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MEMBER AND COMMITTEE VACANCY LISTING

Week of November 10, 2014

MEM-368-14

The House Committee on Science, Space and Technology Majority is seeking an experienced and proactive **Professional Staff Member** for its Research and Technology Subcommittee. Applicants should have relevant experience on Capitol Hill (preferably managing a Committee portfolio for a Member), in federal or state government, or the science and technology field. Qualified candidates should possess in-depth knowledge of federally-supported academic research and federal programs to support commercialization of new technology issues. The ideal candidate will have a graduate degree and experience in science and tech policy. Interested applicants should send a cover letter and resume to: house-science-openings@gmail.com. No telephone calls, faxes, or drop-ins.

MEM-366-14

Congressman Raúl Labrador (ID-01) is looking for a **Legislative Director** to lead a legislative team in implementing and advancing the Congressman's policy and strategic agenda. The successful applicant will have several years of legislative experience and will be responsible for monitoring floor activity, managing the legislative staff and maintaining strong relationships in the state. The ideal candidate will have outstanding writing and communication skills

and work well under pressure. Western states or Idaho ties are preferred but not required. Policy expertise in defense, healthcare and/or personal liberty/social issues are a plus. Email résumé, cover letter and two writing samples to ID01.Jobs@mail.house.gov.

MEM-357-14

The House Education and the Workforce Committee, Majority Staff, seeks a **Professional Staff Member** responsible for some K-12 education and human services issues. The ideal candidate will have relevant experience on Capitol Hill, in federal or state government, or the education field. This candidate will exhibit a record of generating and advancing legislative initiatives; a strong attention to detail; and strong writing, communication, interpersonal, and organizational skills. Candidates must be creative, capable of working under tight deadlines, and be able to work as part of a team. Interested applicants should send a cover letter, resume, and short writing samples to: edandworkresumes@mail.house.gov. No telephone calls please.

MEM-348-14

Ohio Democratic Member seeks a hardworking **Social Media Press Assistant** to join a busy, proactive team. Applicant must be able to multitask, and thrive while working long hours. Responsibilities include: developing, writing, and editing content for online platforms including Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn, YouTube and Instagram; website development & maintenance; and, other duties as assigned. Applicants must have experience directly managing social media accounts, and a proven record of maintaining a web presence by building, maintaining and engaging active web-based/social media audiences to meet outreach and impact goals.

Salary is commensurate with experience. Please send cover letter, resume, and two original writing samples to District11Resumes@mail.house.gov with "SOCIAL MEDIA PRESS ASSISTANT" in the subject line. No walk-ins or phone calls.

MEM-347-14

Ohio Democratic Member seeks a hardworking **Press Secretary** to join a busy and proactive team. Applicant must have previous speech writing experience; thrive at multitasking and working long hours; and, have sound political judgment.

Responsibilities include, but may not be limited to, speech writing, drafting news releases, talking points, and op-eds; responding to press inquiries in a timely and appropriate manner; early daily news clips; monitoring the news/social media platforms throughout the day; and supervising the development of website and social media content. Duties also include: booking interviews and pitching stories; developing relationships with reporters; organizing events; and developing and implementing media, communications, and public relations strategies. The successful applicant must be a team player, and will work closely with the Chief of Staff, Communications Director, and D.C./ District team.

This is not an entry-level position. Professional communications and on-the-record experience is required. Hill experience and familiarity with Ohio, especially Northeastern Ohio, is strongly preferred. Candidates should have knowledge of the legislative process, as well as the ability to identify local and national press opportunities. Salary is commensurate with experience. Please send cover letter, resume, and three original writing samples to District11Resumes@mail.house.gov with "PRESS SECRETARY" in the subject line. No walk-ins or phone calls.

MEM-346-14

New Jersey Democrat is seeking a highly motivated and organized **staff assistant** with excellent oral and written communication skills for the Washington, D.C. office. Responsibilities include managing front desk operations, answering telephones, greeting visitors, coordinating tours for visiting guests, processing flag requests, reviewing, sorting, and responding to incoming constituent correspondence, addressing constituent matters, and assisting the Member and legislative staff as needed. Additional duties include management of the website and social media activities, including official Facebook and Twitter accounts.

Please e-mail cover letter, resume and two brief writing samples to nj08jobs@gmail.com. Please no calls or drop-ins.

MEM-345-14

U.S. Rep. Lloyd Doggett (D) seeks **Senior Legislative Assistant.** House experience and Spanish a plus.

Send cover letter, resume and three work references to: Intern7DC.TX35@mail.house.gov

No walk-ins please.

MEM-340-14

Virginia Democrat seeks an energetic, self-motivated, and organized **Staff Assistant**. Applicants should demonstrate strong interpersonal skills, be comfortable with managing multiple tasks, and have experience working on deadline in a high pressure setting.

Duties include, but are not limited to: staffing the front office and greeting visitors, answering phones, coordinating and executing flag and tour requests, managing office intern program, assisting with mail processing -- reviewing, sorting and responding to constituent mail, tracking legislative issues, assisting with research, coordinating IT services, and helping with other projects as needed.

Applicants should have experience interacting with the public, as well as possess strong writing, communication, and organizational skills. Positive, team-oriented attitude required. Previous Capitol Hill or internship experience

preferred. Ties to Virginia and bilingual in Spanish a plus.

Please submit resume and cover letter to vacongressionalresumes@gmail.com.