

Humanitarian Organization Employee



NAME

Josefina Lewinsky

ROLE AND EMPLOYER

Project coordinator for the Red Cross

COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE

Baltimore

CHARACTERISTICS

Disillusioned with politics: has a lot of connections with all parties; what is important to her is to gather enough money to run the organization and where the money come from is less important. She is pragmatic.

WORK ENVIRONMENT AND COLLEAGUES

Josefina has a very diversified job: she spends part of her time at her desk, coordinating teams and projects online, but she also spends a lot of time "on site", where she evaluates needs after catastrophes, coordinates partners on the spot and does all the sorts of tasks as needs. Her colleagues are like her: highly motivated, committed to their mission and are capable to help in case of emergency.

OPINION ON CLIMATE CHANGE

Climate change and the higher frequency of dangerous weather phenomena are the elements that she needs to take into consideration, but that's not central to her job. She believes in it because she sees effects on the ground and she has the same understanding of it as most interested people in the general public. She finds climate change is a good keyword to attract funding: governments are more willing to pay for climate-related catastrophes.