

Call for Applications: Climate Policy Analyst to Support the Global Climate Club Initiative

The Multinational Development Policy Dialogue (MDPD) is a programme of Konrad-Adenauer Stiftung (KAS) in Brussels, dedicated to implementing and facilitating multi-stakeholder dialogue on sustainable development with a focus on the nexus of democracy and governance, peace and security, climate and energy. By actively participating in consultations on policy coherence in development cooperation, the external dimension of European democracy promotion, as well as on the future of budget support and funding instruments, we advocate for more democratic and pluralistic societies.

Another MDPD working areas are the facilitation and coordination of various dialogue series, the commissioning of scientific studies, project concepts, lists of recommendations, in collaboration with specialized partners and experts. In this context, MDPD is looking to hire a Climate Policy Analyst to support the new Global Climate Club initiative related activities.

Aims of the project:

Establishing an Inclusive Climate Club

The primary objectives of the Climate Club are to set up a harmonized regulatory and taxation framework to unleash market forces to accelerate deep decarbonization, a market-friendly framework to enable capital flow to the best decarbonization opportunities, also providing adequate support to deal with adaptation loss and damage.

Individual top researchers and research institutions are contributing to the project with their expertise, having regular working group meetings each 3 weeks.

Main responsibilities & tasks include:

- Support the elaboration and structuring of the White Paper, in close collaboration with the Research Working Group members
- Closely collaborate with the Indian project lead and KAS
- Define policies that would fit in a global Climate Club
- Review and analyze various country programs for achieving Net Zero
- Evaluate and compile various modeling studies that lay out decarbonization pathways
- Assess investments, costs and just transition requirements for global Climate Club participation
- Actively participate in global seminars and conferences

Qualifications:

- Highly analytical undergraduate degree (Engineering, Economics, Public Policy) from an internationally well recognized university
- Graduate degree in same subjects from an internationally well recognized university or 1-2 years of work experience in high-quality consulting firm or research program
- Demonstrated interest in climate policy and research



• Self-motivated with outstanding research and writing skills

Contract duration: 6 months, with a possible extension based on the project needs.

Application Procedure:

- Candidates should address their applications to Mr Denis Schrey, Director of the KAS Multinational Development Policy Dialogue Programme, and to Ms Karin Jancykova, Programme Manager for Climate Change and Energy, via karin.jancykova@kas.de
- Deadline: Monday, 21 February, at 12:00am CET.
- Applications should include:
 - o CV, including links to published articles and studies on relevant topics
 - o Cover letter (max. 1 page) and a reference letter