UNITED STATES COURTS SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF INDIANA

CAREER OPPORTUNITY

Systems Support Specialist

(Announcement INSP 21-02)

Location: Indianapolis, Indiana Position Type: Full Time Permanent

Opens: June 18, 2021 Closes: Open Until Filled

[Preference to those applying by July 9, 2021]

Salary: CPS CL 25 – 27 [\$43,105 - \$84,762]

(Starting salary based upon qualifications and experience. Promotion potential to CL 27 based on

needs of court unit and skill level of incumbent)

POSITION SUMMARY

The Systems Support Specialist is a member of the shared services information technology team that performs end user support. The incumbent provides support services in installing and configuring computer hardware and software programs and performs troubleshooting for hardware and software systems. The position reports to the Help Desk Supervisor.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

The Systems Support Specialist will provide day-to-day support and training to staff in hardware and software programs, VDI, Workspace One, PC's, mobile devices, printers, scanners, VOIP telephones and SharePoint. The incumbent will be responsible for help desk calls and e-mails, logging computer problems, and assisting with network access. Duties include, but are not limited to, the following: assist with creating user accounts; provide end-user training; install or assist in installation of upgrades or new or revised off-the-shelf/desktop releases; set up, configure, install, and document hardware and software; provide support for mobile computing devices and remote access; perform inventory control duties; provide cabling support; prepare and maintain documentation and standard operating procedures and checklists for end users and other IT staff; install programs for local needs and train personnel in their use; provide day-to-day systems backups and verify validity of data. Assist with managing and troubleshooting courtroom technology, including audio/visual hardware, software, and related components physically located in the courtrooms, conference rooms, and collaboration spaces. Evaluate, plan, and design courtroom and conference room audio/video equipment installations.

QUALIFICATIONS

Applicant must be a U.S. Citizen or eligible to work in the United States. For placement at CL-27, applicants must have a minimum of two years specialized experience including at least one year equivalent to work at CL25. Specialized experience is progressively responsible experience that is in, or closely related to, the work of the position, that has provided the particular knowledge, skills, and abilities to successfully perform the duties of the position. Experience should demonstrate excellent customer service and communication skills. Candidates must also be familiar with the latest available electronic technology and hardware and software programs, have a working knowledge of telephone and wireless systems, have knowledge of computer processes and capabilities, including a general understanding of case management systems, and be able to perform software and hardware maintenance and troubleshooting. Required qualifications include knowledge of maintenance and upgrades, and knowledge of PC's, Windows 10 programs installation. Preferred qualifications include experience with Microsoft Operating Systems and applications. Experience managing and configuring Apple devices including iPhones, iPads, and MacBooks. Experience managing thin clients. Applicants must have a high school diploma or equivalent, and preferably an associates degree in an information technology field. Knowledge or Certification in the following is a plus: Microsoft Certified

Professional; Microsoft Certified System Administrator; Microsoft Certified Systems Engineer, SharePoint, and Microsoft Office Applications.

PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS

Candidates must possess excellent communication and interpersonal skills, maturity and judgment. Attention to detail is critical. Being a team player and being flexible in a changing environment are essential characteristics. Applicant must be able to communicate effectively with all levels of end users.

BENEFITS AND HIRING POLICIES

The United States Courts offer benefits to full-time employees which include:

- 10 paid holidays per year
- 13-26 paid vacation days (dependent upon years of service)
- Health, dental, vision and life insurance options
- Long- term care insurance
- Flexible spending accounts for medical/dependent care
- Thrift savings (retirement) plan with employer matching
- Mass transportation subsidies
- Credit Union participation

The United States Courts are part of the Federal Judiciary. As such, most employees fall under the Court Personnel System (CPS) as opposed to the General Schedule (GS) for federal employees of the Executive Branch. Although comparable to civil service in salary, leave, and insurance benefits, employees of the U.S. Courts have **EXCEPTED** service appointments. They are at-will employees appointed by the Court Unit Executive, and can be terminated with or without cause by the Court. The incumbent selected for this vacancy will receive on-the-job training.

The Probation Office reserves the right to modify the conditions of this job announcement by withdrawing or filling more than one position described herein. The final candidate will be subject to a background check or investigation, and periodic re-investigations, if applicable, with retention contingent upon a favorable suitability determination. The Federal Financial Reform Act of 1994 mandates that net salary payments be transferred electronically by direct deposit.

PROCEDURES FOR APPLYING

Submit a resume to: HRSubmit@insp.uscourts.gov. with Systems Support Specialist 21-02 in subject line.

E-mailed documents must be in Word or PDF format. Zip files will not be accepted. Due to the anticipated number of applications, only the best qualified applicants will be contacted for a personal interview.