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We seek matching funds for an ELAW Fellowship for **Erick Kassongo**, a public interest attorney based in Kinshasa, Democratic Republic of the Congo, who is working with communities threatened by the proposed Inga 3 dam project on the Congo River. As proposed, Inga 3 will not improve access to electricity for most communities in the DRC.

“We organize information seminars and training workshops for local communities, to inform them about their rights, with an aim to formulate better public policies,” says Erick. “Our goal is to reduce poverty and increase development opportunities through proposals that come from the people.”

Erick works closely with the Conseil National des ONG de Développement de la République Démocratique du Congo, the largest national network of DRC NGOs, with representatives in all DRC regions.

Can you help?

If you are interested in supporting a two-week Fellowship in Eugene for Erick, please contact:

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