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Employment opportunity to work on a fish farm on Lake Victoria, Kenya

We are looking for an enthusiastic and energetic person who is interested in working on a Tilapia cage fish farm on Lake Victoria, Kenya. The job is very much suitable for a person who is looking for an opportunity to get the first hands-on experience in the exciting field of tropical tilapia aquaculture. The appointment is initially for 6 months probationary period but can be extended or turned into a permanent employment if the candidate is suitable and interested. Successful candidates should show a high level of willingness, capability and flexibility to live and work under sometimes difficult and challenging conditions of rural/remote areas in Kenya. Also the capability, the willingness and the social competence to work and interact with the local community and the farm workers is absolutely essential. Basic knowledge in fish handling, fish farming or fisheries is an asset but not a must.

African Blue Limited is producing tilapia in cages in the Kenyan part of Lake Victoria. We are producing since 2015 and are currently on a production level of 150 tons p.a. In 2019 we want to expand the production to 500 tons p.a. Therefore we are looking for an enthusiastic and dedicated person to assist the current management in the day to day duties and, after an initial training, can supervise the daily operation when the current farm manager is absent.

The farm is located approximately 80 km west of the provincial capital Kisumu, and 20 km south of Bondo town in Siaya County, Western Kenya and can be reached in a two hours drive by car from Kisumu. African Blue is currently employing 10 local staff (mainly fisherman). All of them speak basic English. The manager is German.

Further information can be found at <https://www.facebook.com/AfricanBlue/> or www.african-blue.org. Interested people are encouraged to send their applications by email to info@african-blue.org. They should send their up to date CV - no longer than 3 pages, the names and contact details of three references, and also a covering letter of no more than one page explaining why they are best suited for this job -

Applications will be accepted up to 28 February 2019.

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