

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY BROOKHAVEN SITE OFFICE IS HIRING

Operations Division Director



The U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) site office at Brookhaven National Laboratory (BNL) in Suffolk County (Upton, NY) is recruiting a qualified and experienced technical staff member for essential functions in managing research operations and growth for the Office of Science (SC) mission.

Basic Facts

- Details of expectations for the available position are described below.
- Use the USAJOBS links below to apply for the position as either General Engineer or Physical Scientist.
- You must select the “**Upton, NY**” location in your application.
- Your resume must demonstrate experience to support the position expectations.
- Qualified candidates applying at the GS-15 level will bescreened.

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DOE Physical Scientist:

<https://www.usajobs.gov/GetJob/ViewDetails/603078200>

Operations Division Director *Responsibilities*

- Exercises technical knowledge and resources to identify and understand Environment, Safety, and Health (ES&H), security risks and liabilities, to identify and direct appropriate controls, and to maintain awareness and inform risk acceptance authorities regarding such matters.
- Oversees implementation of operational systems and processes in support of major technical projects and programs. Provides oversight of complex projects and processes involving hazardous operations including but not limited to high pressure, high temperature, high voltage, biological agents, chemical toxins, and/or radiological hazards. Assesses risks of such activities as well as the protections for the worker and public to assure appropriate safeguards and protections are in place while allowing for achievement of the mission.
- Uses subordinate position to direct, coordinate, and oversee work performed by the division. Makes decision on work problems presented. Finds and implements ways to eliminate or reduce significant bottlenecks and barriers to production, promote team building, or improve office and division practices. Provides exceptional coordination and integration of important and complex project and program segments of professional, scientific, technical, managerial, and administrative work engaging predominantly GS-13, GS-14, and other staff.
- Advises on technical matters across a broad array of technical subject areas, provides sound engineering input and analyses when required, addresses complex problems unique to the circumstance requiring technical insights and contextual adjustment. Frequently interacts with researchers and engineers with unique qualifications, as well as regulators and community representatives relative to facilities, projects, and programs that are unique in nature and involved in advanced research and development.
- Supervises a staff of employees engaged in substantive professional engineering and scientific related efforts and oversight of cutting-edge science and technologies. Provides general planning of work to be accomplished by subordinates; makes general work assignments. Establishes overall priorities and directs division priorities, as appropriate. Performs related supervisory duties, as required.
- Reviews work products, as appropriate, to ensure reports are written in a manner that reflects site office management perspectives. Conducts employee performance appraisals and provide periodic feedback, mentoring, and providing guidance and opportunities for staff development. Assesses Division skills, develop and/or modify positions, recruit, and fill positions as appropriate.
- Actively participates in decisions affecting stewardship of the laboratory institution, including decisions around facilities, equipment, and personnel. Supports investment decisions through collection and use of appropriate operational data regarding technical needs, conditions, capabilities, and capacities.