



## Passionate about promoting early reading in innovative and collaborative ways?

Saide wishes to appoint a **Southern Africa Coordinator** for its **African Storybook initiative** to mobilise and support government and NGO partners, teachers, teacher educators and librarians to contribute to and use the openly licensed African Storybook website and storybooks with children.

The incumbent will

- take responsibility for developing and implementing projects and agreements with key partners in Southern Africa
- manage and develop African Storybook communication and social media
- contribute to the sourcing, development and/or translation of storybooks in Southern African languages
- contribute to strategic planning.

Key skills and attributes

- Partnership development and networking ability
- Excellent English communication and report writing skills
- Proficiency in one or more indigenous languages of Southern Africa
- Strong work ethic, professionalism, and attention to detail.

Additional requirements

- South African citizenship or permission to work in South Africa
- A relevant Honours or Masters qualification
- Willingness to travel in the region.

Remuneration will be commensurate with skills and experience. This is a major time or full-time contract position until 31 December 2021 with the possibility of extension.

*A written one page motivation, CV and three work related referees with contact details should be sent via email, by **14 July 2019** to: e-mail: [vacancies@saide.org.za](mailto:vacancies@saide.org.za); [www.saide.org.za](http://www.saide.org.za)(comprehensive details on website)*