Notice of Vacancy

The Commissioner of Education invites applications from qualified candidates for the following:

Reference Number: DOE-017-22 Repost

Candidates who have previously applied do not need to reapply.

Title: Project Specialist (Data Analyst)  
(Three positions available)  
Range: X98/60005  
Salary: TBD  
Position Number: 915445, 920341, 923443  
Issue Date: July 22, 2022

Closing Date: August 5, 2022  
Core Hours of Operation: 7:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.  
Location: Trenton, New Jersey  
Division: Division of Administrative Services, Office of Strategic Operations

Description:
Under direction of a supervisor in the Office of Strategic Operations, performs education research by collecting, analyzing, and interpreting statistical data; develops educational programming by conducting analyses, surveys, needs assessments, and related research; establishes, maintains, and evaluates program and fiscal data related to the use of Federal funds including, but not limited to, the American Rescue Plan; performs other related assignments as required.

Core responsibilities include: the organization and transformation of information into comprehensible structures; the use of data to predict trends; the performance of statistical analysis of data; use of tools and techniques to visualize data in easy-to-understand formats, such as diagrams and graphs; preparation of reports and presentation to management or stakeholders; the ability to monitor data quality and the removal of corrupt data; communication with stakeholders to understand data content.

Requirements:
Education: Graduation from an accredited college or university with a Bachelor’s degree in Computer Science, Data Science, Management Information Systems, Business Administration or a related field.

Experience: (2) years of experience in business analytics, business intelligence or knowledge management.

Preferred Skills:  
Attention to detail when working with data to make accurate conclusions and predictions;  
Strong verbal and written communication skills to effectively share findings with stakeholders;  
A solid understanding of data sources, data organization, and storage;  
Experience with statistical programming;  
Experience creating data visualizations; and,  
Survey design

Open to the Following:  
In accordance with the New Jersey First Act P.L. 2011 c.70, effective September 1, 2011, new public employees are required to obtain New Jersey residency within one (1) year of employment.

Authorization to work: selected candidates must be authorized to work in the United States according to the Department of Homeland Security, United States Immigration and Customs Enforcement regulations.  
Note: The State of New Jersey does not provide sponsorships for work visas.
Forward a cover letter and resume electronically to:
resume3@doe.nj.gov (include the Reference # in the subject line)

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