Konservasi Indonesia is a national foundation established to support sustainable development in the country. We are the main partner of Conservation International in Indonesia. For more information, please visit: www.konservasi-id.org

We envision a healthy and prosperous Indonesia where biodiversity is valued and preserved. With offices and project sites across Indonesia, we promote a sustainable landscape-seascape approach and establish partnerships with multiple stakeholders across sectors and jurisdictions to deliver lasting impacts for people and nature in Indonesia.

As we are constantly expanding, we are currently hiring to fill the following position for our office in Kupang:

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**Lesser Sunda Conservation Officer**

(Code: LSC-O)

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Konservasi Indonesia (KI) is actively working in Lesser Sunda to develop locally managed marine area (in Sumba) and species conservation (Whaleshark in Teluk Saleh). To support the Kementerian Kelautan dan Perikanan to expand the Marine Protected Areas in Indonesia, also known as its 30x45 (30% of Indonesian water protected under Marine Protected Areas by 2045), KI will work together with Provincial Dinas Kelautan dan Perikanan to establish a network of Marine Protected Areas in Lesser Sunda.

Lesser Sunda Conservation Officer will play a dynamic and important role in supporting both national and provincial government's program focusing on the development of MPA in Lesser Sunda. The successful candidate will be outgoing, a self-starter and have a high cultural sensitivity. This will involve implementation with several KI projects in NTB and NTT, working with communities, private sector, and government (village and regency). This position will report to the Sunda Banda Conservation Coordinator with regular communication to Sunda Banda Ecoregion Director and other relevant manager.

**KEY RESPONSIBILITIES**

- Promote and support the establishment of MPAs in Lesser Sunda to community, provincial and regency government.
- Working with communities, including women's groups, village, and religious leaders in Lesser Sunda MPAs to understand management of MPAs, and promote patrol and monitoring in community level.
- Providing regular progress updates of Lesser Sunda MPAs with regular communications to Sunda Banda program team.
- Providing education to increase awareness among fisheries, leaders, community, private sector and government on MPAs management.
- Supporting entire Sunda Banda program team to achieve project deliverables.
- Ensuring that all programmatic activities related to administrative works comply with KI’s policies and procedures.
- Maintain close communication with all Sunda Banda team program.
- Provide regular progress updates to the communications team.

**ADDITIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES**

- Collecting, inputting, and updating monitoring and patrolling related activities data.
- Perform duties as assigned by supervisor.

**QUALIFICATIONS**

- Strong interest and dedication to conservation especially on MPA establishment.
- Undergraduate degree in conservation, biology, marine, fisheries, or another related field.
- Strong computer skills, including literacy in Microsoft office suite.
- At least 2 years-experience in NGOs or conservation related field.
• Hold a diving license (preferably dive master level).
• Strong written and spoken Bahasa Indonesia and spoken local native.
• Strong communication skills with other cultures as well as Indonesian government officials, communities, and private sector partners
• Creative, takes initiative and able to work effectively in stressful situations to meet deadlines.
• Able to handle multiple duties and adapting to changing priorities.
• Able to travel extensively to remote or challenging locations, especially with short notice.
• Conversational English language skills.
• Experience working in Lesser Sunda is preferred.
• Respect for other cultures

WORKING CONDITIONS
• The successful candidate will be based in Kupang, NTT.
• Work is performed in a typical office environment which requires field trip to KI’s sites and other location if needed.
• Flexibility to work outside normal work hours to meet deadlines as needed.

Please send your current resume and cover letter (no more than 4 pages) to:
indonesia.hrd@konservasi-id.org

Please fill the “subject” column of the e-mail with this format:
< LSC-O > - < your name >

Closing date for the application is **Mar 29, 2024**
(Only short-listed candidates will be notified).