

PPP Technical Expert - JD

An experienced PPP Technical Expert is required to join the BOT Project Unit of an International Government Ministry in Mauritius on a 24-month fixed-term contract basis (full-time).

This is an exciting opportunity for a PPP Technical Expert looking to shape the trajectory of Mauritius' capital projects, while overseeing and orchestrating a total of 29 ongoing BOT/PPP Projects. Also, there is a potential for the role to expand into a fee-earning position, providing a range of PPP and transaction services to clients.

The successful candidate will be stationed full-time at the BOT Projects Unit, actively contributing their expertise to the intricate processes that drive each BOT/PPP Project toward successful fruition. The expert's contributions will play a pivotal role in elevating the standards of project execution within the realm of Build Operate Transfer and Public-Private Partnerships.

Candidate profile

You embody a unique blend of meticulous organization, unwavering dedication, and self-driven initiative, self-motivated and conscientious, and thrive under pressure, excelling in fast-paced environments with challenging deadlines. You will be able to demonstrate the following:

- Strong knowledge of the technical aspects of infrastructure and development projects
- Think creatively and explore innovative financing and delivery mechanisms that can contribute to the success of PPP projects.
- Ability to uphold the highest ethical standards, ensuring transparency, accountability, and fairness throughout project development and implementation.
- Possess strong problem-solving skills to address unforeseen issues and find effective solutions.
- Understand risk identification, assessment, and mitigation strategies.
- Proficiency in financial analysis, including understanding financial models, risk assessment, and funding structures.
- Proficiency in project management methodologies
- Focused on achieving tangible results that contribute to the successful delivery of infrastructure and development projects.
- Adapt to changes essential for the success of the projects.
- Enthusiastic and able to work in a fast-paced environment dealing with complex matters.
- A personable team player who is also able to work independently and on their own initiative.
- Effective relationship-building, exceptional communication skills, and can working collaboratively with various parties to achieve common goals is essential.
- Positive, solution-oriented, flexible approach to working.
- Proficient in MS Office applications – Outlook, Word, Excel, PowerPoint
- Outstanding interpersonal, verbal, and written communication skills

Key Responsibilities

- Assist in the identification of potential PPP/BOT Projects.
- Assist contracting authorities in structuring their PPP/BOT projects.
- Carry out pre-feasibility studies for potential PPP/BOT projects.
- Assist contracting authorities in the procurement phase of their PPP/BOT projects.
- Assist the Unit in formulating policies, including directives, procedures, and guidelines on BOT projects.
- Assist the Unit in the recruitment and management of PPP/BOT consultants.
- Advise PPP/BOT stakeholders including contracting authorities on technical matters regarding PPP/BOT projects.
- Assist the Unit and contracting authorities during the implementation and operational stages of PPP/BOT projects.
- Provide assistance in Bid Evaluation Committees.
- Perform any other tasks as may be assigned by the Officer in Charge of the BOT Projects Unit.

Experience & Qualifications Required

- Minimum qualification: a bachelor's degree in either Civil or Structural or Architecture.
- Registered with their respective Professional Body in Mauritius or in their country of residence.
- Minimum 8 years post-registration general experience in their respective field.
- The Technical Expert should have been actively involved in at least 2 BOT/PPP projects.

Job Type: Fixed-term contract, full-time

Contract length: 24 months

Deadline: August 31, 2023