

Senior Technical Advisor, Climate

European Union/United Kingdom

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About the Organization

CLASP serves at the epicenter of collaborative, ambitious efforts to mitigate climate change and in the global movement for clean energy access, through appliance efficiency. Our mission is to improve the energy and environmental performance of the appliances & equipment we use every day, accelerating our transition to a more sustainable world. We work hand-in-hand with governments, experts, industry, consumers, donor organizations and others to propel policies and markets toward the highest quality, lowest resource-intensive appliances possible.

CLASP has worked in more than 100 countries since inception in 1999. CLASP has teams in Washington, DC, Europe, Africa, India, and Southeast Asia. We are [mission-driven](#) and committed to a culture of diversity, transparency, collaboration, and impactful work. See our [Team Page](#) to learn more about us.

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The Senior Technical Advisor will play a key role on the CLASP Europe program team by providing superior product market and technical analysis and advisory expertise in the development of policy recommendations for the European Commission. The Senior Technical Advisor will work collaboratively with CLASP's Climate team members in Europe, the United States, India, and Southeast Asia, as well as a wide network of regional and international partners and program stakeholders in Europe.

Key Responsibilities

- Provide technical and programmatic support to the Europe team in the design and execution of current and planned program activities including product market assessments, technical studies, and strategic plans.
- Provide market and technical analysis on specific products in Europe to support implementing measures to be considered and adopted by the European Commission
- Respond to inquiries and requests for assistance on specific products or topics from various stakeholders, including the European Commission, environmental advocacy organizations, implementing partners, etc.
- In collaboration with CLASP's Europe Lead produce and review contributions to the policy process on specific products in Europe to ensure that they meet the highest standards of analytical rigor and documentation while being grounded in pragmatic policy recommendations
- Represent CLASP as required at meetings, workshops, and conferences related to specific products, as needed and requested

The Ideal Candidate

- 7+years of experience in the design and management of energy-related projects and/or programs, with a strong preference for relevant experience in appliance energy efficiency policy, regulations, and technical analysis.
- Extensive practical experience and knowledge in the field of Life Cycle Analysis, resource efficiency, environmental or circular economy policy is highly preferred.
- Excellent analytical skills and demonstrated ability to conduct technical analysis and translate findings into policy recommendations. Experience with Excel and/or other analytical software is required.
- Outstanding communication skills in both written and spoken English and proven ability to convey technical content in a clear and concise manner.
- Strong interpersonal skills and an orientation toward working in a collaborative environment.
- Ability to maintain composure, flexibility, and a sense of humor under tight deadlines.

Location

This position is a part time consultancy and can be based in the EU or the UK. Occasional evening or weekend hours will be required. Travel to Brussels may be required occasionally once conditions are safe to do so.

To Apply

To be considered for a position, interested candidates should submit a resume and cover letter to info@clasp.ngo with the subject line “EU Senior Strategy & Program Advisor.” Priority consideration will be given to applications submitted by **August 13, 2021**. The position will remain open until filled.

CLASP is an equal opportunity employer. We celebrate diversity and are committed to creating an inclusive environment for all employees. Our goal is to be a diverse workforce that is representative, at all job levels, of the citizens we serve. CLASP complies with all federal, state and local employment law in the countries we operate and is committed to providing equal opportunity for all employees and applicants without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, sex, age, marital status, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, pregnancy, disability, political affiliation, personal appearance, family responsibilities, matriculation, genetic information, military or protected veteran status, credit information or any other characteristic protected under federal, state or local law. Each person is evaluated based on personal skill and merit. CLASP’s policy regarding equal employment opportunity applies to all aspects of employment, including recruitment, hiring, job assignments, promotions, working conditions, scheduling, benefits, wage and salary administration, disciplinary action, termination, and social, educational and recreational programs.