**Title**
Identification of local seed traders, identifying the bottlenecks for farmers’ access to quality seeds by investigating their business model and outreach

**Context**
CROPS4HD [https://crops4hd.org/](https://crops4hd.org/) seeks to improve food security and nutrition of smallholder farmers, especially women, through sustainable use and conservation of farmers’ varieties/landraces, neglected and underutilized species respecting agroecological approaches. CROPS4HD is an international collaborative project of three NGOs co-founded by the Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation, Global Programme Food Security.

**Methods**
Literature review, review of case studies, seed market survey using Kobo toolbox or lime survey or other digital data collection tools, interviews with seed traders and stakeholders/partners (Farmer organizations/ NGOs) in Tanzania, Niger and Chad.

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**Requirements**
- BSc in Agriculture or Agroecology or related sciences
- Motivation and interest for International Cooperation, fieldwork in developing countries.
- Ability to work with remote supervision during fieldwork
- Excellent spoken and written English and French
- Excellent knowledge and aptitude of computer and different software applications
- Time management and task prioritization
- Knowledge of Information Technology (IT)
- Proactivity, Intercultural skills and ability to deal with conflict
- Ability to work in a team and ability to network

**Starting period**
From June 2022 or upon agreement

**Location**
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