

JOB DESCRIPTION	
COMPANY:	A new Private Debit/Credit Investment Company registered in Mauritius
JOB TITLE:	INVESTMENT DIRECTOR – AFRICAN PRIVATE CREDIT FUND
GRADE BAND:	Director - VP
LOCATION:	Worldwide (REMOTE) If not already based in Nigeria, travel will be REQUIRED to Nigeria and/or Africa every 6 weeks.
REPORTS TO:	Chief Investment Officer
SUPERVISE:	Investment Associates
DEPARTMENT:	Investment Management
KEY RESPONSIBILITIES	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Originate and execute private credit investments across target regions. • Lead due diligence, financial modelling, credit structuring, and transaction negotiation. • Prepare robust Investment Committee (IC) materials, ensure alignment with credit risk assessments, and follow up on IC recommendations. • Monitor portfolio performance and support value creation in investee companies. • Collaborate with legal, ESG, compliance, and tax teams across the investment lifecycle. • Mentor junior team members and contribute to internal capability development. • Maintain deep market knowledge and strong local networks, particularly in North Africa. 	
COMPETENCIES, SKILLS & ABILITIES	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advanced financial modelling, valuation, and risk assessment skills. • Deep understanding of credit structuring, term sheets, and legal documentation. • Excellent communication and presentation abilities, including report writing and IC materials. • Strong negotiation and transaction management capabilities. • Ability to work independently and take ownership of deals in a dynamic, entrepreneurial setting 	
QUALIFICATION & EXPERIENCE	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bachelor's degree in finance, Economics, or Business (required); CFA, CAIA, MBA is a plus. • Minimum 10 years of experience in private credit, private equity, venture capital, mezzanine finance, or investment banking. • Strong track record in credit deal execution and portfolio management in African 	



markets, with a focus on North Africa.

- Advanced financial modelling and credit structuring skills
- Excellent communication and stakeholder engagement abilities
- Fluency in English required; French is a strong plus.
- Willingness to travel across regions and work from Nigeria periodically.
- Demonstrated experience and understanding of local market contexts in Africa, particularly regulatory, political, and operational considerations.

For consideration, please send resume (WORD format) and cover letter to elisa@es-africa.com. Please share within your network.