



## MWAMBAO COASTAL COMMUNITY NETWORK

### Linking for Sustainable Coastal Management

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## Job Vacancy:

### Marine Co-management Field Officer, Unguja

Mwambao Coastal Community Network (Mwambao) is an independent not for profit organisation registered in both mainland Tanzania and in Zanzibar.

Mwambao is seeking to employ a Marine Co-management Field Officer to lead the field-based implementation of a project that seeks to improve marine resource co-management in Unguja. This project is being delivered in partnership with Blue Ventures International. The Field Officer will work with Mwambao marine co-management field officer in Unguja under the supervision of the Mwambao Country Coordinator and the Executive Director.

The recruited Field Officer will be based in Unguja, and will spend a lot of time on site visits. The duration will be fifteen months with the opportunity to extend subject to project funding (there will be an initial 3-month probation period).

The successful candidate will be a motivated Tanzanian national with a Diploma or first Degree in natural resource management (Fisheries or Forestry) or community development with not less three years' experience of working with coastal communities in collaborative natural resources management in Tanzania (Unguja, Pemba or mainland). Key skills and experiences should include: computer knowledge, excellent community facilitation skills, understanding of threats to marine ecosystems, and be able to work as part of a team but confident to work independently.

#### Summary job responsibilities include:

Build the capacity of the target Fisher Committees (SFCs) to implement sustainable marine resources management measures in local fishing grounds.

Facilitate establishment replenishment areas including closures for octopus and other marine species.

Enable collaboration of the respective target Shehias within Unguja to determine and address biodiversity and seascape management issues.

Work in collaboration with other institutions and other relevant partners including department of fisheries, district authorities and others stakeholders.

Support project monitoring and evaluation of conservation and social outcomes.

Support the development of incentives including special designed VSL-like initiatives to enable compliance with marine resource management measures.

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Please send an application letter and your CV to Country Coordinator, Mwambao Coastal Community Network - Tanzania by email to the following address [alythani@mwambao.or.tz](mailto:alythani@mwambao.or.tz) no later 28 March 2019. Those shortlisted will be invited for interview to be held the second week of April 2019. **Mob: +255778206920/0716996416**

Job description Mwambao Marine Co-management Field Officer-Unguja