

Short-term positions for National Researchers

COSECAM is a coalition of local NGOs with the common aim of working in Cambodia to combat CSEC. The Coalition is dedicated to pooling resources in order to strengthen local organisations multilaterally. Through activities and projects, COSECAM is working to build capacity, develop professional standards, and bolster advocacy and law reform. Under the CETHCam project and in collaboration with Chab Dai Coalition, Oxfam Quebec, IOM and other members of the North East Research Group a study at four border areas is planned. The study will assess the factors that cause or contribute to vulnerability of people, especially children and youth moving to borderlands or across international borders to become trafficked, exploited or abused. The target population will be children and youth, with or without family members, who left their often rural native communities in search of opportunities to find work and better living conditions. COSECAM is looking for short-term positions of **Senior and Junior National Researchers**.

A **Senior and Junior National Researchers** will work as core field team to conduct the data collection under the guidance of two international researchers. The study locations are along the Thai and Vietnamese borders. The fieldwork will take place during **February – March 2011**. The researchers will be recruited for a period of 2 months, starting from 31 January till 1 April 2011. Remuneration will be competitive with all expenses paid. The senior researcher will lead the field team and will be responsible for all aspects of the field study. The junior researcher will act as her/his assistant. Only candidates with extensive experience of research and field work techniques like in-depth interviewing, focus group discussion and observation, and good knowledge of English or French language will be considered. Women are encouraged to apply. Applications should include: a cover letter explaining why the candidate thinks s/he is qualified, a curriculum vitae and 3 references. Only short-listed candidates will be invited for an interview within one week after the application deadline of Monday 17 January 2011 COB. Email to: tcu@cosecam.org. Telephonic enquiries to Mr. Chum Phally, TCU Coordinator Tel: 023-224 801 or 023-993 675.