

### PERSONAL INFORMATION

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#### JOB APPLIED FOR

#### WORK EXPERIENCE

#### 01/10/2016-Present

### Senior Programme Officer

European Institute for Crime Prevention and Control, affiliated with the UN, Helsinki (Finland)

Legal expertise especially in the fields of victim support and legal aid, police integrity, knowledge of EU law

Development policy and technical assistance. Project development, monitoring and evaluation. Communication strategy and communication with stakeholders. United Nations relations.

#### 01/02/2016-01/09/2016

# Legal Advisor

Ministry of Defence, Helsinki (fi)

Drafting of legislation, legal advice for the Ministry.

### 01/11/2013-18/05/2015

## **Programme Officer**

United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime, Yangon (Myanmar/Burma)

Development of the UNODC Country Programme for Myanmar including negotiations with the Government. Coordination of the Criminal Justice projects in Myanmar including legal aid and police training. Compilation of assessments on the Criminal Justice system in Myanmar. Communication and liaison with Government counterparts, Diplomatic missions and UN agencies.

### 01/04/2011-30/03/2013

# **Programme Officer**

Ministry for Foreign Affairs, Unit for Development Cooperation, Helsinki (Finland)

Management of a NGO project funding portfolio of approx. 7 million Euros. Responsible for core funding of Finnish organizations with UN background, namely The Finnish National Committee for UNICEF, The National Committee for UN Women in Finland and Finnish Refugee Council. Management of internal development processes of the unit, such as guidelines, application procedures and E-service. Press Officer of the Unit.

### 01/01/2007-30/04/2011

## **Project coordinator**

Several, Helsinki (Finland)

Several project assignments with NGO's to design and manage projects related to development aid, PR and awareness raising campaigns, development of evaluation and social impact assessment tools as well as legal advice.

### 01/04/2005-03/01/2007

## Assistant to MP

Parliament of Finland, Helsinki (Finland)

I assisted the MP in legislative work. Searching for information, writing memos, preparing speeches and networking with reference groups. Drafting of motions and other legislative documents.



#### **EDUCATION AND TRAINING**

#### 01/09/2001-01/02/2008

### Master of Laws

University of Helsinki, Helsinki (Finland)

#### PERSONAL SKILLS

## Mother tongue(s)

Finnish

## Other language(s)

| English |
|---------|
| French  |
| Spanish |
| Swedish |

| UNDERSTANDING |         | SPEAKING           |                   | WRITING |
|---------------|---------|--------------------|-------------------|---------|
| Listening     | Reading | Spoken interaction | Spoken production |         |
| C2            | C2      | C2                 | C2                | C2      |
| B1            | B1      | B1                 | B1                | B1      |
| A2            | A2      | A2                 | A2                | A2      |
| B2            | B2      | B1                 | B1                | B1      |

Levels: A1 and A2: Basic user - B1 and B2: Independent user - C1 and C2: Proficient user

Common European Framework of Reference for Languages

### Communication skills

I have excellent verbal communication skills gained through my positions in government and UN, where my responsibilities included communicating and networking with multitude of stakeholders. I can easily adapt style and messages to different audiences and I continuously work to enhance my communication skills.

I have written numerous professional reports on variety of subjects as well as tools and guidelines. I have also experience in writing press notes and briefings.

# Organisational / managerial skills

I have managed several teams responsible for research and development of tools and guidelines. I have run independently several multi-stakeholder projects and organized several large event or conferences. I was the operational head of the UNODC Country Office (team of 100) for 8 months in 2015.

## Job-related skills

I mentor a social impact company in their international relations.

### Digital competence

| SELF-ASSESSMENT        |                 |                  |                 |                 |  |  |
|------------------------|-----------------|------------------|-----------------|-----------------|--|--|
| Information processing | Communication   | Content creation | Safety          | Problem solving |  |  |
| Proficient user        | Proficient user | Proficient user  | Proficient user | Proficient user |  |  |

<u>Digital competences - Self-assessment grid</u>

Use of different publication platforms. I have also managed a project on development of a data system and e-service.