

SOKOINE UNIVERSITY OF AGRICULTURE



MOROGORO

12th OCTOBER 2023

JOB OPPORTUNITY

Applicants are invited from qualified Tanzanians to fill vacant positions at **SUA-APOPO RODENT RESEARCH PROJECT**. The application letters should indicate names and addresses of **THREE REFEREES**, together with **CERTIFIED COPIES OF ACADEMIC CERTIFICATES** and **TRANSCRIPTS**, furthermore the applicant must submit a copy of **BIRTH CERTIFICATE**, a signed and updated **CV** and other testimonials. All applications should be addressed to **the DEPUTY VICE CHANCELLOR (ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE), P.O. BOX 3000, CHUO KIKUU, MOROGORO** to reach him not later than one week from the date of this advertisement.

1.0. POSITION: - Apopo HeroTREEs Officer - I POST, MOROGORO

POSITION SUMMARY

The SUA- APOPO Project is looking for a dedicated HeroTREEs Officer to lead Apopo greening efforts. This is an exciting opportunity to contribute to the conservation of the Uluguru Mountains and be a part of innovative carbon offset activities, the successfully applicant need to be passionate about conservation, agroforestry, and re-afforestation effort, with the skills and knowledge to make a positive impact on the environment.

EDUCATION, SKILLS, AND EXPERIENCE

- Bachelor's degree in forestry, or a related field from Sokoine University of Agriculture
- Good understanding of agroforestry, conservation, and re-afforestation practices
- Ability to collaborate effectively with various stakeholders, including researchers, students, partners, and farmer groups
- Strong commitment to environmental conservation and sustainability
- Excellent communication and interpersonal skills
- Ability to work independently and as part of a team
- Ability to write concept notes and project proposals
- Adaptability and problem-solving skills
- Prior experience in conservation projects is a plus
- Knowledge of GIS systems is a plus
- Must be flexible i.e. willing to work in Weekends.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

As a HeroTREES Officer, you will play a vital role in the implementation of a conservation project in the Uluguru Mountains, focusing on re-afforestation and agroforestry. Your duties will include:

- Implementation of Conservation Projects: Execute conservation projects with a focus on re-afforestation, agroforestry, and carbon offset activities as part of APOPO's initiatives.
- Syntropic Farming: Promote and implement syntropic farming practices to enhance food security, biodiversity and carbon sequestration in APOPO areas of work.
- Tree Planting: Lead tree planting initiatives to restore and maintain the ecological balance of the Uluguru Mountains.
- Stakeholder Engagement: Collaborate with researchers, students, partners, and farmer groups to ensure successful project implementation and community involvement.
- Perform any other project related duties as assigned by a superior.

TERMS OF CONTRACT: Contract will be for 1 year (including a 6-month probationary period) and is renewable depending on the performance and funding

AGE: Not above 45 years old

SALARY: As per Treasury Registry Salary Circular No. 6 of 2022 which is applicable at the moment