

Multiple roles: South Sudan Cooperation Facility (Technical Assistance, Monitoring and Evaluation)

About the project

This contract will provide a range of services to the European Union (EU) Delegation to South Sudan over a 36-month period from January 2026 to December 2028. Services will fall under four main categories:

- Component 1: Provision of on-demand technical assistance to the EU for shaping its development cooperation with South Sudan.
- Component 2: Provision of operational third-party monitoring of EU-funded cooperation projects in South Sudan.
- Component 3: Provision of thematic evaluations of EU-funded cooperation projects in South Sudan.
- Component 4: Implementation of the EU's campaign strategy and specialised communication on EU policy priorities for South Sudan.

About the roles

We are seeking to recruit experts for the following two roles:

Key Expert 1: Team Leader and Key Expert – Component 1

The Key Expert (KE) will be responsible in-country for overall project management and implementation; overseeing the work of the other KEs and Non-key Experts (NKEs), as well as the project support staff; and maintaining close contact with the EU Delegation. He/she will develop strong working ties with national counterparts and Development Partners. The Team Leader (TL) will also have the overall responsibility for the formulation and implementation of activities related to component 1, contributing strongly to the development of the Overall Work Plan (OWP) and Annual Work Plans (AWP) for this component. The expert will identify needs and demands in this area, prepare specific Terms of Reference (ToR), and manage NKEs under component 1.

- Minimum 300 working days
- Place of performance: Juba, South Sudan (home-based: this is limited to a maximum of 30% of working days)
- 1st January 2026-31st December 2028

Qualifications and skills

- Advanced University Degree (PHD/Master's) in a discipline relevant to the scope of this assignment, such as evaluation, public administration, engineering, sciences, economics, development economics, international relations, law or other relevant subjects.
- Excellent communication skills in English, being able to communicate effectively and diplomatically with a wide range of contacts, including public speaking skills.

- Good analytical skills, and capacity to produce clear and concise reports in English, as well as key documents such as specific ToR in the areas of activity of this project.
- Strong project management, planning and coordination skills, with the ability to deliver a complex project effectively and under tight deadlines.
- Good people management skills; able to lead and motivate a multi-cultural team to deliver the required results.
- Relevant IT skills (Microsoft Office Applications).

General professional experience

- Minimum 12 years of relevant professional experience in monitoring and evaluation of development cooperation.
- Minimum 10 years' experience in developing countries.

Specific professional experience

- Minimum 12 years' working experience in the provision of technical assistance.
- Minimum 6 years working experience as TL of complex projects with multiple stakeholders, preferably in fields such as technical assistance, evaluation, monitoring, capacity development, institutional strengthening and development planning.
- Professional experience of at least two of the following types is required; experience of three or more will be taken into account positively:
 - Project management under EU procedures.
 - Demand-driven facilities and projects requiring management of a pool of experts.
 - Preparation of ToR across a range of technical areas relevant to these ToR.
 - Project management experience in one of the sectors of activity covered by this project.
- Experience in the Sub-Saharan region, transition economies, and fragile and post-conflict states.

Key Expert 2: Senior Monitoring and Evaluation Expert – Components 1 and 2

The expert will have overall responsibility for the formulation and implementation of activities related to components 2 and 3, contributing strongly to the development of the OWP and AWP for these components. The expert will identify needs and demands in this area, prepare specific ToR, and prepare the methodology for operational third-party monitoring and the methodology for thematic evaluations, as well as manage NKEs under components 2 and 3.

- Minimum 300 working days
- Place of performance: Juba, South Sudan (home-based: this is limited to a maximum of 30% of working days)
- 1st January 2026-31st December 2028

Qualifications and skills

- Advanced University Degree (PHD/Master's) in Evaluation, Sociology, Psychology, Economics, Public Administration, Law, International Relations, Political Sciences or other relevant subjects.
- An Advanced University Degree in Evaluation is a strong asset.
- Excellent verbal and written communication skills in English.
- Good analytical skills and capacity to produce clear and concise written documents in English.
- Strong project management, planning and coordination skills, with the ability to deliver a complex project effectively and under tight deadlines.
- Good people management skills; able to lead and motivate a multi-cultural team to deliver the required results.
- Proficiency in Microsoft Office computer programmes.

General professional experience

- Minimum 12 years of professional experience.
- Minimum 6 years' relevant experience within the Sub-Saharan region, transition economies or fragile and post-conflict states.

Specific professional experience

- A minimum of 8 years' specific working experience of monitoring and evaluation of development cooperation.
- Experience of working on monitoring and evaluation with the EU or international organisations, or public institutions.

How to apply

Please send an up-to-date CV, preferably in EU format, to maria_stefanova@landell-mills.com as soon as possible, including your desired daily fee rate in EUR and relevant work examples, if applicable. We are considering applications on a rolling basis, so we would advise early CV submission. Please send any queries regarding this role to the same email address.