

Role Description

Resource Mobilisation Coordinator

About our Organisation

The Women's Fund Fiji is an empathetic and adaptive feminist fund working to influence and mobilise financial and non-financial resources for feminist and women's rights organisations and movements, so they can progress the human rights of women, girls, and gender non-conforming people in Fiji.

We are relevant, effective and demonstrate value for money, adaptive and flexible, proud of our high-capacity team, effective in our dual approach to funding, capacity development and movement building, and reaching rural and remote communities.

We will address the problem of the unequal flow of financial and non-financial resources from donors, funders, power holders and decision makers to feminist and women's organisations and movements in Fiji.

Objective

The Resource Mobilisation Coordinator supports the development and implementation of the Fund's resource mobilisation plans. The role works closely with the Fund team to initiate, support the development and maintenance of lasting funding relationships and leads the Fund's fundraising efforts. The role reports to the Executive Director.

Outcomes

Organisational Stakeholders

- 1. Institutional Robust Resource Mobilisation
 - Comprehensive support provided to the Executive Director in the development, implementation and monitoring of the Funds resource mobilisation strategy, policies and annual work plans
 - New Opportunities identified and the number and nature of relationships with institutional donors expanded
 - Monitor developments in the philanthropic sector and opportunities identified under the direction of the Executive Director.
 - Interest and awareness fostered in the international institutional donor and philanthropic communities on the strategic importance of funding and supporting women's and girls' rights
 - o Initiate meeting with potential donors and partners in alignment with the Fund's Strategic focus areas
 - Interface for the provision of the strategic guidance to complement the funds resource mobilisation strategy should include:
 - Collaboration with Senior Program Manager, Communications Officer, Finance & Operations Manager and MEAL coordinator including other person(s) as needed.
 - Cultivate, maintain and nurture relationships with individual / institutional donors and solicit support as needed
 - Maintain a level of engagement with the Fund's bilateral donors and different partners



Outcomes

2. Effective Resource Mobilisation Ensured

Ensure grant funding proposals are prepared and submitted to individuals and institutional donors including but not limited to:

- Potential funding opportunities identified and calls for proposals analysed
- Writing/editing, and/or approving letters of intent, concept notes, and grant proposals for review, including assembling all required documentation in consultation with the MEAL, Finance and Program Teams
- Establishing fundraising benchmarks and indicators to measure and track resource mobilization efforts at national level making corrective actions as needed to ensure progress toward fundraising targets and secure sustainable resource streams

Ensure that proposals are managed in coordination with Fund team members and external stakeholders

Proposal documents are complete, in line with member/partner funding interests

Cohesive leadership provided

- Support provided to strategic planning efforts
- o Close consultation with external stakeholders maintained and strengthened
- Partners engaged in development of new funding initiatives where necessary
- Compliance with all relevant legislative, regional frameworks and policies are fully inclusive support the needs of people with disabilities not limited to the principles of good governance

3. External Visibility and Representation Ensured

- Information and insight about the Fund's work and trends in women's rights activism and support for women's rights provided to both internal and external constituencies including feminist movements through sharing information, attending meetings and events, and contributing to activities and publications.
- Positive relationships with institutional donors, partner organisations, policymakers, media and others established and strengthened
- The Fund is represented at national and international events
- Speak in public settings to sustain and build organisational visibility and influence
 - o Advocacy support provided

4. Timely and Accurate Reporting Ensured

- Timely provision of relevant and accurate programme and activity related information/reports provided to Partners and WFF in alignment with the Fund's Resource Mobilisation Strategy
- Strategic feedback to the WFF Management on funding proposals, activities and programs including analysis of funding portfolios provided
- Effective contribution to the development of the Fund's key reports such as the Six-monthly and Annual Progress reports
- Timely and accurate submissions of quantitative/qualitative data ensured for executive decisionmaking

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Outcomes

- o All program data collected and collated from trustworthy sources
- Contribute to developing the Fund's communication and knowledge products

5. Teamwork and cooperation

- Team work ensured working with various and diverse groups of people
- Cooperation across WFF functions / departments
- Collaboratively work to achieve the set targets and goals

6. WFF's reputation and value standards demonstrated and promoted

- Teamwork encouraged and promoted for the benefit of WFF
- Encourage team members to uphold reputation and value standards

Responsibilities - Critical Competencies

Competence	Description
Business	
Strategic Development	Translate the strategic direction into action-oriented strategies and plans.
Business Performance	Manage performance levels against set deliverables.

Planning Develop a detailed work plan to achieve specified objectives.

Resource Management Schedule resources over multiple work teams or units to maximise their

effectiveness and achieve objectives; monitor the outcomes.

Information Analysis Evaluate options and make decisions / recommendations based on information

Implement and manage a risk assessment program.

provided.

Documentation Develop submissions and / or business plan documentation from options.

Communication Communicate by conveying key issues and points through structured questioning

and listening.

Stakeholder

Risk Management

Promotion Promote products/services by demonstrating the benefits of these to the

stakeholder

Commercial Focus Analyse the cost aspects of a work area / project and determine its commercial

viability

Relationship Building Formalise business relationships through partnerships or agreements of mutual

benefit e.g., service provision.

People

Problem Solving Address the wider implications, consequences or causal relationships in a non-

routine problem



Competence Description

Negotiation Maintain a balanced approach demonstrating both empathy and focusing on facts,

problems and solutions

Innovation Create initiatives that impact on job efficiency and objectives across different work

units/organisation

Professional

Technical Strength Develop the technical solution for a situation using fundamental principles and

theory - technical adviser.

Financial Application Conduct specified analysis of financial data highlighting issues and opportunities

Qualifications

Qualification Discipline Notes

Preferred

Degree Marketing, research and communication

Desirable

Higher Degree incl. Post

Grad Cert or Dip

Gender, Development Studies

Work Knowledge and Experience

A minimum of five years of relevant work experience, preferably in institutional fundraising in Fiji and the Pacific

Extensive practical experience in developing, delivering marketing and mobilizing resources approaches to a range of stakeholders and funders

Demonstrated communication skills and experience conveying complex information to stakeholders of varying levels of experience or ability

Has excellent English language skills (written and spoken). Being multilingual in languages spoken across the Pacific would be an added advantage.

Familiarity with developments and trends of professional fundraising and grant acquisition with the ability to translate and implement these into actionable plans

Demonstrated networks within civil society and private sector within Fiji

Sound understanding of gender and development issues in Fiji and the Pacific, desirable

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Work Knowledge and Experience

Requirements

Language Proficiency
Excellent command of written and spoken English

Regulatory Compliance Requirements Police Clearance

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Interactions

Interaction Comments

Internal

All Staff

Executive Director

Finance and Operations Manager

Senior Program Manager

Monitoring, Accountability and Learning Coordinator

External

Partners/Grantees

Donors

Civil Society Organisations

Relevant Government Authorities

Relevant Stakeholders

Community

Attributes

Behavioural Styles

Detail oriented Attends to the small elements of a task/activity, ensuring completeness and

accuracy.

Innovative Devises new and creative ways to do things comes up with original ideas.

Integrity Adherence to moral and ethical principles; soundness of moral character; honesty.

Achiever Puts in effort to achieve a desired result or goal and is motivated by this end and

the overall accomplishment.

Energetic Constantly active and driven to put in effort. Works hard to promote an

enterprise.

Resilient Cope positively with stress and catastrophe. Bounces back from setbacks,

mistakes or misfortunes.

Interpersonal Styles

Forthright Speaks out frankly without hesitation, showing a direct manner.

Perceptive Shows keen insight and understanding of issues or situations.

Self-sufficient and assured Readily copes with situations without recourse/need of others, showing

confidence and belief in oneself and one's own abilities.

Thinking Styles

Analytic Able to separate things into their constituent elements in order to study or

examine them, draw conclusions, or solve problems.

Holistic thinker Considers issues/situations as a whole rather than analysing or dissecting the

parts.

Numerate Shows abilities in quantitative thought and expression.

Disciplined/Systematic Is controlled in conduct, shows an orderly pattern of behaviour, following a

methodical and thorough approach.