

Global Alliance for Improved Nutrition

Job title:	Intern, Intern, Nourishing Food Pathways Inclusive Local FSN Governance
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Classification:	Intern	Direct reports:	0
Work location	Dar es Salaam, Tanzania	Travel required:	0%

The Global Alliance for Improved Nutrition (GAIN) is a Swiss-based foundation launched at the UN in 2002 to tackle the human suffering caused by malnutrition. Working with both governments and businesses, we aim to transform food systems so that they deliver more nutritious food for all people. In particular, we aim to make healthier food choices more desirable, more available, and more affordable. GAIN's mission is to advance nutrition outcomes by improving consumption of nutritious and safe food for all people, especially the most vulnerable to malnutrition.

DESCRIPTION
<p>Overall purpose</p> <p>The intern will support the wider programme team with administrative, communications, and project management tasks, especially in the implementation of projects related to Food System Governance programme “Nourishing Food Pathways” initiative in Tanzania. Specifically, working on the “Including Voices: Local Government and Markets” work package which aims to facilitate inclusive local food system and nutrition governance. The Intern will also provide research and administrative support to the Nourishing Food Pathways Project, Workstream 2.2 on local city government and a “traditional” urban fresh food market. She/He will work under supervision of the Head of Programmes and policy advisor and engage with GAIN's Global Food Systems Governance programme (Drivers of Food Systems Change Cluster).</p> <p>This is a six-month internship with a flexible start date.</p>
<p>Tasks and responsibilities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide research and administrative support to GAIN Tanzania: Head of Programmes and the Policy advisor as well as Global work stream/ work package leads. • 100% time committed to supporting the Head of Programmes, policy advisor and global work stream/package lead in the inception phase of the “Nourishing Food Pathways”, work package 2.2: “Including Voices: Local Government and Markets”, in Tanzania. • Guided by work package tools and templates as well as other research methods, conduct food systems governance research with a focus on local city government and a “traditional” urban fresh food market. • Data analysis and presentation of work activities and research in reports (MS Word) and PowerPoint. • Accurate referencing (and use of excel or other programme reference database) and compliance with permissions and GAIN's ‘Duty of Care’ principles. • Contributing towards accurate and reliable work package internal and external communications. • Liaising with GAIN Global: Food Systems Governance programme as part of multi-country and global work package. • Providing routine accurate and reliable work package administration as linked to research tasks.

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Key organizational relationships

- Reports to Head of Programme and Lead, nourishing food pathways and work closely with other team members.
- Liaise with other key leaders of the Nourishing Food Pathways workstreams and Act4Food Act4Change core leaders.

INTERNSHIP REQUIREMENTS

Competencies

- Accurate, reliable and proactive research task related administrative skills.
- Highly developed verbal and written communication skills in English and Swahili
- Skilled and experienced working with a diversity of team members and/or stakeholders
- High level of professionalism and integrity.
- Good judgement and problem-solving skills
- Computer literacy with good Excel, MS Word, Outlook, and PowerPoint skills.

Experience

- Not required, but some experience in research (quantitative and qualitative methods), report writing knowledge and/or experience is desirable. Community based participatory research skills are a benefit. (University research studies experience is satisfactory)
- An understanding of food systems, public sector governance and/or nutrition is preferable.

Education

- Be enrolled in or have completed a university degree in a topic relating to one of the following:
 - Public Health
 - Communications, Development Studies
 - Food science or nutrition

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