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CENTRAL BANK OF SRI LANKA

The Central Bank of Sri Lanka (CBSL)
is seeking highly motivated professionals
to join its IT Team as

PROJECT MANAGER
(ON CONTRACT)

1.0 The Job/Responsibilities:

- Plan, manage, and coordinate IT projects throughout their lifecycle, from initiation to closure, ensuring delivery within approved scope, timelines, budget, quality standards, and governance requirements.
- Develop and maintain project charters, plans, schedules, budgets, risk registers, issue logs, status reports, and other project documentation to support effective project planning, monitoring, control, and governance.
- Monitor project progress, milestones, resource utilization, risks, issues, and change requests, and escalate significant deviation and matters requiring management attention to ensure timely resolution and effective project delivery.
- Facilitate project meetings, steering committee updates, vendor coordination meetings, and stakeholder review sessions to ensure effective communication, coordination, progress monitoring.
- Coordinate cross-functional team members including internal and external IT professionals, business analysts, and other stakeholders involved with the project to work collaboratively and successfully achieve project goals within the scope.
- Monitor and facilitate compliance with applicable procurement, information security, change management, testing, deployment, audit, and compliance requirements applicable to IT projects supporting compliant and controlled project delivery.
- Support user acceptance testing, production deployment, handover, user training, post-implementation review, and benefits realization activities to facilitate smooth transition to operations and achievement of intended project outcomes.
- Apply appropriate project management methodologies, including waterfall, agile, or hybrid approaches, based on the project requirements and characteristics, to support effective project delivery.
- Develop and implement robust contingency plans to address potential challenges arising from different risk factors to safeguarding project objectives.

2.0 Required Minimum Qualifications & Experience:

2.1 Educational/Professional Qualifications

- A Bachelor's Degree in Information Technology, Computer Science, Computer Engineering, Software Engineering, Information Systems, Engineering (in an Information Technology related discipline), Project Management, Business Management or a similar field obtained from a local or a foreign University, recognized by the University Grants Commission of Sri Lanka.

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- Professional qualifications in project management – Project Management Professional (PMP) certification from PMI or PRINCE2 from AXELOS/PeopleCert.

2.2 Experience:

- Minimum of five (05) years of post-qualification experience in managing or coordinating IT projects, software development projects, infrastructure projects, system implementation projects, or digital transformation initiatives.
- Experience in project planning, stakeholder coordination, vendor coordination, progress monitoring, risk and issue management, and project documentation.
- Experience in banking, financial services, government, or other regulated enterprise environments will be an added advantage.

3.0 Preferred Professional Qualifications:

- PMI-ACP, Certified Scrum Master (CSM), Professional Scrum Master (PSM) certifications will be an added advantage.

4.0 Required Skills:

- Excellent communication and interpersonal skills
- Strong leadership and problem-solving skills
- Ability to manage stakeholders and expectations effectively
- Time management and organizational skills
- Risk management skills
- Budgeting and financial management skills
- Problem-Solving and Analytical skills
- Technical Writing and Documentation

5.0 Age:

- Below 45 years of age as at 20.10.2026

6.0 Employment:

- On contractual basis for a period of not more than three (03) years.

7.0 Remuneration and Other Benefits:

- Negotiable, with EPF and ETF contributions, and medical benefits.

Selection Procedure

Candidates who fulfill the minimum required criteria as specified will be shortlisted for further evaluations. The selection will be based on an assessment followed by interview/s.

Applications

Applicants who possess the required qualifications and experience and wish to apply for the above position should submit their applications only through the following link **on or before 20.10.2026**

Link : **https://www.cbsl.gov.lk/en/careers**

Applicants are strictly advised to adhere to the terms and conditions stipulated in the above link when submitting applications.

Those who do not possess the required qualifications and experience as at the closing date will not be eligible to apply for this post. Any application not meeting the required qualifications, received after the deadline or not in the prescribed format, will be rejected without any notice.

Applicants are strictly advised to upload scanned copies of the educational/professional qualifications and documents to verify service experience which meet the eligibility criteria for the above post. Any application without the copies of certificates relevant to Educational/Professional Qualifications and experience will be rejected without any notice at any stage of the recruitment process.

Candidates who fail to provide originals of relevant documents at the certificate verification conducted prior to the interview will not in any manner be considered as eligible candidates.

Any form of canvassing will be a disqualification. CBSL reserves the right to decide on the number of positions to be filled or postpone or cancel the recruitment. CBSL has the discretion to determine the relevancy of qualifications (subject area covered in the educational/professional qualifications) and experience for shortlisting applications, based on the requirements of the position. Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted for the next step of the recruitment process.

Section 20 and 24 (1) of the Central Bank of Sri Lanka Act, No. 16 of 2023 shall apply to all selected candidates.

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