General Position Information

Job Title: Faculty Member, Emerging Technologies and Geostrategic Resources

Position Number: 31063

Position Grade: GS-14

Salary Range: $103,690 – $159,286 (not applicable for detailees)

Vacancy Open Period: 11/02/2021 – 11/17/2021

Position Type: Cadre, Detailee

Who May Apply: Internal and External Candidates, Detailees

Division: DNI/NIU

Duty Location: Bethesda, MD

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 is an opportunity for:

- An internal and external candidates to fill a GS-14 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 or up to one grade below may apply.

- For a cadre assignment:
  - Current ODNI permanent cadre.
  - Candidates outside the Federal Government.
Current Federal Government employees. (Current GS employees at the same grade or up to one grade below 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 detaillee assignment:
  - Current Federal Government employees. (Current GS employees at the same grade or up to one grade below 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.

- For a selected non-Federal Government candidate, salary will be established within the salary range listed above, based on education and experience.

**Component Mission:**

The National Intelligence University (NIU) is the Intelligence Community's sole accredited, federal degree-granting institution. NIU advances the intelligence profession through a holistic, integrative, contextual approach to education that promotes dynamic teaching, engaged learning, original research, academic outreach, analytical problem solving, rigorous research methods, collaborative processes, and lifelong learning.

**Major Duties and Responsibilities:**

Incumbent serves as a faculty member at the National Intelligence University, teaching courses in the Emerging Technologies and Geostrategic Resources (ETGR) concentration as well as core intelligence courses in the Oettinger School of Science and Technology Intelligence.

Teach courses in such areas as economics of technology, identity intelligence, advanced technology and weapons, critical infrastructure, strategic resources, and space-counterspace operations, as well as core intelligence courses in the S&TI School.

Perform research in his/her field of expertise, and will serve as a thesis advisor and reader.

Participation in relevant NIU and IC communities of interest as well as outreach to other IC, USG organizations and academia.

Demonstrate creative problem-solving skills and initiative in carrying out responsibilities;

Performs other duties as assigned.

**Mandatory Requirements:**

Demonstrated knowledge and experience relevant to one or more of the following: (a) financing, managing, or forecasting economic effects of scientific and technological innovations, OR (b) biometric, forensic, or other techniques and databases for establishing, verifying, or falsifying the identity of individuals, OR (c) strategic resources and supply chains, meteorology, hydrology, agronomy, or a related field.
Demonstrated experience in one or both of the following: (a) evaluating or preparing all-source analytical intelligence reports for senior US government or industry decision makers, OR (b) with teaching courses at the graduate or undergraduate level and directing student research projects.

Demonstrated experience preparing and delivering briefings to large and diverse internal and external audiences on complex or controversial topics and communicating them in an understandable manner that is appropriate for the audience, from students to senior level decision makers.

Master’s Degree related to the field

**Desired Requirements:**

Earned PhD from an accredited University in (a) natural science or engineering, computer sciences, mathematics and statistics, or a related area.

Demonstrated academic experience with teaching courses at the graduate level, conducting academic research and scholarship, writing and reviewing research papers, and academic course and program development, including creating and evaluating academic assessment data and standards.

Experience with Intelligence Community operations, collections, analysis, or applications, including military intelligence.

Knowledge of or experience with aspects of scientific research and development, engineering, test and evaluation.

Knowledge of or experience with space technology, space operations, or space infrastructure.

**Key Requirements and How to Apply**

*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-HR-HRM-TEAMB-Mailbox@cia.ic.gov (classified email system) or Recruitment_TeamB@dni.gov (unclassified email system).

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.

**External Candidates:**

Key Requirements:

- U.S. Citizenship.
- Successful completion of CI polygraph and background investigation.
- Successful completion of an ODNI medical screening.
- A two-year trial period is required for all new permanent appointments to the ODNI.
A complete application 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. **VACANCY NUMBER:** Reference the vacancy number in the subject line of the email and on each document submitted.

c. **SF-50:** 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.

d. **APPLICANTS CURRENTLY EMPLOYED BY A COMPETITIVE SERVICE AGENCY:** Must provide a written statement that they understand that, if selected for a position with ODNI, they are leaving the competitive service voluntarily to accept an appointment in the excepted service.

**WHERE TO SUBMIT:** External Candidates must submit an application through the www.intelligencecareers.gov. All attachments should be in Microsoft Word or Adobe PDF format.

**CURRENT FEDERAL EMPLOYEES APPLYING FOR A DETAIL ASSIGNMENT:**

Applicants from federal agencies **within** the Intelligence Community (IC) may be considered for this position as a reimbursable detailee, 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 detailees. **Applicants from within the IC must submit an application through the classified IC Joint Duty Program website.**

Applicants from federal agencies **outside** the IC must provide:

a. **WRITTEN ENDORSEMENT** from the employing agency concurring with the detail.

b. **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.

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

d. **CURRENT SF-50:** Federal Government employees must provide an SF-50, “Notification of Personnel Action” to verify current federal status, position, title, grade, and organization of record. Please disregard if you are not a Federal Government employee.

**WHERE TO SUBMIT:** Applications should be sent to either DNI-HR-HRM-TEAMB-Mailbox@cia.ic.gov (classified email system) or Recruitment_TeamB@dni.gov (unclassified email system).

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

To verify receipt of your application package ONLY, you may call 301-243-1318.

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: 301-243-1318; Email: Recruitment_TeamB@dni.gov

Other Information

The ODNI is an excepted service agency, therefore because this position is in the excepted service, it may not be filled by competitive appointment, and acceptance of the proposed appointment will take applicants in competitive service positions outside the competitive service while occupying the excepted service position.

The ODNI offers a broad array of benefits programs and family friendly flexibilities for ODNI cadre.

- Long-Term Care Insurance: http://www.ltcfeds.com
- Federal Employees Retirement SYSTEM (FERS) (new employees automatically covered): http://www.opm.gov/retire/index.asp If you are transferring from another agency and covered by the Civil Service Retirement System (CSRS), you may continue in that system.
- Flexible Spending Accounts for Health Care and Dependent Care: http://www.fsafeds.com/fsafeds/index.asp
- Paid Federal Holidays
Alternative Work Schedules

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

The Office of the Director of National Intelligence (ODNI) requires its employees to be fully vaccinated against COVID-19 pursuant to Executive Order 14043 of the President of the United States. As required, Federal employees must be fully vaccinated against COVID-19 regardless of the employee’s duty location or work arrangement (e.g., telework, etc), with exceptions only as required by law. If selected, you will be required to be vaccinated against COVID-19 and submit documentation of proof of vaccination by November 22, 2021 or before appointment or onboarding with ODNI, if after November 22, 2021. ODNI will provide additional information regarding what information or documentation will be needed and how you can request a legally required exception from this requirement. All employees requesting either a medical or religious exception, must follow the Guidelines from the Office of Personnel Management and/or Safer Federal Workforce Task Force.

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 703-275-3900 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.