

APPLICATION CRITERIA

The following identifies some of the criteria presented to applicants during the annual PMF application process and available to participating Federal agencies when searching Finalists in the PMF TMS (Talent Management System). Applicants choose from the following: (1) a list of degrees (graduate, undergraduate, or other), (2) a list of additional skills, and (3) a list of languages. These lists are subject to change.

① **LIST OF DEGREES:** This list is not all-inclusive and some are grouped. Applicants are asked to select the discipline that *best matches* their program of study for their advanced degree, undergraduate degree, and any other degrees. New or revised degrees appear in ***bold italics*** as of the date showing in the footer.

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| 1. Accounting/Finance/Budget | 36. Conflict Analysis/Resolution | 72. Human Resources |
| 2. Acquisitions/Contracts/Grants | 37. Contracting/Procurement | Development/Policy |
| 3. Administration/Management Process | 38. Criminal Justice | 73. Human Rights |
| 4. Aeronautical/Astronautical Engineering | 39. Culinary Science | 74. Human/Labor Relations |
| 5. Aeronautics/Astronautics | 40. Cybersecurity-Related | 75. Humanities |
| 6. Aerospace Engineering | 41. Defense/Terrorism | 76. Hydrology |
| 7. Agricultural Science | 42. Diplomacy | 77. Individual/Group/ Organizational Theory and Dynamics |
| 8. Animal Sciences | 43. Earth and Planetary Science | 78. Industrial Engineering |
| 9. Anthropology | 44. Ecology | 79. Information Systems Management |
| 10. Architecture | 45. Economics | 80. International Disciplines Development/Studies |
| 11. Archives/Records Management | 46. Education | 81. Journalism |
| 12. Area Studies (African) | 47. Electrical/Electronics Engineering | 82. Justice Administration |
| 13. Area Studies (Asian) | 48. Emergency Management | 83. Languages |
| 14. Area Studies (European) | 49. Energy/Earth Resources | 84. Law (JD or other law degree) |
| 15. Area Studies (Latin American) | 50. Engineering (Other) | 85. Liberal Arts |
| 16. Area Studies (Middle Eastern) | 51. Environmental Engineering | 86. Library Sciences |
| 17. Area Studies (Other; as specified in resume) | 52. Environmental Policy/Studies | 87. Marketing |
| 18. Area Studies (Russian) | 53. Environmental Sciences/ Natural Resources | 88. Materials/Structural Engineering |
| 19. Astronomy/Space Science | 54. Epidemiology | 89. Mathematics |
| 20. Astrophysics | 55. Film and TV Production | 90. Mechanical Engineering |
| 21. Behavioral Science | 56. Fine Arts | 91. Medicine |
| 22. Biohazardous Threats/ Emerging Diseases | 57. Food Science | 92. Meteorology |
| 23. Biology/Biological Sciences | 58. Forestry | 93. Microbiology |
| 24. Biomedical Engineering | 59. Gender Studies | 94. Museum Studies |
| 25. Biostatistics | 60. Geography | 95. Music |
| 26. Business Management/ Administration | 61. Geology/Geological Engineering | 96. Nanotechnology |
| 27. Chemical Engineering | 62. Geophysics | 97. Neurosciences |
| 28. Chemistry | 63. Geospatial Analysis/ Geographic Information Systems | 98. Non-Profit Management/ Organizations |
| 29. Civil Engineering | 64. Global Affairs | 99. Nuclear Engineering |
| 30. Climate and Society | 65. Government | 100. Nursing |
| 31. Communications | 66. Health Administration | 101. Nutrition/Nutritional Biology |
| 32. Community/Regional Planning/ Development | 67. Health Insurance/Insurance and Risk Management | 102. Oceanography |
| 33. Comparative Politics | 68. Historic Preservation | 103. Other Subject Areas (as specified in resume) |
| 34. Computer Engineering | 69. History | 104. Parks/Recreation/Tourism |
| 35. Computer Science | 70. Horticulture | 105. Petroleum Engineering |
| | 71. Hospitality Management | |

106. Pharmacology/ Pharmacy	117. Public Policy	126. Statistics
107. Philosophy	118. Real Estate	127. Structural Engineering
108. Physics	119. Religion	128. Supply Chain Management
109. Policy Analysis	120. Research Psychology	129. Systems Engineering
110. Political Science	121. Resource Economics	130. Telecommunications
111. Population Biology	122. Science and Technology	131. Toxicology
112. Project Management	Policy	132. Urban/Regional
113. Psychology	123. Security/Intelligence	Administration/Management
114. Public Administration	Studies	133. Veterinary Medicine
115. Public Affairs	124. Social Work	134. Writing/Editor
116. Public Health	125. Sociology	

② **LIST OF ADDITIONAL SKILLS:** Applicants are asked to optionally select from the list below to identify additional skills, competencies, and attributes that are applicable and supported in their resume. New or revised entries appear in ***bold italics*** as of the date showing in the footer.

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| 1. Acquisitions | 24. Law Enforcement |
| 2. Analytical Skills | 25. Leadership and Management |
| 3. Biomedical Science | 26. Logistics |
| 4. Budget Analysis | 27. Mathematics |
| 5. Capital Asset Management | 28. Operations Research/Analysis |
| 6. Collaboration Skills | 29. Performance Management |
| 7. Communications | 30. Policy Analysis |
| 8. Contracting/Procurement | 31. Problem Solving |
| 9. Critical Thinking | 32. Process Improvement |
| 10. Current Security Clearance | 33. Program Analysis |
| 11. Data Analytics | 34. Program Evaluation |
| 12. Engineering | 35. Program Management |
| 13. Financial Analysis | 36. Project Management |
| 14. Financial Management | 37. Public Administration |
| 15. Foreign Policy | 38. Science |
| 16. General Accounting Practices | 39. Social Policy |
| 17. Health Information Technology | 40. Social Work |
| 18. Health Policy | 41. Strategic Planning |
| 19. Healthcare/Medical | 42. Systems Architecture/Redesign |
| 20. Human-Centered Design | 43. Trade |
| 21. Human Resources Management | 44. Website Development |
| 22. Information Systems Security | 45. Workforce Planning/Analysis |
| 23. Information Technology | |

③ **LIST OF LANGUAGES:** Applicants are asked to optionally select those languages that are applicable (e.g., speak, write, and/or read) and supported in their resume.

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| 1. American Sign | 8. Hindi | 15. Portuguese |
| 2. Arabic | 9. Indonesian | 16. Romanian |
| 3. Chinese | 10. Italian | 17. Russian |
| 4. Dutch | 11. Japanese | 18. Spanish |
| 5. French | 12. Korean | 19. Thai |
| 6. German | 13. Persian | 20. Vietnamese |
| 7. Hebrew | 14. Polish | 21. Other |