

Internship on Social Business Development in Cambodia

Company:

WECONNEX AG

Context:

Together with our local project partner Watermech Technologies, WECONNEX is currently developing two drinking water supply concepts in the area of Phnom Penh, Cambodia. One project shall be more of a social nature in the sense of the NEXUS Concept which was developed by WECONNEX. A second project is focussing on piped water supply to a whole district, eventually additional services shall be added to the operation. Now we are looking for YOU to support our operation in Cambodia.

Tasks for the internship:

The position is supporting Watermech and WECONNEX in analyzing the current market situation, providing information on the feasibility of the projects. This task involves a lot of discussions with various stakeholders, finding new project partners, developing technical solutions and coming up with suggestions to plan the project. Field visits as well as online research are involved in the process. At the end of the internship, a full businessplan for either project including a feasibility analysis shall be presented.

Combination with academic research papers:

We do see possibilities to combine this practical work with writing an academic paper for a bachelor or maybe even a master degree thesis.

Supervision:

Lars Willi, CEO WECONNEX

Andrew Cheah, Managing Partner of Watermech Technologies

Requirements:

- Strong interest in social business and foreign cultures
- Education or experience in international management
- Capacity to write a professional business plan
- Experience in Project Management
- Independent, target oriented and efficient working style
- Good portion of patience and readiness to adopt to local conditions
- Interest for innovative technical solutions would be a benefit
- Strong skills in English are required

Dates:

Duration of the internship is planned for 6 months. Ideally, September 2016 to February 2017, shorter periods might be possible as well.

Salary:

WECONNEX and Watermech Technologies. would cover all expenses and travel costs. On top we offer an Internship Salary of approx. 1'200'000 KHR (300 CHF) per month which equals the average salary in Cambodia.

Location:

Phnom Penh, Cambodia

Application process:

Send the letter of motivation, CV and references to:

<mailto:info@weconnex.org>