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Position: IT Officer

Location: Kota Kinabalu, Sabah, Malaysia

Contract Period: February 2025 – September 2026

Danau Girang Field Centre invites applications from suitably qualified Sabahans for the position of IT Officer, to be based in in Kota Kinabalu, Sabah.

The IT Officer will assist the Sabah Wildlife Department with the implementation and management of IT operations of enforcement databases and remote sensing devices, including data storage.

Primary Responsibilities

- Liaise with software developers and key stakeholders for the implementation of specific networks within the Sabah Wildlife Department.
- Suggest and implement necessary changes to support new and existing systems.
- Install, configure and maintain computer systems to sustain specific IT networks.
- Provide technical support to system users.
- Conduct operational support for internal computing systems.
- Manage remote sensing devices and their data.
- Develop and maintain guidelines for data management.

Qualification and Experience

- Bachelor's degree or higher in Computer Science, Information Management, or a related IT field.
- Minimum of 2-3 years of experience in IT network support and/or database management.
- In-depth knowledge of network infrastructure, architecture, connectivity, and security.
- Proficiency in database management systems (e.g., Excel; Access) and experience in cloud data backup practices (e.g., Dropbox, Google Drive)
- Knowledge of data protection and privacy regulations.
- Strong analytical skills. Effective communication and interpersonal skills.
- Proficiency in English and Bahasa Malaysia.
- Experience in using remote sensing devices (i.e. Camera Traps) is an added advantage
- Knowledge in software engineering and/or programming is an added advantage.

Position Background

This position is created under SHIELD (Sabah's Harmonized Intelligence Enforcement and Legal Defence against Wildlife Crimes), a two-year collaborative project led by Danau Girang Field

Centre in partnership with the Sabah Wildlife Department, aimed at protecting Malaysia's unique wildlife through the enhancement of law enforcement, cross-agency cooperation, and specialist training in Sabah.

This position will remain open until filled.

Only shortlisted candidates will be notified.

The successful applicant is expected to commence employment in February 2024.

Applications are to be sent by email with a letter of interest, and a CV with contact information for at least two work references, to:

enquiry@danaugirang.com.my

with the subject: Application for IT OFFICER