**Expert Search Team Leader**

EU-Project: Support to free legal professions and the Bar Association

Location: Kosovo

Qualifications and skills

* A Bachelor’s Degree in Law. A Master and/or PhD in a law field is considered as an advantage
* Excellent communication and analytical skills
* Excellent team working and management skills
* Proficiency in report drafting; and
* Excellent written and spoken English

General professional experience

* Minimum 10, preferably 15 years, of professional experience as lawyer, legal professional or judge/prosecutor

Specific professional experience

* Experience in leading teams gained in the public or private sector or in donor-funded projects in at least 1 and preferably 3 projects in the RoL area
* Minimum 3 preferably 5 years of working experience with or within a self-regulating body of a legal profession and/or mandated licencing authority for a legal profession

**Project brief**

Title: Support to free legal professions and the Bar Association

Location: Kosovo

Client: EU

Start: July 2016

Duration: 36 months

**Project description**

The overall objective of this project is to strengthen the judiciary by strengthening the free legal professions and the bar association.

The purpose of the project is to fully functionalize the system of free legal professions by strengthening the Department for Free Legal Professions and the capacities of free legal professions and the bar.

The results to be achieved are as follows:

* Chamber of notary, law enforcement agent association, mediation centres are strengthened, and an association for bankruptcy administrators is established and functional
* Capacities of private enforcement agents, notaries, bankruptcy administrators, mediators and the bar are strengthened
* Department for Free Legal Professions is fully functional, with a particular emphasis on training, licensing and oversight mechanisms
* Capacity of bar is strengthened
* Awareness about free legal professions and coordination among relevant stakeholders and the public is increased