



# VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

**U.S. Mission:** U.S. Embassy in Brussels

**Announcement Number:** Brussels-2019-50

**Position Title:** Security Monitor

**Opening Period:** March 8, 2019 – March 24, 2019

**Series/Grade:** LE-710/4  
FS-710/FP-AA

**Salary:** LE: EUR 2,449 gross/month  
FS: USD 25,871 gross/per annum. Actual FS salary determined by Washington, DC.

**For More Info:** JAS Human Resources Office, Tri-Missions, Brussels

**Who May Apply:** All Interested Applicants  
(In accordance with ALDAC 08 State 5302 Eligible Family Members are not eligible to apply for positions that are associated with Security Guard functions.)

**Security Clearance Required:** Local Security Certification or Public Trust

**Duration Appointment:** LE: Definite Not to Exceed 1 year. Becomes indefinite after successful completion of one year  
FS: Definite Not to Exceed 1 year. (PSA)

**Marketing Statement:** We encourage you to read and understand the [Eight \(8\) Qualities of Overseas Employees](https://careers.state.gov/wp-content/uploads/2018/02/Eight-Qualities-of-Overseas-Employees.pdf) before you apply: <https://careers.state.gov/wp-content/uploads/2018/02/Eight-Qualities-of-Overseas-Employees.pdf>

**Summary:** The U.S. Embassy in Brussels is seeking eligible and qualified applicants for several Security Monitor positions.

The work schedule for this position is: Full Time (LE: 38 hours per week, FS: 40 hours per week)

Start date: Candidate must be able to begin working within a reasonable period of time of receipt of agency authorization and/or clearances/certifications or their candidacy may end.

**Supervisory Position:** No

**Duties:** Responsible for observing and recognizing suspicious incidents directed against U.S. Government facilities, employees, family members, and residences. Makes verbal and written reports to supervisory personnel of potential security threats or risks. Initiates emergency responses to safeguard life and property.

**Qualifications and Evaluations**

**Education:** Completion of high school is required.

**Requirements:**

**EXPERIENCE:** A minimum of one (1) year of military, policy, or private experience in the field of security is required.

**JOB KNOWLEDGE:** Knowledge of surveillance techniques, familiarity with local pedestrian and vehicular traffic patterns and habits, awareness of cultural norms and customs is required. The position requires good working knowledge of Brussels' geography and general culture.

**Evaluations:**

**LANGUAGE:** Level 2 (working knowledge) Speaking/Reading/Writing of English is required. Level 3 (good working knowledge) Speaking/Reading/Writing of Dutch or French is required. (This may be tested.)

**SKILLS AND ABILITIES:** Must possess a valid basic driver's license. Must be skilled in the use of communications equipment, cameras, and basic information technology systems. Must provide detailed oral reports. Must work independently and adapt to a wide range of threat and environmental conditions. Must have good observation skills.

**Qualifications:** All applicants under consideration will be required to pass medical and security certifications.

**EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY (EEO):** The U.S. Mission provides equal opportunity and fair and equitable treatment in employment to all people without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, disability, political affiliation, marital status, or sexual orientation.

**Benefits:** Locally Employed Staff, including Members of Household (MOHs), working at the U.S. Mission in Brussels receive a compensation package that includes benefits such as hospitalization insurance, life insurance, and extra-legal pension.

For EFM's, benefits should be discussed with the Human Resources Office.

The pay plan is assigned at the same time of the conditional offer letter by the HR Office.

**Other information:**

HIRING PREFERENCE SELECTION PROCESS: Applicants in the following hiring preference categories are extended a hiring preference in the order listed below. Therefore, it is essential that these applicants accurately describe their status on the application. Failure to do so may result in a determination that the applicant is not eligible for a hiring preference.

HIRING PREFERENCE ORDER:

- (1) AEFM / USEFM who is a preference-eligible U.S. Veteran\*
- (2) AEFM / USEFM
- (3) FS on LWOP and CS with reemployment rights \*\*

\* IMPORTANT: Applicants who claim status as a preference-eligible U.S. Veteran must submit a copy of their most recent DD-214 (“Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty”), equivalent documentation, or certification. A “certification” is any written document from the armed forces that certifies the service member is expected to be discharged or released from active duty service in the armed forces under honorable conditions within 120 days after the certification is submitted by the applicant. The certification letter should be on letterhead of the appropriate military branch of the service and contain (1) the military service dates including the expected discharge or release date; and (2) the character of service. Acceptable documentation must be submitted in order for the preference to be given.

\*\* This level of preference applies to all Foreign Service employees on LWOP and CS with re-employment rights back to their agency or bureau.

For more information (i.e., what is an EFM, USEFM, AEFM, MOH, etc.) and for additional employment considerations, please visit the following link: <https://careers.state.gov/downloads/files/definitions-for-va>

**How to Apply:** All candidates must be able to obtain and hold a Local Security Certification or Public Trust clearance. Applicants must submit a Universal Application for Employment (DS-174) which is available on the Mission’s internet site.

To apply for this position, applicants should electronically submit the documents listed below.

To apply for this position click the “Apply Now” button at the Mission’s internet site:  
<https://be.usembassy.gov/embassy/jobs/>.

**Required Documents:** Please provide the required documentation listed below with your application:

- DS-174
- Copy of Orders/Assignment Notification (or equivalent)(for AEFM/USEFM)

- Residency and/or Work Permit (for non-EU citizen local residents)
- Driver's license B
- DD-214 - Member Copy 4, Letter from Veterans' Affairs, or other supporting documentation (if applicable)
- SF-50 (if applicable)

**What to Expect Next:** Applicants who are invited to take a language or skills test, or who are selected for an interview will be contacted via email.

For further information: the complete position description listing all of the duties, responsibilities, required qualifications, etc. may be obtained by contacting the Human Resources office.

Thank you for your application and your interest in working at the U.S. Mission in Brussels.