Job Title: EE003 – Research and Development Program Manager - GS-14

Salary Range: $99,172 - $152,352

Vacancy Open Period: 12/06/2019 - 12/05/2020

Position Type: Cadre, Detalee

Who May Apply: Internal ODNI Candidates, Detalees

Division: EEOD/ODIR

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

*** OPEN UNTIL FILLED: This announcement will be open until the position is filled. Cut off points are scheduled in two-week increments. After each cut-off point, all compliant applications received during the previous two weeks will be reviewed for consideration.***

This is an opportunity for:

- An internal candidate 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 one grade 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:
  - Current ODNI permanent cadre. (Current GS employees at the same grade or one grade lower than the advertised position grade may apply.)
• For a detailee assignment:
  o Current Federal Government employees. (Current GS employees at the same grade or one grade 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 Intelligence Community Equal Employment Opportunity and Diversity (IC EEOD) reports directly to the Director of National Intelligence and is responsible for the overall strategic management of the IC’s efforts to build a more diverse and inclusive workforce. IC EEOD oversees compliance with federal laws, policies, procedures, and requirements relating to EEO. IC EEOD also develops initiatives, policies and programs, and provides guidance and consultation to diverse stakeholders. The Office of IC EEOD collects, analyzes and reports on workforce demographics and trends across multiple aspects of workforce diversity, including, but not limited to women, minorities, and persons with disabilities.

Major Duties and Responsibilities (MDRs)

• Develop and implement programs ensuring high-risk, high-payoff research, as well as technical and programmatic integrity, by: providing answers to the Heilmeier questions; establishing a sound process for selection of performers; demonstrating the quality and significance of research outputs; using robust independent assessments to evaluate programs; and fully documenting all results.

• Lead dynamic communications and outreach activities articulating program vision and plan to IC partners as it relates to EEO and Diversity.

• Develop and Implement all aspects of the EEO and Diversity study efforts to include project conceptualization, design and development, coordination, project assignment, funding procurement/allocation, management, analysis, publication and briefing.

• Lead the analysis and development of IC-wide EEO complaint statistics to produce reports for IC senior leadership with the status of EEO throughout the IC.

• Lead planning, developing, and presenting expert, authoritative written and oral briefings to senior-level customers on significant and complex EEO issues; explain programs and issues to non-expert customers and tailor programs, methods, and products to ensure alignment with customer needs.

• Ensure program management for all phases of a program, to include research, testing, integration, demonstration, and evaluation of the capabilities developed during the program.
• Develop background papers, presentations, and related program materials to senior leaders.

**Mandatory and Educational Requirements**

• Extensive technical knowledge in one or more technical disciplines relevant to the IC.

• Extensive knowledge of program management, analytic, and critical thinking skills, including a superior ability to conduct program assessments, identify needs and requirements, and develop recommendations for the successful implementation of EEO and Diversity programs.

• Demonstrated programmatic knowledge by an ability to articulate a program plan with clear and measurable milestones and metrics.

• Extensive knowledge of the IC, mission, objectives, policies, R&D needs, authorities; especially advanced R&D efforts related to human capital plans and organizational mission.

• Extensive knowledge of topics within the IC, other governmental agencies, and industry.

• Demonstrated ability to work effectively with cross-IC EEO and Diversity teams; build and sustain professional relationships and exert influence effectively at all levels within and across organizations; superior ability to lead cross-IC EEO and Diversity team initiatives and encourage information sharing.

• Demonstrated ability to lead research teams and working groups comprised of government and contract personnel.

• Demonstrated ability to establish regular contact with high-level internal and external resources and customers, supplying or seeking information on EEO programs and issues; superior use of tact when expressing ideas or opinions to senior leaders, customers, contractors, and other stakeholders.

• Demonstrated oral and written communication skills and demonstrated ability to conduct independent research, filter and synthesize data, and produce clear, logical, and concise products that meet the needs of diverse audiences with different perspectives and objectives.

• Demonstrated interpersonal skills; demonstrated by building and fostering relationships and networks within the IC.

• Advanced degree that requires knowledge and skills in conducting empirically-based research projects.

**Desired Requirements**

• One year experience equivalent to at least full performance proficiency level.

• Ph.D. or equivalent (Master's degree plus three years of progressively higher level graduate education leading to a Ph.D. degree or Ph.D. equivalent to a doctoral degree or equivalent) in technical field.

• TS/SCI clearance.
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_B_WMA@cia.ic.gov (classified email system) or Recruitment_TeamB@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 portifa@dni.ic.gov (Faith P.), majettm@dni.ic.gov (Maya M.), and gilesro@dni.ic.gov (Roderick G.) 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. **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. **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.

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

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

f. **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_TMX_HR_OPS_TEAM_B_WMA@cia.ic.gov (classified email system) or Recruitment_TeamB@dni.gov (unclassified email system). Applicants submitting via JWICS are requested to submit their materials to portifa@dni.ic.gov (Faith P.), majetmt@dni.ic.gov (Maya M.), and gilesro@dni.ic.gov (Roderick G.) 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 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 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.

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.