

Positions in TTC

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Director, National Cancer Institute, Technology Transfer Center - Apply via USAJOBS May 1 - 10, 2023.

TTC is seeking exceptional, dynamic candidates for the position of Director, Technology Transfer Center (TTC) of the National Cancer Institute (NCI), National Institutes of Health (NIH).

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Vacancy Announcement

NCI Technology Transfer Center Director

Supervisory Technology Transfer & Patent Specialist, GS-0601-15

DE: NCI-DE-23-11925042NIH-

<https://www.usajobs.gov/GetJob/ViewDetails/722112600>

MP: NIH-NCI-MP-23-11939555

<https://www.usajobs.gov/GetJob/ViewDetails/722113200>

The NCI is the principal cancer research agency of the federal government and for carrying out the National Cancer Program. TTC serves as the focal point for providing authoritative advice, guidance, and assistance on developing and managing intellectual property, registering and managing patents, negotiating terms of agreements for technology transfer, and managing and administering licenses and royalties. TTC is responsible for implementing federal technology transfer statutes for NCI, and for nine other NIH Institutes and Centers (ICs) supported through TTC's service center.

The Director for TTC leads a team of over 70 employees, fellows and contractors who provide the full range of technology transfer services to scientists at the NCI and other institutes supported through its service center. These services include negotiating Cooperative Research and Development Agreements (CRADAs), Clinical Trial Agreements, and other agreements for transfer of research material and data. In addition, TTC evaluates inventions, selectively seeks patent protection, and negotiates licenses to translate discoveries to products to improve public health. TTC proactively educates, analyzes, and markets patented technologies to potential partners to increase the likelihood that they will be brought to market. As such, the TTC Director oversees TTC staff as they lead specialized functions within TTC including the Technology Analysis and Marketing Unit, Communications, and Innovation Projects like the Invention Development Program, Intramural I-Corp program, and other specialized lab-to-market training initiatives.

NCI will be accepting applications via USAJOBS for the vacancy announcement

of “Supervisory Technology Transfer and Patent Specialist” from May 1- May 10, 2023. Please contact Susan Greenhouse at susan.greenhouse@nih.gov with questions, or for more information about this vacancy.

Technology Transfer and Patent Specialist

Details and application procedures will be available on USAJOBS:

- **Open & closing dates:** *TBD*
- **Service:** Competitive
- **Pay scale & grade:** GS 11 - 13
- **Salary:** \$72,750 to \$134,798 per year
- **Appointment type:** Permanent
- **Work schedule:** Full-Time
- **Locations:** Frederick, MD or Montgomery County, MD
- **Relocation expenses reimbursed:** No
- **Telework eligible:** Yes
- **Supervisory status:** No
- **Promotion Potential:** 13
- **Occasional travel:** You may be expected to travel for this position.

Responsibilities

- Originate and draft complex [Cooperative Research and Development Agreements](#) (CRADAs) to document the terms of joint research and development projects.
- Plan and negotiate CRADAs with profit and non-profit organizations.
- Independently monitor the processes for handling CRADAs and potential inventions arising from CRADA research.
- Advise on matters involving domestic and foreign patent rights, policies, and procedures.
- Participate in the development of new policies regarding the transfer of technologies.
- Prepare and deliver educational programs designed to train scientific and administrative staff about technology transfer issues.
- Contribute to analyses, interpretation, and evaluation of complex, or abstract information on licensing agreements.

Qualifications

EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS FOR GS- 11/12/13: Successful completion of a 4 year course of study in an accredited college or university leading to a Bachelor's degree or graduate/higher level degree with a major field of study in an academic field related to the medical field, health sciences, or allied sciences appropriate to the work of the position.

IN ADDITION TO THE EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS, YOU MUST ALSO MEET THE FOLLOWING:

For GS-11: You must demonstrate in your resume one (1) year of specialized experience equivalent to the GS-9 grade level in the Federal Government obtained in either the private or public sector, performing the following types of tasks: researching technology

transfer requirements and preparing reports of findings; responding to routine technical inquiries regarding technology transfer; reviewing technology transfer documents related to technology transfer agreements, patents, or inventions for completeness and compliance with basic requirements; and compiling information for briefing reports related to technology transfer licensing issues **OR** completed 3 years of progressively higher level graduate education leading to a Ph.D. or have a Ph.D. or equivalent doctoral degree in a related field **OR** have a combination of graduate education and experience.

For GS-12: You must demonstrate in your resume at least one (1) year of specialized experience equivalent to the GS-11 grade level in the Federal Government obtained in either the private or public sector performing the following types of tasks: responding to inquiries regarding the legal and regulatory requirements related to technology transfer agreements, patents, or inventions; reviewing technology transfer agreements such as Cooperative Research and Development Agreements (CRADAs), Licenses, Material Transfer Agreements (MTAs) or equivalent kinds of agreements for sufficiency regarding methods and techniques, justifications, and similar matters; reviewing reports of technology transfer agreements to determine adherence to performance measures; and participating in negotiating and executing technology transfer agreements for an organization.

For GS-13:

You must demonstrate in your resume at least one (1) year of specialized experience equivalent to the GS-12 grade level in the Federal Government obtained in either the private or public sector, performing the following types of tasks: planning, negotiating, drafting and executing a variety of technology transfer agreements, such as Cooperative Research and Development Agreements (CRADAs), Licenses, Material Transfer Agreements (MTAs) or equivalent kinds of agreements; resolving complex problems related to patents or technology transfer agreements; advising on matters involving domestic and foreign patent rights, policies and procedures; and developing royalty proposals based on analyses of the stage of development of technology, size of market, and availability of competing technologies.

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