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## MEMBER AND COMMITTEE VACANCY LISTING

Week of May 10, 2021

MEM-149-21 Democratic staff of the House Judiciary Committee seeks experienced, hardworking, and creative Communications Director to lead the press operation for both the Committee and Chairman Nadler's personal office.

Core responsibilities include serving as an on-the-record spokesperson; working with national and local media to highlight committee activities and advance the committee's agenda; writing press releases, op-eds, talking points, and briefing materials; booking and preparing the Chairman for interviews; engaging key stakeholders; organizing press conferences; and managing a team of digital and press staff.

This is a senior position in a fast-paced office that requires a strong work ethic and close attention to detail. Candidates must be proactive and have the vision to develop a long-term communications blueprint that advances key objectives. On-the-record experience, exceptional writing skills, sound political judgment, and the ability to work independently and collaboratively, are essential. An understanding of key policy areas, including constitutional, immigration, surveillance, and criminal justice issues is desired. The ideal candidate will have Congressional communications experience and NY ties. This is not an entry level position.

The Committee strives to ensure that our staff represents the diversity of the country's population; candidates from minority backgrounds are strongly

encouraged to apply. The Committee does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, sex (including marital or parental status, sexual orientation, and gender identity), disability, age, or national origin.

Qualified candidates should submit a resume, cover letter, and two writing samples to JDEM.Job@mail.house.gov.

#### MEM-148-21

Congresswoman Jahana Hayes (CT-05) seeks a **Caseworker** to join her team in Waterbury, CT. Ideal candidates will have prior knowledge of federal agencies; excellent written and verbal communication skills; strong organizational and time management skills; a positive attitude; and an ability to work under pressure and meet deadlines in an fast-paced work environment. Bilingual applicants are preferred.

#### Duties include:

- \*Acting as the representative for the Congresswoman within their area of responsibility including answering casework correspondence, meeting with constituents, verbal communications with constituents, and serving as a liaison with federal, district, and local agencies, persons or groups for effective relationships for the Congresswoman;
- \*Informing the Congresswoman and the District Director of all happenings in their assigned issue areas by screening district media sources and interacting with constituents:
- \*Handling casework assignments and assesses casework for problems requiring legislative action and makes recommendations to the District Director and Chief of Staff:
- \*Monitor scheduled district meetings for the Congresswoman with constituents;
- \*Logging incoming and outgoing mail and incoming telephone calls relating to casework;
- \*Preparing periodic reports for the Congresswoman and District Director on pending cases and district activities in his or her assigned issue areas;
- \*Continually screening active cases and acts as liaison with constituents to ensure that their cases are handled in a responsive manner;
- \*Maintaining up-to-date files on all cases and categories of information of importance to the office; and
- \*Performs other duties as assigned.

Women and minority candidates are strongly encouraged to apply. Interested parties should e-mail a concise cover letter including salary requirements and resume to <a href="mailto:CT05jobs@mail.house.gov">CT05jobs@mail.house.gov</a> with the following subject line: First Name Last Name - Caseworker. No phone calls or walk-ins, please.

MEM-146-21 The Democratic staff of the House Judiciary Committee seeks a **Staff Assistant**. Candidates should have excellent organizational skills and strong research, writing, and communication skills.

Responsibilities include overseeing Committee hearing and markup logistics -- which often include being physically present; serving as assistant clerk during markups; providing administrative and research support to the Chief of Staff and Staff Director/Chief Counsel; coordinating the Chief of Staff, Staff Director/Chief Counsel, and the Committee's calendars; co-managing the intern program; and managing Committee administrative needs.

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MEM-145-21 The Office of Congressman Chip Roy is seeking a Legislative Assistant in the DC office. Issue areas may include but are not limited to budget/spending, tax, energy, environment, transportation, and infrastructure.

Responsibilities include preparing briefing materials for meetings, advising the Congressman on all legislative areas within their portfolio, preparing vote recommendations, meeting with constituents and stakeholders on policy matters within their portfolio, and drafting legislation, memos, and letters.

2-5 years of years of Hill experience is preferred. Texas ties are a plus. Interested candidates should send resume, cover letter, and two references as a single PDF with the file name "LA.LastName.FirstName" to txgopofficejobs21@gmail.com.

**MEM-144-21** The Education and Labor Committee (Minority) seeks an experienced communications staffer to serve as **speechwriter**.

A successful applicant will be self-starting, reliable, organized, creative and professional with superb writing and grammar skills and attention to detail. The speechwriter is responsible for drafting hearing, markup, and floor remarks for senior committee members along with op-eds, blog posts, press releases, and speeches to stakeholder groups.

Assistance with other communication duties include, but are not limited to: media relations, social media, and engagement with member offices. Successful

candidate will have a minimum of 1 years of Capitol Hill or press experience with competitive compensation commensurate with experience. Email resume, cover letter, references and communications writing samples to <a href="mailto:cyrus.artz@mail.house.gov">cyrus.artz@mail.house.gov</a>.

**MEM-143-21 COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTOR** - Midwest conservative Republican seeks a motivated and experienced communications professional to lead development and execution of all official messaging.

#### **OUALIFICATIONS:**

- •minimum of 4-6 years of congressional experience;
- •strong writing, editing, and proofreading skills;
- •strong oral communication skills;
- •understanding of print and broadcast media; existing media relationships a plus.
- •thorough knowledge of legislative process;
- •knowledge of current issues and events in which the Member is involved;
- •ability to exercise discretion and independent judgment in the representation of the Member's positions on policy issues;
- •availability to work long hours;
- •ability to work collaboratively with district office.

#### **DUTIES:**

- •Responsibilities include writing press releases, media advisories, and newsletters, crafting content for social media channels, developing graphics and videos, assisting with media monitoring and pitching press, overseeing clips collection and distribution, and working with the Communications team to identify new ways to engage with press and digital audiences
- •acts as the formal spokesperson and media liaison for the Member;
- •develops and implements media and communications strategy for the Member;
- •remains abreast of current legislative and non-legislative issues about which the Member may be questioned;
- •evaluates current events and media reports in the district and the nation for their impact on the Member;
- •provides ideas and advice on the effect in the media of the Member's actions and legislative activities;
- •writes speeches for the Member; and
- •performs other duties as assigned.

Interested candidates should email an resume, cover letter and writing sample to: <a href="mailto:indianagopjobs@gmail.com">indianagopjobs@gmail.com</a>

**MEM-142-21 Constituent Liaison**: Senior Democratic Member of Congress seeks an energetic, organized, creative, self-starter to join the District Office of her very active and visible constituent services staff.

Constituent Services staff assists the Member in responding to constituent issues and problems with federal agencies, staying on top of everyday events in the Member's district, and keeping the community connected to the Member's work. In addition, constituent services staff also help with neighborhood events.

Candidate must be able to work with patience and skill in resolving the problems of constituents and handle multiple tasks and issues effectively while making sure agencies respond in a timely manner and assuring our office responds to constituent requests and concerns while meeting deadlines. A successful candidate will be able to work independently and think outside the box about various constituent issues and community events. Prior community or casework experience is helpful.

The ideal candidate will have significant experience interacting with the public, excellent writing and communication skills and a working knowledge or strong interest in the District of Columbia and its local government. Candidate must possess a bachelor's degree and be, or be willing to become, a resident of the District of Columbia.

Interested applicants should send a cover letter, resume, two writing samples and references to: dc00.nortonresume@mail.house.gov

This position is open until filled. Salary: based on skill and experience level.

**MEM-141-21 Legislative Assistant** – Senior Democrat is seeking a highly energetic, motivated and organized lawyer with strong interpersonal, legal and writing skills. The ideal candidate will be able to manage multiple tasks and work well under pressure.

The Legislative Assistant works with the Chief Counsel/Legislative Director and with the Chief of Staff to develop and implement the Member's legislative strategy in his/her issue areas; prepares materials for hearings; drafts legislation, amendments, and congressional record statements; and conducts research. The ability to write well under tight deadlines is essential.

Candidate must be able to handle multiple tasks and issues effectively while meeting deadlines. A successful candidate will be a results-oriented, problem solving lawyer and motivated self-starter who can think outside the box. Prior Hill, law firm or similar experience is preferred but not always required. Candidate must possess a law degree and be, or be willing to become, a resident of the District of Columbia. Salary based on skill and experience level.

Interested applicants should send a cover letter, resume, references and two writing samples to <a href="mailto:DC00.NortonResume@mail.house.gov">DC00.NortonResume@mail.house.gov</a>

**MEM-140-21** Rep. Peter Welch is hiring a **communications director** to manage a busy press shop. Successful candidates will be excellent writers, highly creative, skilled at

pitching Capitol Hill and local reporters, experienced with booking national news hits, highly organized, and able to prioritize and publicize Rep. Welch's strategic goals across social media platforms. A successful candidate will join a tight-knit team, so a collaborative mindset is essential and a sharp sense of humor is appreciated.

Rep. Welch is a busy Member, so you will be too. In addition to being a chief deputy whip, he is a Member of three very active, high profile committees: Energy and Commerce, Intelligence, and Oversight.

Capitol Hill relationships and Vermont ties are pluses. The office is an equal opportunity employer, and applications by members of underrepresented groups are strongly encouraged. Interested and qualified candidates should submit their resume, cover letter, and two writing samples to <a href="mailto:vermontcommsjob@gmail.com">vermontcommsjob@gmail.com</a>.

Bonus points if you know how to pronounce the Vermont towns of Charlotte, Calais and Vergennes.

MEM-139-21 Senior House Appropriator is seeking a Communications Director/Press Secretary for the Washington, D.C. office. Responsibilities include communications planning and press strategy for D.C. and the district; drafting press materials including: remarks, talking points, statements, op-eds, press releases, and media advisories; assisting with the management of the Congressman's social media accounts; interview preparation; and fielding media inquiries.

The ideal candidate is a strong writer, politically savvy, detail-oriented, flexible, creative, and a self-starter. Interested candidates should send a cover letter, resume, and two writing samples to <a href="mailto:GA02.Resume@mail.house.gov">GA02.Resume@mail.house.gov</a>.

# MEM-138-21 U.S. Member of Congress in New York seeking Constituent Services Liaison/District Representative

New York Democrat seeks Fast-paced, high profile New York City Congressional Member office seeks Constituent Services Liaison/District Representative to manage the Constituent Services activities. Responsibility including answering casework correspondence, meeting with constituents, verbal communications with constituents and serving as a liaison with federal, district, and local agencies and community organizations.

This is a permanent, full-time position. and mid-entry-level position in a fast-paced office that frequently requires non-traditional work hours, Fluency in other language other than English (Creole, Arabic, Russian) highly preferred. Qualified applicants should send a cover letter, and resume to <a href="ResumeNY@mail.house.gov">ResumeNY@mail.house.gov</a>

Ties to Brooklyn, a proven record, and a minimum of three years of related experience are required. This position is based in the local Brooklyn, NY office Please place Constituent Services/District Representative in the subject line.

NO WALK-INS OR PHONE CALLS.

## MEM-137-21 Office Manager/Executive Assistant

New York Democrat seeks an Operations Manager/Executive Assistant for their district office. Responsibilities include answers and screens telephone calls for Member and staff, takes and transmits messages; Maintains office answering machine or voice mail managing the Member's schedule, travel plans and related events in the district.

Duties also include managing the internship program and other office operations including office equipment and supplies, required reporting, and assisting with personnel tracking, as well as fielding requests of the Member with staff and the public. This is an entry-level position in a fast-paced office that frequently requires non-traditional work hours.

Qualified applicants should have prior professional office experience. The Operations Manager/Executive Assistant will report to the District Director. Ties to Brooklyn is a plus. This is a permanent, full-time position Fluency in other language other than English (Creole, Arabic, Russian) highly preferred.

Qualified applicants should send a cover letter, and resume to <a href="ResumeNY@mail.house.gov">ResumeNY@mail.house.gov</a>. Please place OFFICE MANAGER/EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT in the subject line.

NO WALK-INS OR PHONE CALLS.

## MEM-136-21 New York Democrat seeks a Director of Outreach and Community

**Engagement** for their district office. Responsibilities include building strategic relationships with community leaders and constituent groups, executing various outreach activities, and recruiting volunteers for events and outreach programs in the district.

Duties also include coordinating initiatives designed to promote the office and services to the community, managing an outreach and organizing plan for the team, and any other assigned duties. Candidates should possess excellent organization, leadership, teamwork, and management skills, as well as verbal and written communication skills.

The Director of Outreach and Community Engagement will report to the District Director. Ties to Brooklyn, a proven management record, and a minimum of three years of related experience are required. This position is based in the local

Brooklyn, NY office. This is a permanent, full-time position and a senior-level position in a fast-paced office that frequently requires non-traditional work hours.

Fluency in other language other than English (Creole, Arabic, Russian) highly preferred.

Qualified applicants should send a cover letter, and resume to ResumeNY@mail.house.gov.

Please place DIRECTOR OF OUTREACH AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT in the subject line.

NO WALK-INS OR PHONE CALLS.

**MEM-132-21** The Office of Congressman Tom McClintock (R-CA) seeks applications for a **Senior Advisor/Counsel** to handle the Judiciary portfolio with an emphasis on immigration in the Washington, D.C. office.

Responsibilities include advising the Member on all legislative areas within their portfolio, prepare and staff the Member in committee hearings and markups, draft and advance legislation, and represent the Member in meetings with constituents and stakeholders concerning policy matters in their portfolio.

Applicants should possess strong conservative credentials, effective writing and research skills, strong attention to detail, and the ability to manage multiple tasks at once. Previous Capitol Hill experience and JD preferred. To apply, please email resume and cover letter to <a href="mailto:gopwestcoastjobs@gmail.com">gopwestcoastjobs@gmail.com</a>

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MEM-127-21 House Committee on Energy and Commerce, Subcommittee on Oversight & Investigations is seeking a **counsel** or **professional staffer** to work on environment and energy oversight for the Committee's Majority staff. Experience with congressional oversight, investigations, or issues within the Committee's jurisdiction is a plus.

Responsibilities include staffing congressional hearings, conducting investigations, research, document review and analysis and writing and editing. Successful candidate will be detail oriented, possessing strong communication and writing skills. J.D. preferred but not required, as experience within the areas of the Committee's environment and energy jurisdiction may be equally relevant.

Salary commensurate with skills and experience. Please send resume, cover letter, writing sample, and at least two professional references to <a href="mailto:ecdjobs@mail.house.gov">ecdjobs@mail.house.gov</a>.

## MEM-122-21 District Director | Congresswoman Nanette Diaz Barragán (CA-44)

Location: San Pedro, CA – Los Angeles County

Salary Range: \$100,000 – 120,000

Congresswoman Nanette Diaz Barragán (CA-44) seeks a District Director to oversee all operations of the district office. The District Director will oversee management and operation of the District Office, serve as liaison to local organizations and elected officials, manage a team of 5-8 in the District including interns, and develop and implement long-term strategic plans, including but not limited to outreach, casework, and grants programs.

This position is responsible for recruiting, hiring, training, and managing district staff and ensures that district staff complies with office policies, practices, and procedures; represents the Member assigns appropriate staff to do so at events or functions through the district as needed and will serve as the primary liaison between the Congresswoman, constituents, and entities in the district.

The District Director will also be responsible for strategizing, developing, and implementing constituent outreach plans, managing casework, and managing their own fieldwork book of business. The District Director will also work with the office's scheduling team to implement an aggressive schedule of community events and outreach. Further, the District Director acts as an advisor for the Congresswoman on local issues and concerns, politics, and other developments throughout the district, the Los Angeles metropolitan area, Southern California, and the state.

Qualified candidates will demonstrate significant management experience (federal, state, or local government management experience are a plus), strong oral and written communications skills, strategic planning abilities, self-motivation, and outreach experience to local and state organizations. An ability to work collaboratively with district office staff as well as D.C.-based legislative and communications staff is required.

Excellent oral and written communication skills are critical to the success of the candidate, as well as knowledge of the local, county, and statewide processes. The ideal candidate is energetic, detail-oriented, able to multi-task, politically astute, and willing to work including evenings and weekends as needed in a fast-paced and results-oriented setting.

The position requires the ability to multi-task, work well under pressure and the flexibility to work long hours, including nights and weekends. Candidates from diverse backgrounds encouraged to apply. Spanish fluency and Los Angeles ties are a plus.

Candidates should send a cover letter, resume, appropriate writing samples, and three references with "CA44 District Director" in the subject line to CA44Resumes@mail.house.gov.

The office is an equal opportunity employer and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity and expression, national origin, disability, military status, age, marital status, or parental status.

**MEM-119-21** Financial Disclosure **Counsel** (Washington, DC) -- The Committee on Ethics seeks an attorney for the position of counsel in the Financial Disclosure office.

The Committee's financial disclosure counsel are responsible for reviewing financial statements and providing legal advice on a high volume of financial disclosure issues, education and training to Members of Congress and their staff through frequent telephone calls, in-person meetings, and written work product.

This is a non-partisan position which requires the ability to serve all Members of Congress equally and refrain from political or partisan activity. Candidates must possess outstanding analytical and written and oral communication skills, as well as the sound judgment necessary to evaluate the sensitive matters that arise before the Committee.

Experience in one or more of the following areas is desirable: government ethics, ethics counseling, accounting, auditing, investment management, taxation, corporate finance, and securities law. Salary commensurate with experience.

Please email resume, cover letter, and short writing sample to <a href="mailto:ethicsjobs@mail.house.gov">ethicsjobs@mail.house.gov</a>. Please include the phrase "FD Counsel" in the subject line.

MEM-118-21 Advice and Education Counsel (Washington, DC) -- The Committee on Ethics seeks an attorney for the position of counsel in the Office of Advice and Education. The Committee's Advice and Education counsels are responsible for providing a high volume of ethics advice, education, and training to Members of Congress and their staff through frequent telephone calls, in-person meetings, and written work product.

This is a non-partisan position which requires the ability to serve all Members of Congress equally and refrain from political or partisan activity. Candidates must possess outstanding analytical and written and oral communication skills, as well as the sound judgment necessary to evaluate the sensitive matters that arise before the Committee. Experience in one or more of the following areas is desirable: government ethics; ethics counseling and training; and criminal law. Salary commensurate with experience.

Please email resume, cover letter, and short writing sample to <a href="mailto:ethicsjobs@mail.house.gov">ethicsjobs@mail.house.gov</a>. Please include the phrase "A&E Counsel" in the subject line.

MEM-115-21 The District office of Congresswoman Linda Sánchez seeks an attentive, community focused, self-starter to serve as a **Caseworker** based in Norwalk, CA.

Summary: This position primarily entails constituent casework. Other responsibilities include answering phones, greeting constituents and visitors, writing correspondence, and assisting the District Office staff with additional tasks.

## **Position Description**

Caseworker: Casework responsibilities involve assisting constituents of the 38th Congressional District resolve problems with federal agencies or find the appropriate state or local contact for non-federal issues. The candidate should be persistent and detail-orientated, and put a priority on facilitating resolutions and expediting priority requests. Knowledge of federal and California state government agencies and experience in customer service will be highly regarded.

## Minimum Qualifications/Education Required

- \*Bachelor's Degree from an accredited four-year college or university.
- \*Thorough understanding or experience with government agencies (county, state, and federal), community and grassroots organizing.
- \*Strong written, communication, analytical, and organizational skills; an ability to relate well with individuals of diverse backgrounds; impeccable customer service manners; and superior public speaking skills.
- \*Skilled in Microsoft Word, Excel, Outlook, Publisher and Power Point.
- \*Able to work efficiently and effectively as a member of a team, be able to meet strict deadlines, balance multiple projects simultaneously, and work under pressure.
- \*Positive attitude, commitment to excellence, upbeat demeanor, flexibility, and sense of humor.
- \*Enjoy working with the public and constituents.

Salary will depend on the experience of the applicant. Employees will receive health care insurance, 401(k)-style retirement benefits, and other federal employee benefits.

#### To Apply

Interested applicants should submit a resume, cover letter, writing sample, and

references by email to: <u>CA38Jobs@mail.house.gov</u>. Please indicate the title of the position in the subject line.

The Office of the Honorable Linda Sánchez is an equal opportunity employer. All applicants will be considered without regard to race, color, national origin, religion, sex (including marital or parental status), military status, disability, or age. Pursuant to current appropriations law, to be employed by a House office in a paid position in the continental United States an individual must: (a) be a U.S. citizen; (b) be lawfully admitted for permanent residence and seeking citizenship as outlined in 8 U.S.C. § 1324b(a)(3)(B); (c) be admitted as a refugee under 8 U.S.C. § 1157 or granted asylum under 8 U.S.C. § 1158, and have filed a declaration of intention to become a lawful permanent resident and then a citizen when eligible; or

(d) owe allegiance to the U.S. (i.e., qualify as a non-citizen U.S. national under federal law). Employment is at-will.