

INVESTMENT MANAGER, WORKING WITH INVESTMENTS IN DEVELOPING COUNTRIES – BASED IN COPENHAGEN

IFU is looking for two Investment Managers for our office in Copenhagen, who are motivated to work with commercial and sustainable investments that create impact in countries across Africa, Asia, Latin America, and parts of Europe.

IFU is Denmark's Development Finance Institution. We strive to be a best-in-class impact investor by making commercial private sector investments that support the green transition, as well as building just and inclusive societies in developing countries and emerging markets. IFU has a strong focus on creating sustainable and responsible businesses, which generate measurable social, economic and climate impacts as well as solid financial returns.

THE POSITION & YOUR TASKS

As Investment Manager, you will:

- become part of an engaged and experienced investment organisation with over 50 investment professionals covering all types of investments.
- primarily be a member of deal teams; analysing and executing new investment proposals, conducting due diligence, carrying out financial modelling, taking part in negotiating terms and drafting legal documentation, preparing, and following up on materials for the investment committee and board, etc.

The position is based in our headquarter on Fredericiagade 27, 1310 København K. Working from home may be allowed upon agreement.

THE TEAM

You will become part of the Investment department that consists of over 50 highly qualified and motivated Investment Professionals covering sectors like Financial Services, Sustainable Food Systems, Healthcare and Green Energy & Infrastructure. You would be expected to join either Financial Services or Sustainable Food Systems to begin with, and be able to rotate to the other sectors after a year or two.

In IFU we attach great importance to good teamwork and collaboration, maintaining a positive atmosphere and having fun together. We help each other out, share our knowledge, and – while each of us hold high standards and integrity to our work – we don't take ourselves too seriously and share a good laugh.

YOUR QUALIFICATIONS & EXPERIENCE

Key qualifications are 2-5 years of experience from M&A, corporate finance, private equity, impact investing, consulting, or other relevant experience. In addition, you:

- hold a master's degree with good academic results
- are detailed oriented with a structured working approach
- are an expert user of Microsoft Office and especially Excel, with an aptitude for financial modelling
- are fluent in English both in writing and spoken
- have strong interpersonal skills and business judgement
- are curious to broaden your understanding of the world and keen to travel

Don't meet all the requirements? If you fit most, but not all, apply anyway!

WORKING AND LEARNING AT IFU

Learning is an important element of working in IFU, and we will support your personal development through training, sparring and by ensuring that you get exciting and challenging tasks and new opportunities for growth. When joining IFU, you will take part in our extensive onboarding programme to get the best possible start in your new role.

As you build your career, you will be part of sourcing new investment opportunities and building an international network, preparing, and taking part in meetings with investment partners all over the world. We will support and guide your development within the investment process. As you grow within IFU, you will gradually take part in managing our portfolio companies, contributing to the active ownership and eventually represent IFU on portfolio company boards.

You will be mentored on the way and supported by an experienced Vice President, who will guide your professional development. IFU's learning culture provides the tools and organisation for individual development.

IFU offers a hybrid workplace with flexible working hours, allowing you to manage your own time effectively. We offer company pension and private healthcare. Delicious and healthy lunch is served in our own canteen every day, and on Fridays, IFU invites for a common breakfast. We offer a diverse and inclusive working environment with approximately 115 talented individuals from 18 different nationalities, who enjoy and foster our fun and collaborative atmosphere. More than 15 per cent of staff is located at our regional representations.

YOUR APPLICATION

If you can see yourself in this role and think the job sounds interesting, we would love to hear from you!

Please send your CV and motivated application to job4@ifu.dk as soon as possible, we will screen applications and conduct interviews on an ongoing basis. Application deadline is 25 April 2024.

We are looking forward to receiving your application!

FURTHER INFORMATION & CONTACT

If you have any questions, you are very welcome to contact SVP and Head of Sustainable Food Systems, Otto Vinther Christensen at ovc@ifu.dk or Hege Veiby Mortensen, HR Business Partner, at hvm@ifu.dk and we will revert to you. Please visit our website at www.ifu.dk for more information and the projects we are working on.

IFU – the Investment Fund for Developing Countries provides risk capital to companies operating in developing countries across Africa, Asia, Latin America and parts of Europe. Investments are made on commercial terms in the form of equity, loans and guarantees. IFU has co-invested in over 1,300 companies in more than 100 developing countries and emerging markets. Contracted investments total EUR 30.5 billion, of which IFU has contributed EUR 3.4 billion. Capital under management is EUR 2.1 billion. Read more at www.ifu.dk