in any of the following locations: Yaounde, Maroua, Bafoussam, Bafia, Kribi, Bertoua. The applicant will be expected to indicate his preferred location on the cover letter.
- Be available to start work immediately.
- **How to Apply:** The application package includes the following documents:
 - A cover letter
 - A photocopy of the highest university degree
 - A CV

Interested candidates should submit these documents as a **single pdf file by email ONLY** at the following address: researchoffice.ub@ubuea.cm on or before **November 22nd 2021 at 02:00 pm**. Any email application received after this deadline will not be considered.

D-SINE Africa Director

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