

SAROC HEAD OF RESEARCH & PAKISTAN MANAGER– JOB DESCRIPTION

The Pakistan Head of Research & Pakistan Manager will undertake a specific research on Pakistan security questions, political & economic risk and contribute to the work of Saroc's ever expanding work in Pakistan under the direct supervision of Saroc's CEO.

The position holder will play an active part in assisting the Saroc leadership in political engagement in Pakistan as well the relevant stakeholders in the UK including the Pakistan High Commission, British government officials dealing with Pakistan. The head of research also includes a research component, writing regular publications under SAROC auspices but also outside SAROC to demonstrate the company's Pakistan expertise to make potential clients aware of the ongoing development of the business in Pakistan. Duties to advance Pakistan expertise within SAROC but also its clients include:

- managing an annual senior level lecture on Pakistan by a senior Pakistani government figure;
- managing a one-day research conference on Pakistan security;
- managing at least two seminars/roundtables on Pakistan security questions;
- writing at least three SAROC publications on Pakistan security questions: at least one on the link between the energy and water stability and its link to political & military situation in the region;
- helping to develop SAROC institutional contacts with Pakistani government and private sector, research institutions, and other entities.
- taking part in the ongoing research projects and have the availability to contribute to SAROC publications.

The ideal candidate should have:

- experience of work in a world class research institute or think tank within the UK that looks at Pakistan's key security questions
- significant experience of dealing with Pakistani and British government and security officials including development and economic side of security
- experience of working in both Pakistan & the UK; a third country experience shall also be invaluable given Saroc's work in Turkey and the Middle East
- A more than general understanding of Turkey and Middle East and its links to Pakistan
- The economic relations between Pakistan and the stability of the region