



US Army Corps  
of Engineers®  
Far East District

***PUBLIC NOTICE FOR POSITION BEING FILLED  
UNDER DIRECT HIRE AUTHORITY (DHA)  
FOR CERTAIN PERSONNEL OF THE DEPARTMENT  
OF DEFENSE (SECTION 1109)***

**Public Notice Number:** FED-ED-2022-011

**Open and Closing Dates:** 17 Aug 2022 through 31 Dec 2022

**Organization:** U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Far East District, Engineering Division

**Duty Location:** Camp Humphreys, South Korea

**Series/Grade:** GS-08XX-14

**Salary:** \$ 95,973 - \$ 124,764 per annum. See additional entitlements and allowances below.

**Position Title:** SUPERVISORY INTERDISCIPLINARY ENGINEER – 08XX

**Work Schedule; Appointment Type:** Full-time; Permanent. Multiple positions may be filled from this notice.

**Responsibilities/Duties:** Serves as a Chief, Geotechnical & Environmental Engineering Branch

- Serves as Chief of the Geotechnical and Environmental Engineering Branch, responsible for the technical and administrative supervision of electrical engineers. Responsible for the District's geotechnical, environmental, groundwater resource, geospatial data management programs. These programs directly support quality of life directives and the design, construction, operation, maintenance, and repair of buildings, pavements, airfields, earthwork, and various other structures and facilities on U.S. military installations in Korea.
- Ensures that effective management tools are applied and value-added solutions are reached to achieve program goals and objectives. The work is interdisciplinary and requires expertise in these specialties: foundation and civil engineering, soil and rock mechanics, geology, geophysics, seismology, materials science, surveying, computer technology, groundwater hydrology, investigation and remedial design for hazardous, toxic, and radiological waste (HTRW) sites, environmental chemistry, occupational safety and health, and industrial hygiene. Directs, coordinates, and supervises program execution and is responsible for overall technical sufficiency of products and services. Supervision is accomplished through subordinate supervisors, who are supported by technical staff comprised of civil engineers, geologists, environmental scientists, chemists, surveyors, and field and laboratory technicians. Projects are primarily accomplished using in-house resources, supplemented as needed by Indefinite Delivery/Indefinite Quantity (IDIQ) contracts with oversight by qualified Contracting Officer Representatives (CORs) within the Branch.
- Branch is organized under the following four Sections, performing primary Branch staff actions as detailed below: Geotechnical Section; Environmental Section; Geology and Hydrology Section; and Geomatics and Support Section. Assures through the subordinate supervisors that all Branch engineering products and services reflect current and accepted standards of the profession.
- Serves as advisor to the Chief, Engineering Division, and the District Engineer on issues and subject matter related to geotechnical and environmental engineering, groundwater resources, and geospatial data management. Represents the District and Chief of Engineering Division at meetings and conferences dealing with administrative, program, policy, or technical issues. Represents the District on technical committees. Participates in discussions, negotiations, policy development, problem solving, and decision making.
- Exercises delegated personnel management authority and through subordinate supervisors. Initiates personnel actions on recruitment, promotions, and disciplinary actions, and recommends classification changes. Establishes and updates job descriptions. Develops performance standards and assures the timely evaluation of performance. Recommends and/or approves awards. Solves management-employee problems and resolves complaints and grievances. Provides formal developmental training, inhouse seminars, and on-the-job training. Serves as mentor to subordinate supervisors and staff.

**Conditions of Employment:**

- U.S. Citizenship required.
- This position requires the employee to obtain and maintain a Secret clearance.
- **EMERGENCY ESSENTIAL STATEMENT:** This position is considered essential to support the Army's mobilization and wartime mission during periods of increasing tension or mobilization.
- This position requires license as a Professional Engineer at the time of appointment.
- Submit a Financial Disclosure Statement, OGE-450, upon entering the position and annually thereafter.

**Travel Requirement:** 20 % Temporary Duty Travel required

**Education Requirements:** Bachelor's degree (or higher degree) in engineering. This education must be reflected on your resume and transcript(s).

**Professional Registration or Licensure:** Current registration as a Professional Engineer (PE) by any State, the District of Columbia, Guam, or Puerto Rico required for GS-14 level.

**Relocation:** Permanent Change of Station (PCS) allowances may be authorized, subject to the provisions of the Joint Travel Regulations and an agency determination that a PCS move is in the Government Interest.

**Hiring Incentive:** Hiring incentives such as a recruitment/relocation incentive may be authorized (subject to available budget) if the selecting official determines the incentive is in the best interest of the government.

**Overseas Entitlements & Allowance Info:** <https://www.pof.usace.army.mil/Careers/Newcomers/Overseas-Entitlements-Allowance/>

**HOW TO APPLY:**

- Please provide your current resume, unofficial transcript(s), most recent SF50, and professional license (if applicable), in either PDF or Word form, via email to [FED-ED-Jobs@usace.army.mil](mailto:FED-ED-Jobs@usace.army.mil).
- **Please ensure your email has the following subject line: FED-ED-2022-011, Application.**
- Application packages will be accepted through 11:59pm CT on the closing date.

***Application packages submitted in unreadable formats, received after the closing date, or that do not contain resume and transcript(s), will not be considered.***