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# EXAMINATION ANNOUNCEMENT



Office of Personnel Administration  
FSM National Government

It is the policy of the FSM Government that qualified FSM citizens is given first priority for employment consideration; with other Micronesian and U.S. citizens utilized in positions for which no qualified FSM citizens are available.

## **POSITION AND SALARY:**

Fisheries Observer Trainer/Debriefeer  
PL-32/1  
\$463.86 + \$40.00 Cola = (\$503.86 B/W)

This is the minimum rate at step one of the grade. Higher rates maybe authorized in cases of hard-to-fill positions where it is appropriate to the qualification of the appointee.

## **LOCATION:**

NORMA  
FSM National Government  
Kolonias, Pohnpei FM 96941

## **DUTIES (ILLUSTRATIVE ONLY):**

Oversee and manage the delivery of observer debriefing services for the National Observer Program in accordance with the PIRFO standards; provide training, supervision and assessments for all trainer debriefers; assist Fisheries Observers in assessing their performance and demonstrate how observers can improve all necessary at-sea data collection requirements; when required, be available to assist the National Observer Program including placement of observers, meetings with vessel captains and undertake observer trips on commercial or research vessels; ensure all work practices and training activities are delivered in line with relevant organization and statutory policies, including health and safety, employment and equality laws; oversee and manage the training of all fisheries observers for the National Observer Program; conduct full observer training and refresher training in collaboration with regional and sub regional organizations such as SPC, FFA, PNAO, and WCPFC; participate in other regional observer training in accordance with PIRFO standards; participate in fisheries research cruises in the FSM EEZ and on regional cruises.

## **QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS:**

Graduation from a recognized college or university with a degree in Fisheries or related field or certified from the Pacific Islands Regional Fisheries Observers (PIRFO) plus 2-3 years of working experience as an fisheries observer and Pacific Island administration is desirable.

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