CALL FOR APPLICATIONS: CONSULTANCY

Radical anti-gender organizing against trans people in the UK

Application Deadline: 10 November 2020, 5:00 pm CET
Location: Home-based / Remote
Start Date: 15 November 2020
Contract Duration: 1.5 months
Language required: English

We encourage applications from trans, gender diverse and intersex people, Black, indigenous and Latinx people and people of color, D/deaf and disabled people, people from a migrant background, and sex workers.

Background
Trans people’s human rights are currently under attack from anti-gender movements. While conservative anti-gender movements have received substantive attention, radical movements have not. Radical anti-gender movements against trans people include, for example, so-called “feminist” and/or LGB individuals, organizations and networks. Currently, the UK has some of the most active radical anti-gender organizing against trans people. GATE is addressing the threat posed by those movements by producing and making available critical knowledge on their approaches, methodologies, actions and consequences.

Objectives
The main goal of this consultancy is to increase international awareness on current challenges posed by radical anti-gender movements to trans people’s human rights in the United Kingdom. Its objectives include:

- Mapping radical anti-gender movements in the UK.
- Identifying key radical anti-gender approaches to trans issues in the UK.
• Analyzing the real and potential impact of radical anti-gender organizing on trans people’s human rights in the UK.
• Identifying key entry points for international solidarity.

Scope of Work and Deliverables
The consultant will:

• Engage with GATE’s team on anti-gender organizing.
• Produce an expert and accessible paper on radical anti-gender organizing against trans people in the UK.

Requirements
• Background in journalism or similar skillset.
• Knowledge of the current situation in the UK with regard to radical anti-gender organizing against trans people.
• Full commitment to trans people’s human rights.
• Excellent research skills.
• Excellent written skills.

Selection process:
GATE will select the consultant based on proposals from interested applicants.

Submit the following to the email listed below with the suggested subject line by 5:00 pm CET on November 10, 2020:

Email: to: applications@gate.ngo

Subject line: Surname – UK Consultancy (e.g. Smith – UK Consultancy)

• A letter of interest, including expected fee.
• An example of previously published research.
• Curriculum Vitae.

About GATE
GATE is an international organization working on gender identity, gender expressions and sex characteristics. It was founded in 2009, and it is registered in New York (USA). GATE programmatic work is organized around four main areas: Depathologization, HIV, Movement Building and UN, with a cross-cutting emphasis on socio-economic justice.