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The Special Investigating Unit (SIU) is an independent statutory body that was established by the President in terms of the Special Investigating Units and Special Tribunals Act no. 74 of 1996. The primary mandate of the SIU is to investigate allegations of corruption, malpractice and maladministration in government departments, municipalities and State Institutions, State Owned Entities, and to recover financial losses suffered by State institutions.

CORPORATE WRITER CONTRACT – 1 YEAR GAUTENG, Head Office (Ref No. SIU21/12/010C)

Salary R495 530.55 - R664 041.92 per annum

Main purpose: To provide written content in the form of articles and other creative content for SIU's digital platforms, internal and external publications to enhance reputation of the Unit.

Minimum qualification and experience: Bachelor's Degree or Diploma in English, journalism or creative writing. 5 years' experience in content writing.

Key performance areas (Include but not limited to): Interview sources to gain an in-depth understanding on subject matter. Write opinion and feature articles, and ensure publication in various platforms. Create content for SIU digital platforms. Create, edit and revise customer-facing materials, and in-house correspondence. Contribute articles to internal and external newsletter. Contribute to provincial newspapers on a weekly basis, on variety of topics emanating from investigations to enhance SIU. Assist with script-writing for multimedia content, and voiceover. Collaborate with other team members, including management, to ensure cohesive branding and public relations. Consult on public relations projects, creation of marketing materials and product user guides. Develop original content and revise previously published materials. Researching material by using the internet, personal interviews and other methods.

Applications for this post can be forwarded to contractdesk1@siu.org.za

Closing Date: 17 December 2021

PLEASE NOTE:

- The appointment of candidates will be at the Unit's sole discretion and the Unit reserves the right not to make an appointment.
- The SIU encourages electronic applications (email). Please seek the assistance to assist you in your application, should you not have access to electronic means.
- All applicants <u>must</u> complete the SIU Application form. Application Form can be downloaded from https://www.siu.org.za or visit SIU's file share on https://siushare.siu.org.za (Click on Enter as Guest).
- The SIU is an Anti-Corruption Investigating Unit and requires applicants to make a full and frank disclosure in their application form.
- Fraudulent qualifications or documentations will automatically disqualify candidates.
- All candidates will be subjected to integrity screening procedures and a favourable end report is essential.
- Other critical positions may be subjected to vetting procedures after appointments.
- Correspondence will be limited to shortlisted candidates only. Please be advised that applications received means that processing may take some time. Candidates who have not been contacted within three (3) months of the closing date should consider their applications unsuccessful.
- POPIA disclaimer: In line with Protection of Personal Information Act, 4 of 2013 by applying for
 this position it is accepted that you have consented to your personal information being used and
 kept for the purposes of processing your application. The SIU will ensure the protection and
 safeguarding of personal information and all information collected will not be shared with any third
 parties or be used for the purposes other than for the purpose it was intended.
- The SIU is committed to equality, employment equity and diversity. Preference will be given to
 persons from designated group in particular Africans and people with disabilities in line with the
 SIU Employment Equity Plan.
- The SIU will not pay for any relocation costs for successful incumbents appointed from outside Gauteng province.
- The salary offered will be in line with SIU approved salary scales, which may change subject to relevant approvals and annual increases.
- Late applications will not be considered after the closing date.