



Movement on the Ground seeks a Head of Office

Are you looking to make the world a better place?

Do you want to make some real impact and join a team of highly motivated and dedicated people with a true joint ambition? You found your match!

The Movement

Movement on the Ground, is a foundation which started in 2015 in response to the humanitarian crisis affecting the innocent men, women, and children, forced from their homes by war. The aim was to fill the gaps in humanitarian aid provided at the time, which we are still doing. In the meantime we have come to the conclusion that the so called "system gap" is solvable, and this is something we are working on together with both the Greek and Dutch governments. We are very proud that we have been able to expand our refugee activities in camps at the borders of Europe. All projects are designed to bring dignity, sustainable innovative solutions. For instance, we are responsible for about 70% of all camp activities in Kare Tepe, a camp for vulnerable cases, that is home to 1300 people. Our programs range from sports programs for kids, to a digital learning lab (computer facilities), installing and running WiFi, football programs with the FC Barca Foundation, running a clothing shop, a waste recycling program, through to installing solar energy to a whole camp and making it one of the first sustainable run camps for individual families, to name a few.

If this speaks to you and you are a natural born leader, with mad skills in people management, safe keeping office culture and keeping things fun within a team while ensuring a tight ship is run, please read on.

A little about us

We are a bunch of like-minded, serious, but crazy, hands-on, entrepreneurs, from all corners of the world, who are constantly challenging the status quo of everything. Always with a side of humility, and looking to build bridges between all the stakeholders involved in the migration situation. All with the same goal, to spread our vision of a better world.

***Nothing is impossible for us,
this is how we act, how we think and how we work.***

Why do you want to join us?

To be who we are, we need a great deal of freedom, a vibrant and inspiring work environment with access to a large network that is directly involved in our mission. So that's what you'll get!

We are changing the status quo in the NGO world by empowering the camp residents by including them in all our activities and utilising their skills, so that they feel part of the solution, part of a community as a whole. We bring innovative, sustainable solutions for a positive impact on the refugee crisis.

This means: **steep learning curve | pushing forward mentality | getting things done!**

For more about us and what we do see here:

<https://movementontheground.com/about-us>

Goal

Making sure that MOTG and it's people are motivated, efficient and happy all in one. In order to get the work done and have fun while doing it!

What would you be doing to make this happen...

A happy workplace & people sounds easy, but you truly understand what it takes to take the team to the next level. To do this you:

- Provide leadership and guidance to the entire team at the office in the Netherlands
- Represent the office team by participating in and reporting to MOTG's management team
- Actively participate in strategy, planning and setting goals
- Responsible for CRM; maintaining & using it the extract, add and enrich it's contents



Competencies/skills

- There it is: People Person!
So, People Management is a walk down the park for you...
- HR skills: understanding HR processes and implications and some experience in this field.
- Organised; can't do this job without being a bit of a perfectionist, but by no means a stickler
- Being able to report on several levels; fluent in Dutch and English

Who are you..

You have lots of energy, an open-mind and you think outside of the norm. A team player, that shares our vision, you want to help us prove this model so that we can change the way in which humanitarian aid is currently managed. And you are also...

- A natural, inspiring leader who feels comfortable making decisions.
- Positive, energetic, and fun, yet solid as a rock.
- A critical and strategic thinker
- Super flexible considering work hours and the fast paced environment

We Offer you

- To join an inspiring & entrepreneurial team on a mission to change the world
- Full time position
- Inspiring office in Amsterdam
- Start date 1st of October 2019

If you want to join us for this position, send us;

1: Your CV

2: Your answers to these questions:

- Why is this the right time for you to apply?
- How would your best friend describe you?
- If money wouldn't be an issue, how would you solve the refugee crisis?

3: A (max 2 minute) video of yourself where you share your best travel experience ever!

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