

Position Name: Senior Strategic Adviser on CT, Prevention and Countering Violent Extremism	Employment Regime: Seconded	
Ref. Number: IAO 413	Location: Baghdad, Iraq	Availability: Dec. 2022
Component/Department/Unit Operations Department/ Law Enforcement Agencies Component	Security Clearance Level EU Secret	Open to Contributing Third States: Yes

1. Reporting Line:

The Senior Strategic Adviser on Counter-Terrorism, Prevention and Countering Violent Extremism (P-CVE) reports to the Head of Law Enforcement Agencies Component.

2. Main Tasks and Responsibilities:

- To operationalize the Mission mandate and tasks as set out in the planning documents and the Mission Implementation Plan;
- To support the development of a more structured and institutionalised, whole-of-society approach to P-CVE through providing strategic advice to national government entities on implementation of the national CVE Strategy;
- To support the Mission to address areas of structural weaknesses in the performance and accountability of counterparts/institutions and propose relevant solutions;
- To provide analysis and recommendations to the local counterpart in the area of responsibility;
- To maintain necessary contacts and build relationships with relevant local and international counterparts;
- To liaise closely with other horizontal advisers;
- To provide support to the Senior Strategic Advisors on Counterterrorism (CT) when needed.

3. General Tasks and Responsibilities:

- To identify and report on lessons learned and best practices within the respective area of responsibility;
- To contribute and ensure timely reporting on activities within the respective area of responsibility;
- To take account of gender equality and human rights aspects in the execution of tasks;
- To undertake any other related tasks as requested by the Line Manager(s).

4. Essential Qualifications and Experience:

- Successful completion of university studies of at least 4 years attested by a diploma OR a qualification in the National Qualifications Framework which is equivalent to level 7 in the European Qualifications Framework OR a qualification of the second cycle under the framework of qualifications of the European Higher Education Area, e.g. Master's Degree OR equivalent and attested police and/or military education or training or an award of an equivalent rank; AND
- A minimum of 6 years of relevant professional experience, after having fulfilled the education requirements.

5. Essential Knowledge, Skills and Abilities:

- Ability to mentor, advise and motivate local counterparts;
- Experience in developing or implementing national and/or local P-CVE strategies or action plans;
- Documented working experience in the field of P-CVE;
- Language skills (English).

6. Desirable Qualifications and Experience:

- International experience, particularly in crisis areas with multinational and international organizations;
- Experience in providing strategic advice to senior local government officials.

7. Desirable Knowledge, Skills and Abilities:

- Knowledge of Arabic.