

Dar Al-Handasah Consultants (Shair and Partners) - <u>www.dar.com</u> - are seeking to recruit an

ECONOMIST

Job Description

To conduct economic and market assessments to support and guide in project development.

Dar Al-Handasah works in a range of countries and sectors including regional planning, urban planning, energy generation, water management, healthcare and education. The role of the economics department in this context is to identify development opportunities and/or advise on economic viability on the basis of demand and supply trends and projections.

Key Responsibilities

Responsibilities will vary based on project type and requirement. Potential tasks include:

- Conducting macroeconomic and socioeconomic research to understand the context within which projects will be implemented, and the particular constraints/ opportunities created by this
- Undertaking market assessments of various asset classes (residential, retail, commercial, hospitality etc.) to gauge current supply and market performance and identify development opportunities
- Forecasting e.g. population growth, employment growth, visitor growth, demand for the various real estate asset classes, etc.
- Benchmarking similar developments to identify best practices, risks and potential strategies
- Developing economic and sector development strategies

Tasks are undertaken within a team – the ability to work collaboratively across, and communicate with multi-disciplinary teams is essential.

Requirements

- Master's degree in Economics or a relevant discipline
- Up to 3 years' relevant working experience
- Full computer literacy use of Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint are essential
- Adaptability, team player, attention to detail, strong communication skills
- A flexible approach to work, willingness to take initiative and learn, commitment

To apply, please send your **updated CV** to <u>HRRecruitment2@dar.com</u> and mention in the subject line the position title.

For more information, please contact the Human Resources department on 01-790 002