

# Senior COMMUNICATIONS PROFESSIONAL



*R&A Strategic Communications is looking for an exceptional individual to join our Johannesburg-based team of communications professionals. We are looking for someone with views about the role of business in society; someone who's flexible, resilient and hard-working; someone who is willing to learn and to teach.*

## Link:

If you feel you are equal to this challenge, and meet our requirements, please upload your CV on the link below.

<https://withferva.typeform.com/to/McNlr3Gy>



## Our ideal candidate must be able to:

- Think strategically about our clients' communications needs and the challenges on which they are based.
- Develop a deep understanding of our clients' businesses to deliver internal and external communications activities that align with their overarching business strategies.
- Create and deliver high-quality communications material which demonstrates excellent writing skills, clarity of message and engagement with audiences. This includes interpreting and editing existing copy to turn it into creative and effective communications material.
- Understand how to engage with South Africa's business and other media with regards to creating media coverage for our clients.
- Absorb and distil large amounts of information into key learnings/arising issues for clients. Monitoring and evaluating media coverage is included in this.
- Relate well to and enjoy engaging with people.
- Prioritise and manage projects, suppliers and team members effectively.
- Adopt a supporting and a leading role as required.
- Work under pressure, deal with stressful/high-stake situations and respond to sensitive areas.
- Develop junior team members by providing useful guidance and feedback.

## Who we are

**A leading southern African communications consultancy niched in the natural resources sector – mainly mining:**

- A group of diverse, experienced and highly-competent communications professionals
- A team of thinkers, problem solvers, writers, communicators, designers, creatives and technologists
- Dedicated, passionate, professional, responsive, reliable, innovative, caring, provocative, and always guided by a strong ethical base
- Committed to the principles of black economic empowerment and gender balance in the workplace



## What we offer

- **Competitive remuneration, leave and other benefits**
- **A dynamic and stimulating working environment**
- **Mentorship from highly respected professionals**
- **The opportunity to learn, grow and specialise in an integrated approach to communications**
- **Centrally located in northern Johannesburg**

## Requirements

- Five years' or more of working experience in communications or similar
- Experience in mining advantageous, not mandatory
- Degree in Business Science, Journalism, Media Studies, Communication, or similar. Honours advantageous, not mandatory
- Drivers' licence
- Enthusiasm and a sense of humour

