

Nuclear Engineer

SALARY RANGE: 73,100.00 - 153,200.00 USD per year

OPEN PERIOD: Monday, January 26, 2009

to Wednesday, September 30, 2009

SERIES & GRADE: NN-0840-03/04

POSITION INFORMATION: Full Time: Career or Career-Conditional This is a permanent position.

PROMOTION POTENTIAL: 04

DUTY LOCATIONS: 10 vacancies - Washington DC Metro Area, DC

WHO MAY BE CONSIDERED:

This position is open to current or former Federal employees eligible for transfer or reinstatement; veterans eligible for appointment under the Veterans' Employment Opportunities Act or other veterans' programs; and those eligible for non-competitive appointment under special hiring programs in the Washington DC Metro commuting area.

Relocation Expenses will not be paid.

You are encouraged to read the entire announcement before you submit your application package. Your application may not get full consideration if you do not follow the instructions as outlined.

JOB SUMMARY:

Where is this position located?

U.S. Department of Energy
National Nuclear Security Administration
Deputy Administrator for Naval Reactors (NA-30)
1240 Isaac Hull Avenue, SE
Washington Navy Yard
Washington, DC 20376

Naval Reactors Mission: Provide the Nation with safe, effective, and affordable nuclear power plants and ensure their continued safe and reliable operation through lifetime support, research and development, design, construction, specification, certification, testing, maintenance, and ultimate disposal.

Naval Reactors (NR) strives to be an organization that:

Employs the recognized experts in all matters pertaining to the application of nuclear power to naval propulsion.

Sets the standard in value-added engineering and management.

Is agile, creative, and responsive and proactively identifies and resolves issues.

Attracts, develops, and retains superior personnel who are dedicated to service and Naval Reactors CORE VALUES of Technical Excellence, Integrity, Focus on People, Formality and Discipline, Respect for Health and Environment, Value Consciousness, and Accountability.

Is supported by a modern, efficient, and effective industrial base and world-class facilities.

Is a source of technological innovation where Program capabilities and products have application in areas outside naval nuclear propulsion (such as domestic or space power/propulsion applications), and when assigned, carries out these non-naval missions.

NR invites you to learn how you can become a valued member of our team. You will have many challenges and rewards along the way. We need your highly focused skills to fulfill our mission.

PLEASE NOTE: This is an open continuous vacancy. Applications will be pulled and referred to the rating entity at the following cut-off dates: February 20, March 20, April 17, May 15, June 19, July 24, August 28. The final closing date of the announcement is September 30, 2009. Therefore, you should apply as soon as possible.

National Nuclear Security Administration
Demonstration Project

This position is covered by the National Nuclear Security Administration (NNSA) Demonstration Project. Effective March 16, 2008, NNSA began operating under a Pay Banding and Pay for Performance Demonstration Project in which positions are classified by career path, occupational series, and pay bands (rather than the traditional General Schedule grades in the Federal Service).

The NN-03 pay band is equivalent to the GS-12/13 grade level. This position has the full performance level of NN-04.

The NN-04 pay band is equivalent to the GS-14/15 grade level. This position is at the full performance level of NN-04.

NNSA's Demonstration Project allows us the flexibility to offer exceptional candidates higher salaries than most other Federal agencies. Additionally, employees are eligible to receive an annual pay increase based upon performance.

When a NNSA demonstration project employee is selected through competitive procedures to fill another demonstration project position that is at the same pay band as their current position or has no greater pay potential, they may be provided under specific circumstances with a pay increase of up to 5% upon reassignment.

When a NNSA demonstration project employee is selected through competitive procedures to fill another demonstration project position that is at a higher pay band than their current position, their pay generally will be increased by 8% unless a greater increase is necessary to set pay at the minimum rate of the normal range of the higher pay band.

When a Federal employee outside the demonstration project is selected through competitive procedures to fill a higher level position, their pay may be increased by 8% unless a greater increase is necessary to set pay at the minimum rate if the normal range of the pay band.

For more information on the NNSA Demonstration Project and Pay Band/Salary Tables, contact the specialist listed at the end of this vacancy announcement.

KEY REQUIREMENTS:

Must be a U.S. Citizen

Must obtain/maintain DOE 'Q' level security clearance/access authorization

Position is subject to DOE Drug-Free Federal Workplace Order 3792.3

Occasional travel is required.

FOR QUESTIONS ABOUT THIS JOB:

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