



Legambiente, lead beneficiary of the **COMMON** project, is looking for an Italian native speaker **communication manager** for the project. The **COMMON** project has been funded by **ENI CBC MED** for an **EU contribution of € 2 million** and is ending in August 2022 with possible extensions.

Project description:

The COMMON project aims at applying the ICZM principles to the marine litter management, improving the environmental performance of 5 pilot coastal areas in Italy (2), Tunisia (2) and Lebanon (1), testing a model that could be transferred to the whole Mediterranean area. Thanks to an improved knowledge of the marine litter phenomenon, specific training and capacity building activities addressed to local and regional authorities, MPAs, Turtles Rescue Centres and citizens, thematic awareness campaign and material, targeted networking activities at basin level, COMMON project will engage local communities in incorporating marine litter management and disposal in coastal planning with the ICZM approach. The project specific objective is to enhance the capacity of public authorities in the 5 selected areas to plan for sustainable management, use and monitoring of marine litter sources, treatment and consequences, employing an effective participatory approach involving relevant stakeholders and local communities.

The main responsibilities of the Communication Manager are:

- To monitor the implementation of the communication activities
- To communicate scientific data and information through project channels
- To meet all set deadlines
- To be responsible for all activities and outputs foreseen in the WP2 “Communication”
- Availability for travel (both national and international travel)
- To coordinate the project communication of the entire consortium
- To be the reference person for the project partners concerning communication activities
- To be the first contact for the ENI CBC MED Managing Authority concerning communication issues
- To support the organisation of public events, such as press conferences, both at a local and at a national or international level
- To be the first contact for the ENI CBC MED Managing Authority concerning communication issues
- To support the implementation of the awareness campaigns
- To manage and regularly update both the project social media and the website



Education, Training and Skills

- Master's Degree in relevant topic
- Communication management
- Coordination skills
- Organisational skills (public events, workshops, forums)
- Social media management
- Press release writing
- Fluent in English, both spoken and written
- Knowledge of Arabic and/or French is an advantage

Work experience:

- Previous experience in coordinating international partnership
- Previous experience of communication management of international projects funded by public funds, especially EU funds.
- At least 5 years experience in communication/marketing/PR/social media management
- Proven expertise in communication plan and communication strategy development

Please send a CV with at least 2 reference letters to: progetti@legambiente.it and specify *COMMON – Communication manager* in the email object.

The expiry date of the vacancy is 15th October. We may close the CV collection at our earliest convenience.