



Date of posting: January 2010

Job Description: **Livelihood and Nutrition Specialist**
Status: Short-term or long-term assignment
Location: West Africa

Making Cents International (www.makingcents.com) is a social enterprise based in Washington, D.C. We are committed to building a legacy of skills and economic opportunity at the individual, community, and global level. We provide specialized technical services and curriculum to individuals and organizations working in economic strengthening, enterprise development and linking young people to financial services. Making Cents is also a leader in the youth enterprise and livelihoods sector (www.youthenterpriseconference.org). We create learning opportunities and networks that result in strong partnerships, programs, and policies that support young entrepreneurs. Making Cents International is an equal opportunity employer.

Making Cents International is seeking a Livelihood and Household Nutrition Specialist for short-term and long-term positions for an anticipated project in West Africa. Ideal candidate will have proven expertise in conducting comprehensive needs assessments around household income generation activities, and experience in program design, implementation, and evaluation.

Qualifications and Skills

- Advanced degree in public health, or related field, with 5-10 years of demonstrated experience related to livelihoods and household nutrition; USAID and Africa experience preferred.
- Ability to work effectively both independently and as part of a team.
- Excellent writing and oral communication skills and capacity to facilitate dialogue across multiple sectors.
- Expertise in curriculum design and development required.
- English fluency required; proficiency in French preferred.
- Ability to travel, including to conflict and post-conflict environments.

To Apply: Submit letter of interest and CV by mail or email to:

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