LOGO reflecting vision and objectives of the firm

**Knowledge Consultancy Group (KCG)**

If I were in any case wiser than the others; it is because I know my ignorance, while others didn't

**KCG Consultancy Group (KCG)** is a leading development research consulting group registered in Sudan, Uganda, Ethiopia and South Sudan, more details about date of registration, Reg No., **KCG** offers the best research expertise in the region, with the right mix of competent professional staff. KCG was formed by a group of qualified consultants who were initially associate for different organizations (UN, World Bank, Regional Organizations IGAD and MENA, INNGOs,) and have vast experience in conducting development-oriented research in emergency, humanitarian, and post-emergency recovery situations in the Eastern Africa and MENA region. KCG also provides tailored-made practical solutions on institutional capacity development, and technical support to various development programmes.

**KCG** is headquartered in Khartoum, Addis Abbaba, Kampala city, Juba with branch offices in Khartoum, Addis Abbaba, Entebbe, Juba, Nairobi. Apart from permanent staff and full time and experienced professional associate consultants; through linkages and networks; **KCG** is able to tap into a wide range of experienced personnel to undertake a wide range of development research-based assignments; through professional linkage and mutual concerns with qualified competent think-tank centres in East Africa and MENA region.

At **KCG**, we recognize change and development as issues unanimously agreed about and got consent in today’s globalized and highly dynamic development environment. For individuals and institutions to be able to perform better; **KCG** believes that we must devise strategic and creative ways of managing that inevitable change and development.

**KCG professional staff** brings together over years of hands-on professional experience and expertise working with community groups, grassroots entities, national and international NGOs, and UN working in diverse environments in the region. This vast experience has shown that the traditional approaches in humanitarian, recovery and emergency, as employed by many local and international NGOs and governments to fund projects without any sound research evidence-base, often ends up being a straitjacket and restrained smooth riddance from vicious circle, and this is the main reason why numerous community groups and local NGOs fail in identifying the obstacles hindering the developmental goals.

**KCG** brings together a network of experienced professionals associate consultants with many years of hands-on experience in the field of development research and, organizational strategic planning and institutional capacity development which have been instrumental in supporting efficient and effective management and institutional development. **KCG** seeks to provide expertise, skills and techniques that will enable individuals and organizations to effectively respond to today’s development challenges.

**KGC** believes that that socioeconomic, environmental and cultural fabrics negatively impacted the livelihood and welfare of the locals in MENA and Horn of Africa, an issue that deserves attention from all developmental, humanitarian actors. The interventions packages must be tailored and adaptive to locals needs and aspirations. Community-driven approaches would definitely represent the community opinions and concerns, the on-turn-key basis solutions fail to address the real challenges facing African citizens; hence it deepened the state of poverty, vulnerability and exclusion. And this is one of the main reasons beyond the introduction of **KCG**; the implantation of friendlier sustainable indigenous and local initiatives.

**Area of expertise and actions**

* Assessment and survey services: Include feasibility studies for multi-sectors or disciplines in development works especially in the post-conflict and recovery areas, or emergency affected areas. Other areas of expertise in development research include: agricultural research and development; environmental protection and management; health, nutrition and WASH research; good governance, Mines actions, Community Security and Arms control, peacebuilding and conflict resolution, reintegration of ante combatants, returnees and resettlement studies, human rights and rule of law, gender women and children rights, capacity building and empowerment, workshops and conferences, meditation and arbitration...etc. (areas of actions will be bulleted with more details)
* Project reviews, evaluations and impact analysis:

Our approach to project review and evaluation is tied to a careful analysis of plans and objectives as well as the overall project schedule and the level of resources associated with the project. With that background we are able to perform a detailed analysis of status as linked to those plans, goals and delivery procedures and schedule. Our extensive project management experience as well as specific functional experience across a broad range of technology-based projects, provides the basis for an effective assessment. During impact analysis, we apply an integrated approach where we analyze both benefits and costs, and address all significant economic, social and environmental impacts of the projects carried out.

Supportive supervision and monitoring of project implementation: Our teams of consultants are able to provide adequate and reliable project supervision and independent monitoring and evaluation of project activities. We also assist in the following:

* Provide technical assistance needed of the project to both the donors/funders and the implementing partners
* Develop necessary project strategies for implementation in different gap areas.
* Train the staff in all project cycle (prefeasibility, need assessment, planning, implementation, appraisal, M&E, reporting and documentation)
* Provide weekly, Monthly and annual projects progressive reports
* Provide Monthly base market survey report

**Why we are here**

* We believe that our team can make change.
* To close gap in areas where we believe that we are very close to, and very familiar with.
* As part of our responsibilities to diffuse and share knowledge and experience
* To alert and remind the governments and international communities to the key issues in challenging the region population, and to draw roadmap for the way out to enable poor, impoverished, vulnerable, IDPs and refugees realizing their developmental goals.
* To assist the private sector to invest in reach and achieve considerable returns
* To assist CBOs other grassroots pity organizations building their capacity in planning.
* To share lessons and experience with relevant firms in this business, and to team up with the for sake of our targeted groups.
* Enrich discussion and build momentum on developmental challenges.

**How we convey our message and gain client's satisfaction**

Through:

* Introducing sound proposals and techniques to put things in right track
* Professional competent consultant in different areas of programmes and projects
* Our partnering with qualified organizations on equal footing terms and clear objectives
* Our long time being in this industry
* Our strong relations with different donors, NGOs, UN, CBOs and Government
* Good familiarity and acquaintance with arena
* Our team that composed from different cultures and ethnicities and professional background
* Our communication with common languages spoken in the region (Arabic, English, French)

**Our philosophy**

We are meticulous, practical, creative and collaborative.

We listen and integrate our clients’ vast experience in finding practical solutions to their work challenges in a dynamic development world. Our focus is on clients’ needs for practical solutions. We have a core team of experts who offer technical knowledge, insights and expertise in overall development.   
We ensure quality control, value for money and better results for all our development research consultancy assignments. We conduct effective and robust research, evaluation and surveys using precise statistical analysis to provide clients with decisive and clear answers.

**Vision** (see the attached PDF doc.)

Quality class research emanates from reputable firm, to serve the citizens of region

**Mission**

To provide broad range of quality developmental research, training and capacity building packages, strategic planning services for the humanitarian actors for N/INGOs, UN agencies, private and cooperative sectors in MENA and Horn of Africa.

**Core values**

1. Integrity
2. Neutrality
3. Professionalism
4. Expect and accept and respect different ideas

**Our team on board (CV attached)**

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| **Name** | **Position** | **Area of expertise** | **Ref.** |
| 1. Nizar | Chairperson | Chairperson |  |
| 1. Yousif A Kuku | Team leader and contact person | Team leader |  |
| 1. Dr A Moniem Ali | CV will be in Arabic and English, not disclosed | Community security and peace building |  |
| 1. Dr Ali Abbas | CV will be in Arabic and English, not disclosed | Networking, advocacy and CBOs CB |  |
| 1. Mr Hamdi Abbas | CV will be in Arabic and English, not disclosed | MEAL |  |
| 1. Mr Moh El Mahdi | CV will be in Arabic and English, not disclosed | Nutrition |  |
| 1. Miss Nabaweia Harbi | CV will be in Arabic and English, not disclosed | WASH |  |
| 1. Miss Afra Ghurashi | CV will be in Arabic and English, not disclosed | FS |  |
| 1. Mr Adam Mukhtar | CV will be in Arabic and English, not disclosed | Recovery and economic restructuring |  |
| 1. Dr Ashmawi Sabir | CV will be in Arabic and English, not disclosed | Human rights |  |
| 1. Mr Awad Ahmed | CV will be in Arabic and English, not disclosed | Governance and rule of law a |  |
| 1. Dr. Adam Musa | CV will be in Arabic and English, not disclosed | DDR, RRR and resettlement |  |
| 1. Mr. Ismail Azrak. | CV will be in Arabic and English, not disclosed | Mines and UXOs |  |
| 1. Dr Mohmood Hussien | CV will be in Arabic and English, not disclosed | Extension and farms management |  |
| 1. Brig gen Moh Elmahdi (ret.) | CV will be in Arabic and English, not disclosed | Protection, child protection |  |
| 1. Nabaweyia |  | Gender, AIDS and HIV |  |
| 1. Afra |  | Fundraising and donors' relations |  |
|  |  | Fundraising, donors' relations and partnership |  |
|  |  | Counselling and staff welfare |  |
|  |  | Security and risk analysis |  |
|  |  | Cross-boarder issues (smuggling, human trafficking, drugs…etc.) |  |
|  |  | Livelihood and IGAs |  |
|  |  | Meeting and conferences services |  |

**Prepared and written research studies as per organization, thematic area, date (all were prepared, submitted, approved and funded)**

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2. Development and rehabilitation
3. Peace building and reconciliation
4. Food security and livelihood
5. Immigration, emigration, refugeeization and displacement
6. Good governance and rule of law
7. Gender, AIDS, HIV, women and children rights
8. Farms management and extension
9. Capacity building, advocacy and networking
10. Counselling and reintegration for ex-combatants and returnees
11. Cross borders issues trafficking, smuggling, drugs
12. Mines and UXOs
13. Nutrition
14. WASH
15. Protection
16. Livelihood and IGAs
17. Security and risk analysis
18. Training
19. Human rights
20. Public and private corporate co
21. Fundraising, donors' relations and partnership
22. learning Monitoring and evaluation accountability and learning
23. Programmes designing
24. Vocational training and apprenticeship
25. Analysis of policy issues
26. Strategic planning and management
27. Conference organization and arrangements

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| 1. Economic recovery, Development and rehabilitation |
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CV templates

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| Name |  |
| Date of birth |  |
| Academic qualification |  |
| Technical |  |
| BSc |  |
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| Membership in professional societies | 1  2  3  4  5  6  7 |
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