



Established in December 1950, the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR) is mandated to lead and coordinate international action to protect and assist refugees and other persons of concern. For more than six decades, UNHCR has helped over 50 million of people restart their lives. UNHCR is now looking for:

Associate External Relations Officers world wide

The Associate External Relations Officer informs external partners regularly on all aspects of the protection and well-being of persons of concern and the status of UNHCR operations. External contacts are with a broad range of partners and stakeholders, including inter alia, government, media, embassies, donors, UN agencies, NGOs and other national and international organizations, as well as the general public on matters of importance to the organization. The incumbent represents UNHCR on behalf of senior management in fundraising and communication priorities in inter-agency initiatives and fora. Responsibilities also include implementation of communications strategies.

Required competencies:

- Empowering and building trust
- Analytical thinking
- Innovation and creativity
- Political awareness

Education and Work Experience:

- University Degree in Political or Social Sciences, International Relations, Journalism, Communications, or other related fields
- Minimum 2 years of previous relevant professional job experience
- Fluency in English with working knowledge of another UN language
- Highly developed drafting ability