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Permanent Secretaries, Heads of Department and Chief Executive Officers are asked to invite applications from suitably qualified officers in their Ministries/Departments/Agencies to fill the vacant post of Graphic Designer (MCG/AVP 3) in the Ministry of Industry, Investment and Commerce, salary range \$4,266,270 - 5,737,658 per annum.

Job Purpose

Under the direction of the Website and Social Media Manager, the Graphic Designer is responsible for creating digital and broadcast media for television, print, website and social media platforms; producing exceptional designs using various design software; contributing to the Ministry's multimedia projects, in support of the Ministry's Public Relations and Corporate Communications Programme.

Key Responsibilities

Technical/Professional:

- Conceptualizes and develops visually appealing and effective graphic designs for various print and digital media, including brochures, reports, social media, websites, logos and presentations;
- Collaborates with the team to assist in editing video content, ensuring high-quality production standards;
- Develops illustrations, logos and other designs using software or by hand;
- Keeps abreast of design trends and technologies;
- Designs Software Proficiency, Expertise in design software such as: Adobe Creative Suite (Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign), CorelDRAW, Sketch, Canva and Video editing software (e.g., Adobe Premiere Pro);
- Liaises with Producer/Administrative and Special Assistants;
- Conceptualizes, produces and edits content according to broadcasting standards;
- Develops and manages archive of content;
- Submits reports, as required, on the output of the Unit;
- Performs any other related duties that may be assigned from time to time.

Required Knowledge, Skills and Competencies

Core:

- · Good oral and written communication skills
- · Good problem-solving and decision-making skills
- Good analytical thinking skills
- Flexibility and adaptability
- Ability to use own initiative
- Integrity
- Ability to work collaboratively in a team

Functional/Technical:

- Good knowledge of the general functions, programmes, objectives, and policies of the Ministry
- Excellent IT skills, especially with design and photo-editing software systems
- Exceptional creativity and innovation
- Sound knowledge in all areas of graphic design
- A professional approach to time, costs, and deadlines
- Accuracy and attention to detail
- Excellent Customer and Quality Focus
- Proficiency in use of Microsoft Office Suite and other relevant computer applications and systems

Minimum Required Qualification and Experience

- First Degree in Mass Communication or Related Field;
- Training in Supervision; or any equivalent combination of education, training, and experience;
- Proven experience as a Graphic Designer, with a strong portfolio showcasing your work, at least three (3) years;
- Proficiency in Adobe Creative Suite (Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign), CorelDRAW, Sketch, Canva, and video editing software (e.g., Adobe Premiere Pro);
- Training Course at the Management Institute for National Development.

Special Condition Associated with the Job

- There can be high pressure when deadlines are to be met;
- Extended working hours are expected as well as working on weekends and public holidays.

Applications accompanied by résumés should be submitted <u>no later than Monday</u>, <u>10th February</u>, <u>2025 to:</u>

Director, Human Resource Management and Development Ministry of Industry, Investment and Commerce 4 St. Lucia Avenue Kingston 5

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Please note that only shortlisted applicants will be contacted.

Please ensure that a copy of this circular is placed at a strategic position on the Notice Board of the Ministry/Department/Agency and brought to the attention of all eligible officers.

Desreen Smith (Mrs.) for Chief Personnel Officer