The Swiss Tropical and Public Health Institute is a public institution with the mandate to contribute to the improvement of the health of populations internationally and nationally through excellence in research, services, and teaching and training.The Swiss Centre for International Health (SCIH) of the Swiss Tropical and Public Health Institute (Swiss TPH) conducts consultancy, project management, training and applied research work in international health.

**Focal point with financial managementbackground**

**Local position based in Sao Tome & Principe**

Within on-going assignments more specifically from the Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Malaria and Tuberculosis, the tasks will include:

* Ease the communication between the flying team and the national stakeholders (PR, SR, CCM, partners)
* Monitor and understand the national context (mainly in the Health sector)
* Verification of the implementation of health programs with special consideration of aspects relating to financial accounting and financial administration and management.

To best fit into our active, interdisciplinary team, we are looking for candidates with:

* **Financial qualification**(preferably a minimum of Master degree in Financial accounting and/or financial administration and management)
* A qualification in financial auditing and/or strong experience in **auditing or fraud detection is an asset**
* **Minimum of05 years relevant experience in the field of program management and implementation in the health sector**
* Excellent command of **Portuguese(speaking & writing) required**, another language (English or French) is an asset
* Previous knowledge of Global Fund procedures and requirements is an asset
* Good communication skills, strong spirit of team work and initiative, and ability to work with professionals in multi-cultural context strong professional oral communication, writing and analytical skills, including the development of reports, oral presentations, and technical/persuasive documents; strong interpersonal skills, diplomacy and tact to effectively communicate with senior-level officials

We are looking for an equivalent part time position (30-40% maximum). If you are interested, please address your application(**maximum 3 pages)**and motivation letter in Portuguese or English **with names of three (3) refereesand your daily rate expectations** by **19 March 2021 to the following contact: celine.kuoch@swisstph.ch.** Only short listed candidates will be contacted for a written test and interview, the recruitment for the position will be finalized by end of March 2021.