



MANAGER OF SOCIAL IMPACT INVESTMENT TO START UP A NEW UNIT AT PLANBØRNEFONDEN

Would you like to work with social impact investments for example in Green Jobs in East Africa or Female Entrepreneurs in Mali or internet connectivity for schools in Rural Ghana or Emergency Impact Bonds in Colombia? Maybe this position is something for you.

PlanBørnefonden is seeking a dynamic and driven Manager of Social Impact Investment to develop and grow our portfolio of innovative social impact projects. Based on our solid experience of working in strategic partnerships with the private sector, including enterprises and private foundations, to solve complex problems and meet the UN Sustainable Development Goals, PlanBørnefonden has decided to develop a new impact- and income stream based on social impact investment.

It is an exciting new position, and the selected candidate will play a significant role in shaping the future of PlanBørnefonden's social impact investment portfolio together with a strong dedicated team from our Program Department. The ambition of PlanBørnefonden is to be "first mover" as we see social impact investment as one of the key future development instruments to achieve even greater scale, impact, and long-term sustainability of our interventions in the countries we work in Africa and the Middle East.

PlanBørnefonden is one of Denmark's largest primarily privately funded child rights organizations. We are a part of Plan International and operate in 75 countries. Our aim is to ensure the rights of children and young people in the most vulnerable and fragile areas of the world with a special focus on girls. Our work is centered on the following priority areas: "Healthy, Safe and Playful Early Childhoods", "Young People Driving Change", and "Building Resilience and Responding to Emergencies". We have a special focus on girls 'and women's rights in everything we do.

Duties and responsibilities

The role as the Manager of Social Impact Investment is fourfold:

- 1) Project development, investment analysis and development of business- and investment cases for decision- making
- 2) Relation management with potential partners and consortia
- 3) Due Diligence, risk analysis and deal cycle management
- 4) Reporting and managing the investment.

The Manager of Social Impact Investment will report to the Chief Operating Officer who is also leading our Program Department.

What we are looking for

A person with a strong financial background and experience from an Impact Investor or an Investment Bank for developing countries. Or a person who is placed in an investment or corporate finance position but wants to work in an organisation with a stronger purpose.

We expect that you have:

- Master's level education in economics & finance
- Experience with and strong interest in impact investment and current trends in development finance and start-up investment, preferably in the countries where PlanBørnefonden works
- At least 5 years of experience in investment analysis and preparation of business cases
- Proven ability to follow deals through the full investment and project development cycle – development of projects and partnerships, due diligence, structuring, risk-analysis, contracting and managing the investment
- Proven ability to represent an organization at a senior level and to build strong relationships with a multitude of stakeholders and partners
- Self-motivated, driven, and able to work effectively with a high degree of autonomy
- Excellent interpersonal communication skills – able to confidently work in a multi-disciplinary and impact driven team and liaise with investees, co-investors, and partners
- Excellent communication and collaboration skills – high-level English both oral and written

Conditions of employment

Conditions of employment are based on Danish labor law and salary is according to experience. International travel of approx. 40 days per year must be expected (depending on national and international travel restrictions). The work location is at PlanBørnefonden's office in Copenhagen. Applicants must be nationals of a European Union member state or otherwise hold a permit to work in Denmark. Work visas cannot be sponsored. Relocation package is not offered.

Application process

Please send us your short, motivated application/CV in **one** combined PDF file to job@planbørnefonden.dk. Deadline for applying is 10 January 2022. We evaluate applications continuously.

For any specific questions about the job and tasks, please contact our Chief Operating Officer Anne Smith Petersen, on (0045) 22 85 06 65 or anne.smith@planbørnefonden.dk. If you have any general questions about the application process or/and PlanBørnefonden, please contact HR Consultant Katrine Schultz, on (0045) 24 65 97 99 or katrine.schultz@planbørnefonden.dk.

At PlanBørnefonden, we work for children's rights, gender equality and anti-racism. We encourage all qualified candidates, regardless of ethnic background, gender, sexual orientation, disability, religion, and age, to apply for the position. As an employee at PlanBørnefonden, you will commit yourself to our child protection policy, and in connection with your employment, we will obtain documentation for a clean child certificate.
