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Job Role:	**Advisor – Sustainable Energy Project Development**
Reports to:	**Component Manager**
Contract Duration:	**29.02.2028**
Location:	**Accra**

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Company Profile:

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Project Brief:

The project supports the Ghanaian energy transition through grid integration of renewables, promoting financial sustainability of the energy sector, and private sector participation.

Scope of Role:

The advisor implements private-sector sustainable energy interventions under the SE4C II project, focusing on promoting renewable energy and energy-efficiency investments, facilitating access to finance and strategic partnerships, and supporting market, policy and knowledge-development activities that accelerate the adoption of sustainable energy solutions by businesses in Ghana.

Tasks:

- Contributes to the achievement of the objectives and indicators of the Private Sector Component of the SE4C II project, with particular focus on establishing and operationalizing energy efficiency networks through business associations and increasing the uptake of sustainable energy services delivered by partner business associations and chambers.
- Lead sustainable energy project development and investment facilitation for private-sector enterprises by identifying viable renewable energy and energy-efficiency opportunities, supporting project preparation and business case development, and facilitating access to appropriate financing mechanisms and investment partners.
- Plan and coordinate outreach campaigns, business forums, road shows and matchmaking events to promote the uptake of sustainable energy services.
- Facilitate cooperation between energy service companies (ESCOs), renewable energy providers, financial institutions, regulators and public-sector stakeholders to advance project financing and innovative business models for sustainable energy investments.
- Contribute to policy dialogue and advocacy aimed at strengthening the enabling environment for private-sector investment in renewable energy and energy efficiency.
- Manage, supervise and coordinate the work of external consultants and service providers engaged in project implementation.
- Document and disseminate success stories, lessons learned and replicable good practices for project communication, knowledge management and learning.

Profile:

- Master's degree in a subject relevant to the project's objectives, e.g. business, finance, economics or law.
- Entrepreneurial mindset and capacity to take initiative and independently drive project development to completion
- A qualification and/or demonstrated experience in infrastructure or sustainable energy project development in the private sector is a necessity.
- Knowledge of and experience with renewable energy and energy efficiency technologies as well as with climate finance options are assets
- Minimum of 5 years of work experience in a similar position
- Strong command of English language (both written and oral) is required.
- Good working knowledge of modern IT systems, especially MS Outlook and MS Teams
- Good working knowledge in formal events planning with good management skills
- Proactive attitude towards personal growth and institutional changes

How to Apply:

Interested and suitable applicants are to forward their detailed Curriculum Vitae (CV) and a one-page cover letter to recruitment-ghana@giz.de under the **Job Code 2026/TA-SE4C II/20/11**. If you do not hear from us four (4) weeks after the deadline, please consider your application unsuccessful.

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Closing date: 07.12.2026