Overview of AGIPP

The Alliance for Gender Inclusion in the Peace Process (AGIPP) ¹ is a Myanmar alliance of organizations and networks working on women’s rights and gender equality, as well as those working on peace and security in Myanmar. There are two key goals:

- Securing greater participation of women in peace negotiations;
- Ensuring gender inclusion in the outcomes of the peace process.

It aims to pursue these goals through three overarching objectives:

1. **Improving strategic networking** – By coordinating among partner organizations and other stakeholders to maximize the impact of actions and interventions in peace and political negotiations;
2. **Strengthening norms and policies** – To create stronger frameworks for securing an inclusive peace process, provide technical support on WPS issues to various stakeholders; ensure gains in women’s rights and gender justice and Women, Peace and Security outcomes are met in all peace process bodies, mechanisms, institutions, and structures;
3. **Enhancing capacity** – By deepening the expertise of partner organizations and all stakeholders in the peace process architecture related to key concerns in the peace process through dedicated knowledge and skills development as an investment in sharpening policy inputs to the peace process.

AGIPP is a Myanmar led national initiative working on Women, Peace, Security issues. It has a Steering Committee of seven organizations (Gender and Development Institute, Gender Equality Network, Kachin State Women Network, Mon Women’s Network, Nyein (Shalom) Foundation, Women and Peace Action Network (Shan State), and Women’s Organizations Network (WON)). It was formed in 2014 and become operational in October 2015.

Purpose of Consultancy/ Position Summary:

- To develop comprehensive guidebook with checklist on integrating Gender and WPS in the program, project, procedure, policies and practices in Peace organization or organization of key stakeholders in the peace process.

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¹ AGIPP is comprised with seven alliance partner organization.
Key Deliverables/Expected output

- Facilitate Consultation meeting with Key Stakeholders and organization/network from peace process to assess their needs on WPS guide book and draft the contents of the WPS guide book.
- Present the WPS guidebook design and content in Myanmar Language to AGIPP Steering Committee members to get feedback.
- Develop Women, Peace and Security Guide Book in Myanmar including guideline and checklist for gender WPS integration in the program, project, procedures, policies and practices.

Criteria/ Qualification

- High knowledge of Gender mainstreaming, Diversity and Equity issue, WPS (Women, Peace and Security), Project Cycle Management, Myanmar Peace Process and its key stakeholders’ situation and Political situation in Myanmar.
- Proven excellent skills in writing and oral presentation skills in Myanmar.
- At least a Master’s degree either in Gender, Peace, Conflict, Social Sciences and related fields.
- At least 5 years of experience on gender and peace manuals or training curriculums development
- At least 3 year of experience in Gender and Peace sector.
- At least a Master’s degree either in Gender, Human Rights, Social Sciences and related field
- Good communications, interpersonal and collaboration skills

Management: The National Consultant for Women, Peace, Security Guidebook will be managed by National Advisor and Coordinator of AGIPP.

Duration: 1st July, 2019 to 31st December, 2019

Location: Yangon (National Consultant will take care of travel to field for data collection if necessary)

How to apply: By 30th, June, 2019, send a Cover Letter outlining your experience (max. 2 pages) and a CV (max. 4 pages) to info@agipp.org. Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.