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**VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT**  
**IQBE Technical Coordinator (National)**  
**FSM Department of Education**

**The Position:** The Technical Coordinator will work under the guidance of the National Project Manager to ensure that project activities implemented by project institutions, relevant SDOE units, and international consultants are well coordinated and closely monitored to ensure that the deadlines, targets, outputs, and outcomes are met. S/he will prepare a summary report on the progress of project activities in technical areas which will be incorporated in the project quarterly progress report for submission to ADB. In particular the TC will perform the following duties and tasks:

**Key responsibilities include:**

- (i) Prepare annual work plan in cooperation with the project institutions, the technical committee, and relevant SDOE units for review and endorsement by State Project Director before it is submitted to the National Project Manager and National Project Director prior to PSC review and approval;
- (ii) Coordinate and facilitate the works of the project institutions, the technical committee, and relevant DOE units to ensure free flow of information and sharing of progress of project activities and experiences, as well as issues that need to be addressed in a timely manner. For this the TC will convene a quarterly meeting among the project institutions, the technical committee, and relevant units of the SDOE. Subsequently, the TC will prepare a report which will form a part of NDOE quarterly progress report to ADB;
- (iii) Monitor and assess the progress of technical works under each project output against the targets of the annual work plan on a monthly basis and identify issues that need to be addressed including recommendations to resolve the issues for consideration by the Project Manager and State Project Director;
- (iv) Act as a focal point for international consultants in order to coordinate and facilitate their activities with the project institutions, the technical committee, relevant SDOE units, and the schools covered under the project; he/she will hold regular meetings with the consultants to review progress of their work, their contributions towards the achievements of their TOR and targets; and provide guidance and support as necessary.
- (v) Collect data information and statistics on project institutions, schools covered by the project, and beneficiaries of project activities to establish baseline data for the project and for N/SDOE and use the baseline data to compare the achievements outputs, outcomes, and impact of the project against the targets in the DMF;
- (vi) Lead the Technical Committee and the project staff at the project institutions, relevant SDOE units, with the support of international consultants, to conduct a mid- term review (summative evaluation) and final evaluation (summative evaluation) of the project and prepare a mid-term report and Project Completion Report for submission to ADB at mid-term and at the end of the project.
- (vii) Perform any other related functions, duties, and tasks as may be assigned or requested by the Secretary of Education, National Project Director, Teacher Development Policy Specialist cum Project Management Specialist, and State Project Directors.

***Qualifications:***

Minimum of an Undergraduate (Bachelors) degree or higher required in education or relevant field. At least 8 years of working experience in education and education technical coordination amongst education service providers.

***Location and Term of Assignment:***

The Technical Coordinator will be based at Pohnpei Department of Education for the duration of the assignment. This is a full-time assignment with a duration of 21 months, from May 2022 to January 2024.

***Benefits:*** The annual salary is \$24,000.08 depending upon qualification and experience of the applicant.

***To apply:*** Register on the ADB Consultant Management System at [www.cms.adb.org](http://www.cms.adb.org) first then submit a Curriculum Vitae and Expression of Interest. Deadline to submit CV and EOI through ADB CMS until filled.

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