



U.S. EMBASSY VACANCY

Economic/Commercial Assistant

The U.S. Embassy is currently accepting applications for the position of the Economic/Commercial Assistant. The Economic/Commercial Assistant will be expected to support the Section on a wide range of issues relating to trade and economic relations between the U.S. and Mauritius/Seychelles. Incumbent will need to research, analyze, and report on economic and commercial topics. Incumbent will need to understand and support the trade promotion programs of the U.S. Departments of State and Commerce. Qualified applicants must have a bachelor's degree in Economics, Business, or a closely related field. At least three years of progressive experience, preferable in international business, financial services, economic research, trade promotion, or related fields is required. Applicants must have a thorough knowledge of key economic issues in Mauritius and Seychelles, including foreign investment, government economic and trade policy, financial markets, science and technology, etc. The position requires experience working with statistics. Applicants must possess strong writing skills and be fluent in English and French. Applicants must be computer literate in the use of emails, Microsoft Office Suite and be able to learn new computer applications. Additionally, qualified applicants must be able to pass a background suitability screening. Interested candidates must send their applications with copies of CV and related credentials to the Human Resources Office, 4th floor, Rogers House, Port Louis to arrive no later than close of business March 4th, 2016.