SOCIAL PROTECTION SPECIALIST

Where – Lome (Togo)
Duration – 3 months with possibility of extension
Deadline – Apply as soon as possible by emailing Adama.Taoko@fao.org

Key deliverables include among others:

- Drafting and disseminating technical guidelines on social safety nets;
- Support for launching of a call for project proposals, screening and selection of projects for financing;
- Technical review of ECOWAS/RAAF studies and lessons learned;
- Support the mainstream social safety net features into NAIPs;

Qualification and competences required

- At least a Master degree in social sciences, economics or other related field;
- Five (5) years minimum experience in the design and analysis of issues related to social protection and social safety nets in West Africa;
- Excellent transverse knowledge food security, resilience and social protection and agriculture;
- Familiar with the institutional environment of the West African regional organizations (ECOWAS, UEMOA, CILSS)
- Be familiar with the ongoing regional processes related to food security, nutrition and resilience (AGIR, SUN, Sahel Strategy, Zero Hunger initiative, RPCA);
- Have a good ability to manage unexpected situations and adjust priorities accordingly;
- Having a sense of teamwork in critical and constructive way;
- Have a perfect command of one of the two official languages of the United Nations in French and English and be able to work comfortably in the other language