

Job Title: Features Editor

Location: Freetown, Sierra Leone (with some flexibility for fieldwork)

Contract: National freelance/consultancy

Engage Salone is looking for a talented **Features Editor** to lead the production of in-depth stories, special reports, and long-form journalism that amplify voices and spark dialogue on a range of national and social issues in Sierra Leone.

Key Responsibilities

- Commission, edit, and publish compelling features and special reports.
- Mentor and support reporters and freelance contributors.
- Identify exciting, underreported stories and shape editorial direction.
- Work with multimedia teams to deliver impactful cross-platform content.
- Ensure content meets the highest editorial and ethical standards.

Requirements

- Two to five years' editorial experience, with a strong background in features/long-form writing.
- Excellent writing, editing, and storytelling skills.
- Strong understanding of the Sierra Leonean context—politics, governance, social, arts, culture.
- Experience mentoring journalists and managing editorial workflows.
- Familiarity with digital publishing tools and multimedia storytelling.

If you are passionate about **telling engaging stories and shaping national conversations**, we want to hear from you. Send your CV, cover letter, and a set of good writing samples to **info@engagesalone.org** with the subject line *Features Editor Application*.