

Job Vacancy

The ICRC is an independent, neutral organization ensuring humanitarian protection and assistance for victims of armed conflict and other situations of violence. It takes action in response to emergencies and at the same time promotes respect for international humanitarian law and its implementation in national law.

The **International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC)** is looking for a candidate to fill in the following position:

Legal and Political Adviser

Place of Employment: Tel Aviv
Contract duration: 12 months (extendable)
Occupation rate: 100%
Starting Date: January 2025

Main responsibilities

Under the supervision of the Operational Legal Coordinator and the Head of Delegation, the Legal and Political Adviser researches, analyses and advises the ICRC IL/OT delegation on political developments and changes in the overall environment and conflict and security dynamics. S/he identifies, maintains and broadens a network of contacts at the national level and facilitates the management's access to them. S/he advises the delegation and conducts related legal work on international humanitarian law (IHL), international human rights law (IHRL), Israeli law. S/he initiates, formulates and implements strategies to address identified issues and delegation objectives in the legal and political domain.

Education & professional experience

- University degree in law.
- Master's degree of specialization in a discipline of public international law, including IHL or IHRL.
- Excellent command of English and Hebrew.
- Excellent writing skills in both English and Hebrew, including legal drafting skills.
- Proficient computer literacy.
- Min 5 years relevant experience in similar fields of activities.
- Admitted to the Israeli bar.

Desired profile and skills:

- Capacity to work well with others, to demonstrate team spirit and to foster a conducive environment.
- Ability to create and maintain positive, professional working relationships with a wide range of people.
- Excellent analytical and planning skills.
- Ability to travel to the field regularly.
- Excellent communication skills.
- Experience working in a cross-cultural environment.
- Commitment to the Fundamental Principles of the Red Cross Movement.
- The ability to multi-task while concurrently manage multiple priorities.
- Flexible, creative, resourceful, and comfortable taking initiative.
- Strong sense of confidentiality.
- Familiarity with Israel's political system and ability to lead and engage with relevant authorities.

How to Apply

Interested applicants must submit an introduction letter and a resume, **in English, no later than 20th November 2024** to jer_recruitment_services@icrc.org indicating in the subject line: ***Legal and Political Adviser 2_Application_Your name***

Relevant applications will be treated, and only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.

"The ICRC values diversity and is committed to create an inclusive working environment. We welcome applications from all qualified candidates."
