



Hope for Women M. Kurigam, 1A (1st Floor) Ithaa Goalhi Male', Maldives

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

Background

Hope for Women (HFW) is a non-governmental organization in the Maldives, registered in 2010, working towards ending all forms of violence against women and girls, while also promoting gender equality and women's participation in public life.

From 2014 to 2017, HFW housed and provided administrative support to Family Legal Clinic, a non-profit organization established by a team of young lawyers to provide pro-bono legal support to individuals (particularly women) who needed help in obtaining legal remedies relating to family issues.

Therefore HFW is well aware of the need for research and legal support to the under privileged from a human rights perspective.

On 12 June 2018, an Institute by the name 'Hope Institute for Research and Training' was established under HFW with the following objectives:

- 1. Identifying the critical issues/gaps and conducting research on family related human rights issues and provide support.
- 2. Creating more opportunities for the general public, particularly women, to develop their capacity to seek justice and pursue their rights.

Hope for Women is seeking a full time staff for the post of Legal Officer.

Requirements:

- 1. Bachelor's Degree in Law
- 2. At least 3 years of work experience in a related field
- 3. Deep understanding of issues related to women and girls and should have a personal interest in protecting and promoting women's rights
- 4. Good oral and written communication skills in both Dhivehi and English
- 5. Interpersonal skills and ability to work with co-workers and partner agencies/organizations
- 6. Strong commitment to HFW

All interested candidates are requested to submit their CVs, and certificates to M. Kurigam 1st floor, Male', Maldives or email it to hope@hopeforwomen.org.mv on or before 9 May 2019. For more information, please contact us at 7312408.