

## PMF Class of 2021 Finalist Virtual Hiring Fair

## **Overview for Finalists**

The U.S. Office of Personnel Management's (OPM) PMF Program Office is sponsoring the PMF Class of 2021 Finalist Virtual Hiring Fair, over a 2-day period, March 25-26, 2021 from 10:00am to 5:00pm (ET). This Overview is intended to provide general information for all 2021 Finalists and is subject to change.

Participation in the Virtual Hiring Fair is optional. There are no additional plans to sponsor another hiring event at this time. Finalists should continue monitoring the Apply Site for additional PMF appointment opportunities. Agencies may recruit for PMF positions throughout the year.

**NOTE:** Supplemental documents (such as the *Virtual Hiring Fair Checklist for Finalists, Virtual Hiring Fair FAQs for Finalists, List of Participating Federal Agencies,* and a link to the *List of Agency PMF Coordinators*) has been, or soon will be, posted to the PMF website; however, please check frequently for updates. Finalists should monitor the Become a PMF\Find a Job\Hiring Event webpage for updates and these documents.

In response to COVID-19, this year's Hiring Fair is being conducted virtually and over a 2-day period. For security, we are conducting this 2-day event using the PMF Program Office's Zoom for Government platform. However, some agencies may utilize alternative web platforms (e.g., Adobe Connect, WebEx, etc.). Agencies and Finalists will be sent a separate link to register for their participation. A separate invitational email will be sent to all Finalists for a Pre-Hiring Fair Webinar to take place prior to the Virtual Hiring Fair.

We will be separating participating agencies by day. For example, if 80 agencies are participating, 40 will be assigned Day 1 and the remaining on Day 2.

The List of Participating Federal Agencies will be posted to the <u>Hiring Event</u> webpage the week of March 15, 2021. The list will identify the web platform each agency is planning to use, which day they are participating, and the link to access their virtual "booth" on that day. Finalists should make sure they can access Zoom and the other platforms agencies may opt to use. Many platforms utilize apps to use on a smartphone, tablet, etc.

A "Pre-Hiring Fair Webinar for Finalists" will take place on Tuesday, March 16 from 3:00pm to 4:00pm (ET). The webinar will cover additional details on the hiring fair along with tips for how Finalists can navigate it successfully. All Finalists were sent an invitational email with a link to register for this session and are encouraged to attend.

Finalists are encouraged to (1) monitor each participating Federal agency's profile page under the *Explore* screen on the Apply Site of the PMF TMS (Talent Management System), and (2) monitor PMF appointment opportunities. In addition, Finalists are requested to be patient when engaging with agencies as they will have a number of agency personnel participating and there is bound to be a large demand for some agencies and PMF positions. We have requested each agency to fully staff and cover their virtual booths throughout the hours of the day.

Please remember to check back for any updates. Thank you!

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