position: policy analyst - agriculture and fisheries (part-time)

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We are currently seeking a part-time analyst to work in our agriculture and fisheries portfolio. This position would best suit an MA candidate looking for policy experience while completing their studies. The successful candidate will be a Chinese native speaker with an organised analytical approach, strong written English, an agricultural economics or rural development background, and a dedication to building knowledge in the agriculture sector. Previous experience is not strictly necessary, but demonstrated personal interest in the agricultural production industry, food systems issues, commodities trade, and/or rural development is required.

Topics that the agriculture and fisheries portfolio closely monitors and maps include, but are not limited to policies on: ag modernisation, food security, food safety, ag commodity market, ag trade, rural development and reform, fisheries

duties

- analyse policy movement across the agriculture and fisheries sector
- summarise and translate policy-relevant articles from Chinese to English
- draft policy analysis
- develop people and agency profiles
- assist research managers with portfolio tasks
- help develop clients and tailor analysis to their needs
- present findings to clients and colleagues

knowledge and skills

- academic qualifications at BA or MA level
- professional standard English, excellent writing skills
- native or near-native Chinese
- intellectual curiosity, taste for topics where few are knowledgeable
- singular attention to detail and clear communicator
- flexible, independent, and proactive work style
- commitment to deadlines
- candidates with academic background or personal passion for the agriculture industry will have a strong advantage
- quantitative skills an advantage

minimum English language requirements:
TOEFL 25 writing, overall score 105+; IELTS 7.0 writing, overall score 7.5+

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