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City of Los Angeles Personnel Department

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## PERSONNEL DIRECTOR

**Class Code: 1714**

**Open Date: 10-09-15**

**(Exam Open to Current City Employees)**

### **ANNUAL SALARY**

\$98,449 to \$143,946; \$109,578 to \$160,212; and \$118,285 to \$172,907

### **NOTES:**

1. Candidates from the eligible list are normally appointed to vacancies in the lower pay grade positions.
2. For information regarding reciprocity between City of Los Angeles departments and LADWP, go to: [http://per.lacity.org/Reciprocity\\_CityDepts\\_and\\_DWP.pdf](http://per.lacity.org/Reciprocity_CityDepts_and_DWP.pdf).
3. The current salary range is subject to change. You may confirm the starting salary with the hiring department before accepting a job offer.

### **DUTIES**

A Personnel Director directs, develops, implements, and manages a comprehensive human resources program including support programs, policies, procedures, and systems which ensure compliance with local state and federal laws; advises department management or the appointing authority on personnel and related matters, and manages the organizational unit responsible for personnel functions in a City department; applies sound supervisory principles and techniques in building and maintaining an effective work force; and fulfills equal employment opportunity responsibilities.

### **REQUIREMENT**

Two years of full-time paid professional personnel administrative experience as a Senior Personnel Analyst II or in a position at that level, in a centralized staff agency or operating department personnel office.

### **NOTES:**

1. Applicants who lack six months of the required experience may file for this examination. However, they cannot be appointed until the full experience requirement is met.
2. Some positions may require a valid California driver's license. Candidates may not be eligible for appointments to these positions if their record within the last 36 months reflects three or more moving violations and/or at-fault accidents, or a conviction of a major moving violation (such as DUI).
3. For qualifying work experience gained outside of the City of Los Angeles, the term "professional experience" applies to positions that require possession of a degree from an accredited four-year college or university in order to obtain that position. Therefore, to be considered "professional", non-City qualifying experience must be gained in positions after obtaining a four-year degree.

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## **WHERE TO APPLY**

Applications will only be accepted on-line. **When you are viewing the on-line job bulletin of your choice, simply scroll to the top of the page and select the “Apply” icon.** On-line job bulletins are also available at <http://agency.governmentjobs.com/lacity/default.cfm?promotionaljobs=1> for Promotional Examinations.

## **NOTE:**

Applicants are urged to apply early to ensure you have time to resolve any technical issues you may encounter.

## **APPLICATION DEADLINE**

Applications must be received by **THURSDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2015.**

## **SELECTION PROCESS**

**Examination Weights: Training and Experience Questionnaire .....100%**

The examination will consist of an evaluation of training and experience, wherein candidates will be evaluated on their knowledge, experience, professional background and personal qualifications and abilities. Emphasis will be placed on the following: Judgment and Decision Making, Job Knowledge, Customer Service, Flexibility, Resolves Conflict, Process Improvement, Leadership, and Strategic Planning.

Additional information can be obtained by going to <http://per.lacity.org/eeo/JobAnalyses.htm> and clicking on Competencies under Personnel Director.

Candidates will be notified later by e-mail of the time and location of the training and experience questionnaire which will be administered in a single half-day session on **SATURDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2015** in Los Angeles. Candidates may anticipate being scheduled to a test location where PCs (personal computers) will be made available to type their Training and Experience Questionnaire responses.

Training and Experience Questionnaires of all candidates will be submitted to an expert review panel for evaluation. The expert review panel will assign a numeric score to each candidate based on an assessment of each candidate's qualifications, as described on the candidate's Training and Experience Questionnaire. Unsolicited supplemental information will not be submitted to the review panel.

## **NOTES:**

1. This examination is based on a validation study.
2. Appointment to this position is subject to a one-year probationary period as provided by Section 1011 of the Los Angeles City Charter.
3. Candidates will accrue seniority credit at the rate of 0.10 of a point for each year of continuous service in those classes which provide qualifying experience for this position. A maximum of one point will be added to the score of those candidates.
4. As a covered entity under the Fair Employment and Housing Act and Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act, the City of Los Angeles does not discriminate on the basis of disability and upon request, will provide reasonable accommodations to ensure equal access to its programs, services, and activities. To request a disability accommodation, please complete the Disability Accommodation Form within 14 calendar days of the submittal of the City application. The Disability Accommodation Form can be obtained at [http://per.lacity.org/exams/verify\\_disability.pdf](http://per.lacity.org/exams/verify_disability.pdf).
5. Applications are accepted subject to review to ensure that minimum qualifications are met. Candidates may be disqualified at any time if it is determined that they do not possess the minimum qualifications.
6. You must have received a regular appointment to a City position or be on a reserve list to file on a promotional basis.
7. A final average score of 70% is required in order to be placed on the eligible list.
8. In accordance with Civil Service Rule, Sec. 4.24, review periods may be combined. Candidates in the examination process may file protests as provided in Sec. 4.20, 4.22 and 4.23 as applicable and within the required time frame; however, the Personnel Department may respond to and resolve protests prior to the establishment of the eligible list.

## **THIS EXAMINATION IS TO BE GIVEN ONLY ON AN INTERDEPARTMENTAL PROMOTIONAL BASIS**

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