

JUMPSTART YOUR CAREER

Employment Opportunities at the
International Atomic Energy Agency



The International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) in Vienna, Austria is the world's center for cooperation in the nuclear field, committed to promoting safe, secure, and peaceful uses of nuclear energy and technology.



As the United Nations' nuclear inspectorate, the IAEA verifies that safeguarded nuclear materials and activities are not used for military purposes. The IAEA also transfers peaceful nuclear technologies to developing countries, providing support to overcome challenges in a variety of areas including human health, energy, water resource management, food insecurity, and environmental degradation.

Working at the IAEA is a rewarding experience, providing opportunities for professional growth in an overseas assignment within an international organization that offers a dynamic, multicultural work environment. Knowledge of more than one official IAEA language (Arabic, Chinese, English, French, Russian, and Spanish) is advantageous.

While most staff work at the IAEA's headquarters (Vienna), the IAEA also maintains research laboratories in Monaco and Seibersdorf, Austria (located only about 35 km southeast of Vienna).

The IAEA is Interested in Candidates with Expertise in a Variety of Fields, Such as:

- ▶ Accounting/Finance
- ▶ Agriculture
- ▶ Computer Sciences
- ▶ Energy Economics
- ▶ Environmental Specialties
- ▶ Human Resource Management
- ▶ International Law
- ▶ Languages
- ▶ Information Technology
- ▶ Life, Physical, and Chemical Sciences
- ▶ Nuclear Energy
- ▶ Nuclear Engineering
- ▶ Nuclear Medicine
- ▶ Nuclear Security
- ▶ Nutrition
- ▶ Project Management
- ▶ Public Affairs
- ▶ Radiation Protection
- ▶ Radioactive Waste Management



Entry-Level Staff Positions

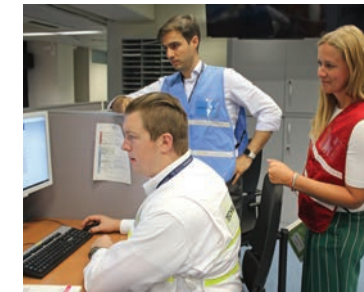
The IAEA Offers the Following Opportunities for Young Professionals:

- ▶ At the **P-1/P-2** junior level, staff members' principal goal is to gain expertise in IAEA programs and projects, moving in the course of apprenticeship to higher levels of responsibility. P-1/P-2 positions require a university degree and zero/two years of relevant experience, respectively.
- ▶ As a **P-3** professional, staff members launch and develop particular facets of the IAEA program to gain further professional experience. Depending on the vacancy, P-3 positions require either a university or graduate degree and five years of relevant experience.

Regular fixed-term appointments are typically for an initial three-year period, which can be extended up to a total of seven years. Other assignment types vary in duration. Candidates interested in applying for a professional position must complete and submit an online job application form directly to the IAEA through the Agency's website.

IAEA Programs at Argonne provides assistance to U.S. candidates interested in careers within the IAEA's non-Safeguards departments (Management, Technical Cooperation, Nuclear Energy, Nuclear Safety and Security, and Nuclear Sciences and Applications) and Offices Reporting to the Director General.

IAEA Programs at Argonne is committed to gender equity and increasing the professional representation of women at the Agency. Applications from qualified U.S. women and minorities are encouraged. If you are interested in applying, please contact us at IAEASTaffing@anl.gov and learn more about us at international.anl.gov/careers.



Junior Professional Officer (JPO) Program

The Junior Professional Officer (JPO) program offers young professionals an opportunity to temporarily join the IAEA's workforce in order to gain work experience in an international environment and learn specialized skills he/she can bring back to the United States.

JPOs work as part of a team and under the guidance of a senior professional in either a scientific, technical, or administrative field. The duration of the JPO assignment is one to two years. Eligibility is limited to individuals who are 32 years or below and hold a university degree (some positions may require an advanced degree).

IAEA Programs at Argonne National Laboratory recruits U.S. candidates to participate in the JPO program to work within IAEA's non-Safeguards departments (Management, Technical Cooperation, Nuclear Energy, Nuclear Safety and Security, and Nuclear Sciences and Applications) and Offices Reporting to the Director General. JPOs are selected based on the candidate's academic qualifications and on how their qualifications fit the designated IAEA departmental assignment.

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“Working at the IAEA in Monaco has been an invaluable experience for me...I have not only expanded my own knowledge of the impact of organic pollutants on marine life, but I have also learned how scientists, like myself, can assist the international community in their own monitoring programs.”

Sarah Choyke
Associate Analytical Chemist (JPO)
Marine Environmental Studies Laboratory
Department of Nuclear Sciences and Applications

“Working at the IAEA has been an incredible opportunity to enhance my own skills as a data analyst and broaden my understanding of the role of international organizations. As a former Peace Corps Volunteer in Benin, I am especially interested in how such organizations working at the highest level can support sustainable development at the ground level.”

Erik English
Associate Energy Data Analyst (JPO)
Planning and Economic Studies Section (PESS)
Energy-Economy-Environment (3E) Analysis Unit
Department of Nuclear Energy



Internship Program

The IAEA's Internship Programme accepts over 150 interns each year. Eligibility is limited to applicants who are at least 20 years old and have completed at least three years of full-time study at a university towards the completion of their first degree. Individuals may apply up to one year after the completion of their bachelor's, master's, or doctoral degree. Interns gain practical work experience in line with their studies and are exposed to the work of the IAEA and United Nations as a whole.

Benefits include:

- ▶ One-time allowance
- ▶ Monthly stipend to cover basic subsistence costs
- ▶ Roundtrip airfare to duty station (for non-local recruits)
- ▶ Medical insurance (if needed)

The IAEA posts all current internship opportunities on its website and all applications should be submitted online. More information is available at iaea.org/about/employment.

In addition to the IAEA's Internship Programme, IAEA Programs at Argonne National Laboratory sponsors approximately six interns each year in the IAEA's non-Safeguards departments (Management, Technical Cooperation, Nuclear Energy, Nuclear Safety and Security, and Nuclear Sciences and Applications) and Offices Reporting to the Director General for one-year terms.

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“ Working at the IAEA is an experience of a lifetime. I have been able to learn about project management from an international perspective and how it directly affects the success of a project on the ground level. ”

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*Conference, Network and Project Management Support Intern
Networks Management and Partnership Section
Department of Nuclear Safety and Security*

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