



The United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus invites applications for the post of

-Telecommunications Assistant (GL5)-

Under the overall supervision of the Chief Geospatial Information & Telecommunication Technology Section, the incumbent is responsible for:

Hardware troubleshooting

Assist with the implementation and the expansion of the network structure.

Install, test, and maintain major Telecommunications equipment, vehicle installed communications equipment.

Assist with the innovation and upgrade of hardware, with minimal disruption to the users, focusing always on continuous improvement.

Review and test new equipment to be purchased by the Mission, before their installation or implementation in the mission network.

Hardware repair Ability to identify and resolve problems with precision. Strong understanding of various electronic circuits and applications and understanding of the computer maintenance of electronic equipment.

Set up and distribution of equipment Set up, test and install all categories of equipment as required by the users.

Upgrade the Telecom Network Set up various telecommunications equipment, with a strong understanding of software and firmware required, where applicable. Understanding of the network structure. Other duties as and when required.

Skills & Qualifications

Completion of High School Diploma or equivalent Technical School.

Minimum five (5) years of experience in the electronics field, with experience in software/hardware installation and upgrade.

Telecom rigging and working at height experience is required.

Fluency in English (written and spoken) is required.

Knowledge of local languages (Greek and/or Turkish) is an advantage

Valid Driver's license is required.

Competencies

Professionalism: Good technical skills, ability to participate in development and maintenance of applications, provide user support. Ability to respond to changing requirements and assignments, ability to apply good judgment in the context of assignments given. Shows pride in work and in achievements; demonstrates professional competence and mastery of subject matter; is conscientious and efficient in meeting commitments, observing deadlines and achieving results; is motivated by professional rather than personal concerns; shows persistence when faced with difficult problems or challenges; remains calm in stressful situations. Commitment to implementing the goal of gender equality by ensuring the equal participation and full involvement of women and men in all aspects of work.

Teamwork: Works collaboratively with colleagues to achieve organizational goals; solicits input by genuinely valuing others' ideas and expertise; is willing to learn from others; places team agenda before personal agenda; supports and acts in accordance with final group decision, even when such decisions may not entirely reflect own position; shares credit for team accomplishments and accepts joint responsibility for team shortcomings.

Planning & Organizing: Develops clear goals that are consistent with agreed strategies; identifies priority activities and assignments; adjusts priorities as required; allocates appropriate amount of time and resources for completing work; foresees risks and allows for contingencies when planning; monitors and adjusts plans and actions as necessary; uses time efficiently.

Technological Awareness: Keeps abreast of available technology; understands applicability and limitation of technology to the work of the office; actively seeks to apply technology to appropriate tasks; shows willingness to learn new technology.

Interested and qualified candidates are encouraged to apply by specifying vacancy announcement # 4/2017.

Candidates must complete the United Nations Personnel History Form (P11) and a Cover Letter. All documents must be submitted in English. The P.11 form can be downloaded from the UNFICYP website: www.unficyp.org under Employment. Submit applications to:

Human Resources Management Section

Email: unficyp-national-applications@un.org

Deadline for receipt of applications is 8 April 2017

Preference will be given to equally qualified women candidates.

Only shortlisted candidates shall be contacted by the UNFICYP Human Resources Management Section

Please visit UNFICYP website for full details of the post.

