The Center for Development Research (www.zef.de) is an international and interdisciplinary research institute of the Rheinische Friedrich-Wilhelms-University of Bonn, Germany. ZEF's Department of Economics and Technological Change invites applications for the position of

**Student Assistant/ Studentische Hilfskräfte (WHF)**

**(12-19 hours/week)**

*(open until position is filled)*

for the GIZ-funded

Agri-food systems transformative research and policy guidance project - **AFS-TRP**

The project seeks to strengthen the capacity and knowledge of partner countries (with a particular focus on Africa) to design and implement effective policies by providing the research and analytical support to develop evidence-based pathways and policies for a sustainable transformation of agrifood systems.

We are looking for several student assistants who can assist us in one or more of the following activities:

- Research assistance, literature search and write-ups
- Data preparation, analysis, and visualization
- Preparing, (co-)writing, editing, and formatting policy briefs or other publications for research dissemination
- Support with the organization of (online) events and conferences
- General administrative support

**Requirements**

- Level of studies: Master Student, preferably in agriculture, food security, economics, development, communication, or related disciplines
- Excellent speaking and writing skills in English are compulsory (German & French an advantage)
- Working knowledge of Microsoft Office
- One or more of the following skills:
  - Experience in conducting literature reviews, writing, and editing
  - Experience in working with different datasets and data analysis software
  - Experience in events management and support
- Experience (study/work) or interest in Africa and/or agrifood systems transformation is of advantage
- Ability to work independently, proactively, efficiently, and detail-oriented.

ZEF / the Rheinische Friedrich-Wilhelms-University of Bonn is an equal-opportunity employer and welcomes applications from female candidates and minorities.

Interested candidates should submit a letter of interest (incl. indicating the preferred number of working hours per week and preferred start date), their CV, and academic transcripts via email and as one PDF document (less than 5 MB) to kglatzel@uni-bonn.de subject line: **WHF application – AFS-TRP**. Only short-listed candidates will be contacted.