

Consultancy opportunity: editing and improving draft reports from application of the Feed Assessment tool (FEAST)

Background

The Feed Assessment Tool (FEAST) is a participatory method to support systematic selection of livestock feed interventions at community level. FEAST has been applied in over a dozen countries and around 80 [FEAST reports](#) are currently in the public domain on the CGIAR digital repository CGSpace. However, many FEAST reports have been developed but need improvement before putting them in the public domain. We seek a consultant with an understanding of livestock feed science in the tropics, to gather such reports and edit them to a common standard suitable for publication on CGSpace.

Activities

1. Liaise with various FEAST users (including the 1400 people who have downloaded the FEAST app) to develop an inventory of FEAST reports that await publication
2. Prioritize list and work with authors to:
 - a. Improve language
 - b. Standardize graphics
 - c. Correct obvious data issues
3. Liaise with CGSpace curators to publish FEAST reports
4. Work with FEAST users to upload FEAST data to the FEAST data aggregator
5. Investigate new ways to curate FEAST reports e.g. clickable maps

Skills required

1. Background in livestock nutrition, preferably to PhD level but certainly to MSc level
2. An eye for detail
3. English language proficiency
4. Document formatting skills
5. Teamworking skills
6. Experience of working in the tropical context

Timescale

20 days over a 3-month duration

Duty Station

Negotiable but virtual working should be possible.

Next steps

Interested candidates should share a brief CV and covering letter outlining their interest and suitability for the role. Applications to Alan Duncan (a.duncan@cgiar.org)

Closing date for applications: 21 June 2019