# Marketing Communications Manager

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**Start Date:** A.S.A.P., 40 hrs p/w. (€ 40,000.- / € 45,000.- gross per year on full time basis) **Location:** Amsterdam, the Netherlands **Contract:** 1 year initially – extension by mutual consent

## Position summary and job purpose

Join GRI's Communications Team, where your role as Marketing Communications Manager is responsible for developing and implementing successful marketing and communication programs to drive revenue growth and support fundraising efforts. As a Communications Team member, you will also share the responsibility of building and protecting the GRI brand.

In close collaboration with your line manager, you will develop communication strategies and provide marketing counsel to various teams. You will develop communication strategies and provide marketing counsel to multiple teams developing, selling, and implementing services and other products to improve reporting and reporting skills. You will coordinate with the other experts in the Communications Team to develop messages and materials and will, when necessary, write and edit content, ensure consistency across all materials and be a guardian of the GRI brand.

You can self-direct your workload and ensure the smooth implementation of tasks/projects through excellent planning and organizing. You report to the Senior Strategic Communications Manager and work closely with the other members of the team and other GRI departments.

#### Job responsibilities

- Manages the development and implementation of all marketing and communication, including planning; messaging; delivery; reporting, and KPI analysis,
- tasks related to the Services, Training, and Community teams
- Coordinates the development and implementation of communication tools and activities based on agreed strategies in cooperation with colleagues of the communication team,
- Stays up to date on marketing and communication best practices, including consumer insights,
- Supports the line manager in the preparation and development of tasks/projects/concepts and budgets,
- Stays up to date on latest marketing and communication practices to create dynamic marketing and communication plans and materials,
- Connects with internal and external contacts to ensure smooth tasks/project/concepts implementation,
- Manages relations with external suppliers independently and from own initiative, within the boundaries set by the departmental budget and principles,
- Responsible to manage and safeguard the correct use GRI brand assets internally and externally (agencies / 3rd parties / designers etc.) and develops additional templates to support organizational needs,
- Other duties as requested.

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# Key competencies / Requirements

- Native speaker level fluency in written and spoken English, other languages are a plus
- Proven track record of successful marketing and communications achievement
- Proven work experience as a Marketing & Communications Manager
- Proven track record of project management and monitoring skills
- Ability to listen, interact, communicate and explain ideas clearly
- Effective written communications skills
- Familiarity with sustainability issues and sustainable development agenda is a plus
- Customer orientated; Intercultural experience is key
- Able to work in an international and multi-cultural setting
- Affinity with the mission of GRI would be an advantage

## About GRI

GRI (Global Reporting Initiative) is the independent, international organization that helps organizations be transparent and take responsibility for their impacts so that together we can create a sustainable future. We do this through the creation of the global common language for organizations to report their sustainability impacts. This enables informed dialogue and decision making around those impacts.

GRI is the global standard setter for impact reporting, which through an independent, multistakeholder process, maintains the world's most comprehensive set of sustainability reporting standards. Available as a free public good in 12 languages, the GRI Standards are, globally, the most widely used for sustainability reporting.

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Headquartered in Amsterdam, the Netherlands, we have a network of seven regional hubs ensuring we can support organizations and stakeholders worldwide.

#### How to apply

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Interested candidates, eligible to live and work in the Netherlands, are invited to submit their resume and letter of interest in English to <u>recruitment@globalreporting.org</u>. The deadline to submit an application is 12.00 noon (CET), **Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2021**. GRI appreciates all expressions of interest, however only short-listed applicants will be contacted.

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