



VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT: 2012-01

Political Specialist

The U.S. Embassy Koror is seeking to employ a **Political Specialist**.

The Political Specialist will serve full time as the Embassy analyst and interpreter of political and economic developments. The incumbent acts as the Chief Protocol Specialist and must cultivate contacts and confer directly with ROP government officials, and representatives of the community. In addition, the incumbent works directly with key U.S. military and government personnel in executing the requirements of the position. This position is crucial to the support of the U.S. Ambassador's program and the public diplomacy programs in the Embassy. Writing/reporting drafting skills and analytical skills are essential as well as the ability to multi-task in a vibrant and exciting foreign policy arena.

Candidates must have the following minimum qualifications: Bachelor's degree in fields such as political science, business management/administration, history, or social sciences. At least three years experience in similar work environment; Fluency of English and Palauan languages (reading/speaking/writing); Excellent knowledge of host country's media, political, economic and social structure as well as an understanding of Palau's culture and more. Must have excellent knowledge of public affairs, information programs, and media techniques.

A copy of the complete position description, as well as the required DS-174 U.S. government application form, is available on the U.S. Embassy website. Last day to submit an application is Wednesday, June 27, 2012. Salary will be commensurate with education and work experience.

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