

GHANA ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION



COMERCIALIZATION AND COMMUNICATION DIRECTORATE (CCD)

CALL FOR PROPOSAL

Funding Agency	FRENCH SOLIDARITY PROGRAM
Funding Opportunity Title	“Strengthening Professional Skills of Civil Society Organizations in Ghana” (PISCCA)
Application Deadline	April 19th 2021
Information on Applicants	
(Title, first name, surname)	
College	
Institute/Directorate/Centre	
Department	
Email(s)	
Mobile number(s)	
PhD degree and awarding institution	
Year earned	
Proposal Title (Indicative title accepted)	
Thematic area(s)	
Highlights of the Call: <i>(see attached full announcement for complete information).</i>	<p>Background Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) have a recognized role in social change and political dialogue and increasingly, CSOs are demanding to be more actively included in policy-making processes, including those at national, sub-regional and local levels. The Embassy of France in Ghana aims to encourage the strengthening of civil societies in order to enable better policy advocacy and increase stakeholder engagement. In this light, the French Embassy in Ghana is seeking high quality proposals in 2 different areas, in line with the UN 2030 Agenda for sustainable development and the SDGs: 1) Preservation of the Biodiversity and 2) Gender Equality.</p> <p>The purpose of PISCCA is to support innovative projects aiming at setting up concrete measures/actions for the conservation and protection of biodiversity. Contributing to the dialogue led by civil society with the authorities in the implementation and monitoring of their commitments in terms of environmental protection and promoting citizen involvement will also be supported. The "Nature-based Solutions" approach developed by the International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN) will be favoured.</p> <p>Keywords: Gender equity, women and girls’ empowerment, financial inclusion of women, emancipation, sexual and reproductive health rights, elimination of gender-based violence and harmful practices, non-discrimination.</p>