General Position Information

Job Title: 30740 / 30741 - Foreign Engagement Officer - GS-15

Salary Range: $99,172 - $166,500 (not applicable for detailees)

Vacancy Open Period: 12/17/2019 – 01/14/2021

Position Type: Cadre, Detailee

Who May Apply: Internal ODNI Candidates and Detailees

Division: DDII/NIMC

Duty Location: McLean, VA

Security Clearance: TS/SCI with CI Polygraph

Travel Required: 0-25% Travel

Relocation Expenses: For new ODNI employees, reimbursement for relocation is discretionary based on availability of funds.

Job Interview Travel: Candidates from outside the Washington, D.C., area may be selected for a telephone, teleconference, or in-person interview. If selected for an in-person interview, any travel or lodging will be at the applicant’s personal expense.

Position Information
This vacancy announcement is open to fill multiple positions.

This is an opportunity for:

- An internal candidate to fill a GS-15 cadre position.
- A Federal Government employee to serve on a two-year reimbursable detail assignment in the ODNI. The detail assignment may be extended an additional year if all parties agree.

Who May Apply
Current GS employees at the same grade as or up to two grades lower than the advertised position grade may apply. Former members of the Peace Corps may be considered for ODNI employment only if five full years have elapsed since separation from the Peace Corps.

- For a cadre assignment:
  o Current ODNI permanent cadre.

- For a detailee assignment:
  o Current Federal Government employees. (Current GS employees at the same grade as or up to two grades lower than the advertised position grade may apply.)
Salary Determination

- The ODNI uses a rank-in-person system in which rank is attached to the individual. A selected ODNI candidate or other Federal Government candidate will be assigned to the position at the employee's current GS grade and salary.
- A current Federal Government employee, selected for a detail, will be assigned to the position at his or her current grade and salary.

Component Mission
The Office of the Director of National Intelligence (ODNI) Deputy Director of Mission Integration (MI) serves as the Director of National Intelligence's (DNI) senior leader for intelligence integration across the IC enterprise. MI is responsible for ensuring customer outcomes by leading advances in collection and analysis that ensure the quality, timeliness, and utility of insights for the nation's decision-makers. Additionally, MI is responsible for increasing expertise and improving tradecraft at all levels through specialization, integration, and collaboration. MI is responsible for the strategic vision, direction, and planning to deliver a more integrated IC reflecting the collective wisdom of our collection and analytic components to advance, in support of the National Intelligence Managers, the Unifying Intelligence Strategies (UIS).

Major Duties and Responsibilities (MDRs)
- Assist in staffing Office of the Director of National Intelligence (ODNI) participation in coordinated foreign intelligence relationship activities, primarily in concert with National Intelligence Managers. Work closely with other NIMC and ODNI staff to provide support for DNI and PDDNI foreign travel and visits with interlocutors.
- Contribute to cultivating and maintaining productive working relationships with peers and partners across the ODNI and IC. Promote increased trust and collaboration among ODNI directorates and components with respect to staffing processes for DNI and PDDNI foreign visits and travel.
- Assist in NIMC implementation of strategic assessments of the effectiveness and potential of key foreign intelligence partnerships. Demonstrate commitment to following best practices for how FPG should collaborate with the regional NIMs to advance foreign engagement strategies.
- Participate in staffing the NIMC program to support ODNI engagement with overseas DNI Representatives to facilitate understanding of their role and to ensure ODNI benefits from their expertise and counsel on critical foreign issues.
- Assist in organizing working groups, meetings, boards, and other forums to exchange information, develop recommendations, resolve issues, and implement specific policies regarding foreign partnership and engagement issues.
- Lead, plan, promote and share foreign partnerships-related information and knowledge within ODNI, across the IC, and with other government agencies, and in doing so, effectively recognize, value, build, and leverage diverse and collaborative networks within these organizations.

Mandatory and Educational Requirements
- Experience with and knowledge of the IC, intelligence policy, intelligence operations, and foreign affairs situational awareness.
- Demonstrated interpersonal, organizational, and problem-solving skills, including demonstrated ability to work effectively both independently and in a team or collaborative environment.
- Demonstrated ability to communicate complex information clearly and concisely to diverse audiences.

Desired Requirements
- Experience supporting foreign intelligence relationship development activities and efforts, especially in the East Asia, Europe, or Eurasia regions.
- Experience working directly with foreign liaison partners.
• Demonstrated experience supporting senior IC or DoD leader foreign engagement activities and efforts.

Key Requirements and How To Apply

Internal ODNI Cadre Candidates:

A complete application package must include:

a. **RESUME:** Applicants are encouraged to carefully review the vacancy announcement, particularly the MDRs, and construct their resume to highlight their most significant experience and qualifications relevant to this job opportunity.

b. **PERFORMANCE EVALUATIONS:** Applicants are required to provide their two most recent performance evaluations. A justification is required in the cover letter if the applicant is unable to provide the two most recent evaluations.

c. **COVER LETTER:** Applicants must submit a cover letter as a supplement to the resume to elaborate on their qualifications and previous work performed.

WHERE TO SUBMIT: **Internal ODNI Cadre Candidates must submit an application through the classified JobsDNI website.** For current employees who do not currently have access to internal systems, applications should be sent to either DNI_COO_TM_HR_OPS_TEAM_D_WMA@cia.ic.gov (classified email system) or Recruitment_TeamD@dni.gov (unclassified email system). Applicants experiencing technical issues should contact the HR POC for guidance. Applicants submitting via JWICS are requested to submit their materials to both kurtjen@dni.ic.gov (Jen K.) and aclaal@dni.ic.gov (Alex A.) in lieu of the group address above.

Current Federal Employees within the Intelligence Community (IC) Applying for a Detail Assignment:

Applicants from federal agencies within the Intelligence Community (IC) may be considered for this position as a reimbursable detaillee, if endorsed by the employing agency. Applicants must have current TS/SCI clearances with polygraph or have the ability to obtain one. The ODNI does not conduct polygraphs or provide security clearances for detaillees. **Applicants from within the IC must submit an application through the classified IC Joint Duty Program website.**

Applicants from federal agencies outside the IC Applying for a Detail Assignment:

A complete application package must include:

a. **RESUME:** Applicants are encouraged to carefully review the vacancy announcement, particularly the MDRs, and construct their resume to highlight their most significant experience and qualifications relevant to this job opportunity.

b. **PERFORMANCE EVALUATIONS:** Applicants are required to provide their two most recent performance evaluations. A justification is required in the cover letter if the applicant is unable to provide the two most recent evaluations.

c. **VACANCY NUMBER:** Reference the vacancy number in the subject line of the email and on each document submitted.

d. **SF-50 (if applicable):** Current or former Federal Government employees must provide an SF-50, “Notification of Personnel Action” to verify current federal status, position, title, grade, and organization of record.

WHERE TO SUBMIT: Applicants from federal agencies outside the IC should be sent to either DNI_COO_TM_HR_OPS TEAM D_WMA@cia.ic.gov (classified email system) or
Recruitment_TeamD@dni.gov (unclassified email system). Applicants submitting via JWICS are requested to submit their materials to both kurtjen@dni.ic.gov (Jen K.) and aclaale@dni.ic.gov (Alex A.) in lieu of the group address above.

All Applicants:

APPLICATION PACKAGES MUST CONTAIN ALL ITEMS LISTED ABOVE. AN INCOMPLETE APPLICATION PACKAGE WILL BE INELIGIBLE FOR CONSIDERATION.

Your application MUST be received by midnight on the closing date of this announcement. Applications received after the closing date will NOT be eligible for consideration.

All attachments should be in Microsoft Word or Adobe PDF format.

Applications submitted through the classified email system should NOT contain classified information above the TS//SI/TK//NOFORN level.

To verify receipt of your application package ONLY, you may call 703-275-3663.

What To Expect Next

The most highly qualified candidates will be referred to the hiring manager for further consideration and possible interview. We expect to make a selection within 30 days of the closing date of this announcement. Due to the large number of applications received, applicants will be contacted ONLY if they have been selected for an interview.

Agency Contact Information

ODNI Recruitment; Phone: 703-275-3663 ; Email: Recruitment_TeamD@dni.gov

Other Information

The ODNI is an equal opportunity employer and abides by applicable employment laws and regulations.

REASONABLE ACCOMMODATIONS FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES: The ODNI provides reasonable accommodations to otherwise qualified applicants with disabilities. IF YOU NEED A REASONABLE ACCOMMODATION for any part of the application and hiring process, please notify the Intelligence Community Equal Employment Opportunity and Diversity Office Representative by classified email at DNI_Reasonable_Accommodation_WMA@cia.ic.gov and DNI_Diversity_WMA@cia.ic.gov, by unclassified email at DNI_DRA@dni.gov, by telephone at 703-275-3799 or by FAX at 703-275-1217 . Your request for reasonable accommodation will be addressed on a case-by-case basis. PLEASE DO NOT SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION TO THE EEOD EMAIL ADDRESS. THIS EMAIL IS FOR REASONABLE ACCOMMODATION REQUESTS ONLY. PLEASE SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION VIA THE EMAIL ADDRESS PROVIDED IN THE ‘HOW TO APPLY’ SECTION ABOVE.