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**NOTICE OF JOB VACANCY**  
**#24-115**

An opportunity currently exists in the classified service with the Department of Law and Public Safety, Division of Administration, for applicants who meet the requirements specified below:

**TITLE:** Information Technology Specialist  
**SALARY:** \$60,062.18 to \$85,033.04  
**LOCATION:** [Division of Administration](#)  
Information Technology Section  
124 Halsey Street Newark, NJ  
(*Statewide travel required for work responsibilities.*)

**NUMBER OF POSITIONS AVAILABLE:** One (1)

**DUTIES:** Under direct supervision in a state department, agency, data center, institution, or state college, assists in at least one of the following areas: the design and preparation of least complex operation routines and computer programs for electronic data processing equipment utilizing required and current software, operating systems, and multiprogramming technology; the control and/or implementation/maintenance of highly technical operating systems associated with new generations of computers to function toward optimum utilization of available hardware/software using comprehensive knowledge of the operating system function; the development, implementation, and maintenance of multi-network, multi-user Local Area Networks (LAN), Metropolitan Area Networks (MAN), and/or Wide Area Networks (WAN), maintenance of centralized, decentralized and remote network services, network security, data integrity, network performance monitoring, network problems resolution, and user support; does other related duties as required. Please see the Civil Service Commission (CSC) job specification for additional information at [info.csc.state.nj.us/jobspec/53262.htm](http://info.csc.state.nj.us/jobspec/53262.htm)

**REQUIREMENTS**

**EDUCATION:** Graduation from an accredited college or university with an Associate's degree in Computer Science or Computer/Information Technology.

**EXPERIENCE:** One (1) year of experience in at least one of the following areas: the design and preparation of programs for electronic data processing utilizing current operating systems, modification of systems software and multiprogramming technology; or the development, maintenance, or installation of application programs; or in performing technical support functions within a direct access device environment, or the development, implementation, and maintenance of multi-network, multi-user Local Area Networks (LAN), Metropolitan Area Networks (MAN), and/or Wide Area Networks (WAN) environment.

**NOTE:** Technical support functions include experience in resolution of online production and/or communications network problems, and/or code modification, testing, and debugging of program modules in an online environment, and/or space allocation and control of direct access storage devices (DASD management).

**NOTE:** A Bachelor's or Master's degree in Computer Science may be substituted for one (1) year of indicated experience.

**NOTE:** A general Bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university may be substituted for the Associate's degree.

**SPECIAL NOTE ON SUBSTITUTING EXPERIENCE FOR EDUCATION:**

Experience in the study of work methods/processes, analysis of varied types of data, design and preparation of systems/programs, operation of multiprogramming computer systems and work in the data processing support areas of input/output control or reliability support may be substituted for the required education on a year-for-year basis with thirty (30) semester hour credits being equal to one (1) year of experience.

**NOTE:** Evidence of formal training in Computer Science/Information Technology received at an accredited institution may be submitted with your application for evaluation by the Department of Personnel for possible credit. These training courses will be examined to see how they compare, both in hours/content, to college courses to which they equate, sixteen (16) training hours being equal to one (1) college credit. In house training courses will not be accepted as meeting this criterion; thus, they will not be evaluated.

**LICENSE:** Appointee will be required to possess a driver's license valid in New Jersey.

**SAME APPLICANTS:** If you are applying under the NJ CSC "SAME" program, your Schedule A or B letter must be submitted along with your resume and any other required supporting documents indicated on the announcement by the closing date indicated below. For more information on the SAME Program please email: [SAME@csc.nj.gov](mailto:SAME@csc.nj.gov), or call CSC at (609) 292-4144, option 3.

**RESUME NOTE:** Eligibility determinations will be based upon information presented in resume only. Applicants who possess foreign degrees (degrees earned outside of the U.S.) are required to provide an evaluation indicating the U.S. equivalency, with a course-by-course breakdown, prior to the closing date. Failure to do so will result in your ineligibility.

All offers of employment are conditional subject to the applicant agreeing to and then passing a background check that may include fingerprinting.

**HOW TO APPLY:** If qualified, please send a cover letter indicating interest in job vacancy announcement #24-115, copy of final, unofficial college transcripts (required of all applicants) and a current resume to the Recruitment Coordinator via email at [Jobs@njoag.gov](mailto:Jobs@njoag.gov) on or before the closing date of **April 1, 2024**.

The "New Jersey First Act," N.J.S.A. 52:14-7 (L. 2011, Chapter 70), requires new public employees to reside in the State of New Jersey within one (1) year of employment.

The Department of Law and Public Safety is an Equal Opportunity Employer and is committed to inclusive hiring and dedicated to diversity in our staff. We strongly encourage people from all groups and communities to apply.

