

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Bank of Zambia, an equal opportunity employer invites applications from suitably qualified Zambians to apply for the following vacant positions:

ECONOMIST – MACRO STRESS TESTING AND ANALYSIS (HO) (1 POST) GRADE: BOZ 5

Job Purpose

Conduct systemic stress tests in order to assess the resilience of the financial system against macrofinancial shocks.

Main Accountabilities

- Carry out macro stress testing on banking and non-banking institutions and provide analysis
 of results;
- Periodically estimate empirical credit risk relationships and provide analyses of results;
- Participate in drafting the "Review of Systemic Risk Environment" chapter of the Financial Stability Report;
- Conduct research on various aspects pertinent to financial stability;
- Monitor global economic and financial developments and assess their impact on Zambia's financial system
- Assess domestic economic and financial policies in order to discern any systemic implications
- Conduct macro-economic risk analyses and draw specific implications for financial stability

Qualifications and Experience

- Bachelor's degree in Economics, Finance, Accountancy or equivalent with 3 years' relevant experience
- Grade 12 School Certificate with five (5) 'O' Levels (Credit or better, including English & Mathematics).

Key Knowledge & Attributes

- Good background in macro-financial analysis;
- Econometric modelling skills;
- Knowledge of computer programming languages and/or econometric software (eg E-Views, MATLAB, STATA, VBA etc);
- Knowledge of MS Office application such as Excel, Word, PowerPoint and/or Access;
- Ability to conceptualise macro-financial relationships and building persuasive arguments;
- Excellent oral and written communication skills.

CONDITIONS OF SERVICE

Bank of Zambia Conditions of Service will apply. Please note that all the positions are on Fixed Term Contract of Employment for three (3) years and renewable.

Only candidates who meet the above role specifications should apply enclosing their detailed curriculum vitae and certified photocopies of certificates to the undersigned not later than **Friday**, **26**th **May**, **2017**. For more information, visit: www.boz.zm.

Women are encouraged to apply. Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.

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