

Manon Cools



Profile

Extensive experience in the non-profit sector – 8 years in the disability sector. Advocacy and social mobilisation. Project and team management. Creative and self-taught, with an analytical, critical and strategic mindset, and a commitment to community work.

Key skills

Advocacy, public relations, representing the disability sector in the media, with policymakers and to the general public. Project management, reading and analysing public policy, excellent writing skills.

Experience

Esenca ASBL - Disability sector

Coordinator

- Advocacy, representation, mandates, sectoral issues
- Team coordination
- Involvement in the management of the non-profit organisation

2023–
present

Communications & Continuing Education Officer

- Management of communication tools
- Coordination of publications in the disability sector
- Mandates, advocacy, representation

2018–2023

RL In Hawaii – Independent

2017–2020

Communications sector

Brussels City Local Employment Agency

2016–2018

Development Officer

- Design, development and management of support projects for low-skilled jobseekers

ISPAT ASBL

2015–2016

Trainer

- Literacy and FLE (French as a Foreign Language)
- Design of course programmes, creation of teaching materials, work on citizenship

FeBISP – Brussels Federation of Organisations for Socio-Professional Integration and the Social Economy

2014–2015

Communications & Public Relations Officer

- Social mobilisation, management of communication tools, advocacy

Objectif Ô ASBL

Communications and Fundraising Officer

2011–2013

Development Education Officer

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Transport: Category B driving licence and sustainable transport options as soon as possible

French: Native language - English: basic spoken and written skills

Education: 2013–present: ongoing sector-specific training

2008–2011: Bachelor's degree in Applied Communication