



## *Investigator (East and Central Africa)*

**The Wildlife Justice Commission (WJC) is an innovative, young, mission-driven organisation leveraging the rule of law and the power of intelligence and investigation**

Our mission is to disrupt and help dismantle organised transnational criminal networks trading in wildlife, timber and fish. We do this by collecting evidence and turning it into accountability

<b>Role title:</b>	<b>Investigator</b>
<b>Location:</b>	<b>East and Central Africa</b>
<b>Reports to:</b>	<b>Chief of Investigations</b>
<b>Salary:</b>	<b>Competitive for the non-profit sector</b>

### **Role description**

The work of the WJC's Investigations Team is integral to the mission of the organisation. The Investigator contributes to the organisational development by leading, participating in, conducting and/or overseeing wildlife crime related investigations, including the gathering and analysis of intelligence.

### **Responsibilities**

- Leads, participates in, conducts independently and/or oversees investigations and related work including the gathering and analysis of intelligence relating to wildlife crime.
- Conducts covert field investigations;
- Compiles and reviews evidence obtained in WJC investigations into WJC's case management system;
- Conducts legal research;
- Supports risk assessment procedures;
- Represents the interests of the WJC and helps manages the WJC's relationships with relevant stakeholders including partner law enforcement agencies;
- Identifies and maintains relationships with useful contacts;
- Provides additional operational and administrative support as necessary;
- Supports WJC investigations in East and Central Africa.

### **Key Outcomes**

- Clear and on-time delivered research findings on wildlife crime and the relevant legal frameworks crime and legislation;
- Active participation in WJC's investigations;
- Completes investigative reports;
- Active and on-time support with risk assessment procedures;
- Successfully set-up stakeholder meetings;
- Contributes to WJC investigations in East and Central Africa.





### Requirements

- Essential: A minimum of five years' experience of working within an investigative capacity in a law enforcement agency. Direct hands-on experience on conservation or wildlife trade issues, a plus;
- Computer literate and competent with databases;
- Proven experience in the application of advanced investigative techniques;
- Ability to think strategically;
- Ability to achieve results;
- Demonstrated personal drive and integrity;
- Ability to communicate effectively;
- Fluency in written and spoken English. Additional language skills are an advantage.

### We offer you

- A consultancy contract for a period of 12 months, with possible extension for an additional 12 months;
- An opportunity to work within a fast-growing and well-regarded organisation as part of a multicultural and experienced team;
- An opportunity to travel;
- A chance to proactively contribute to counter wildlife crime globally.

### Looking To Make A Difference for Wildlife?

Please e-mail your CV and motivation letter in English by email only to [careers@wildlifejustice.org](mailto:careers@wildlifejustice.org). No other documents will be accepted at this stage. Should you have any questions about this position, please email us at this address.

Please indicate Investigator (East and Central Africa) on the email subject line.

**Deadline to submit applications: 30 September 2019, 18h00 CEST**

*Please note that only short-listed candidates will be contacted.*

