

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, and any other), ② a list of additional skills, and ③ a list of languages. Any new or revised entries appear in **bold italics**. These lists are subject to change.

① **LIST OF DEGREES:** This list shows what disciplines are available in our database in alphabetical order, 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; if not, then choose "Other Subject Areas".

1.	Accounting/Finance/Budget	40.	Contracting/Procurement	79.	Horticulture
2.	Acquisitions/Contracts/Grants	41.	Criminal Justice	80.	Hospitality Management
3.	Administration/Management Process	42.	Culinary Science	81.	Human Development
4.	Aeronautical/Astronautical	43.	Cybersecurity-Related	82.	Human Resources Development/
	Engineering	44.	Data Science/Analytics		Policy
5.	Aeronautics/Astronautics	45.	Dentistry	83.	Human Rights
6.	Aerospace Engineering	46.	Design	84.	Human/Labor Relations
7.	Agricultural Science	47.	Digital Media	85.	Humanities
8.	Animal Sciences	48.	Diplomacy	86.	Hydrology
9.	Anthropology	49.	Earth and Planetary Science	87.	Individual/Group/
10.	Architecture	50.	Ecology		Organizational Theory and Dynamics
11.	Archives/Records Management	51.	Economics	88.	Industrial Engineering
12.	Area Studies (African)	52.	Education	89.	Information Systems Management
13.	Area Studies (Americas)	53.	Electrical/Electronics Engineering	90.	International Affairs/Relations
14.	Area Studies (Asian)	54.	Emergency Management	91.	International Development
15.	Area Studies (European)	55.	Energy/Earth Resources	92.	International Economics/Trade
16.	Area Studies (Latin American)	56.	Engineering (Other)	93.	Journalism
17.	Area Studies (Middle Eastern)	57.	Environmental Engineering	94.	Justice Administration
18.	Area Studies (Other)	58.	Environmental Policy/Studies	95.	Kinesiology/Exercise Science
19.	Area Studies (Russian)	59.	Environmental Sciences/Natural	96.	Languages/Linguistics
20.	Artificial Intelligence		Resources	97.	Law (JD or other law degree)
21.	Astronomy/Space Science	60.	Epidemiology	98.	Leadership/Management
22.	Astrophysics	61.	Film and TV Production	99.	Liberal Arts
23.	Aviation/Transportation	62.	Fine Arts	100.	Library Sciences
24.	Behavioral Science	63.	Food Science	101.	Literature
25.	Biohazardous Threats/Emerging	64.	Forensic Science	102.	Marketing
	Diseases	65.	Forestry	103.	Materials/Structural Engineering
26.	Biology/Biological Sciences	66.	Gender Studies	104.	Mathematics
27.	Biomedical Engineering	67.	Genetics	105.	Mechanical Engineering
28.	Biostatistics	68.	Geography	106.	Medicine
29.	Business Management/ Administration	69.	Geology/Geological Engineering	107.	Meteorology
30.	Chemical Engineering	70.	Geophysics	108.	Microbiology
31.	Chemistry	71.	Geospatial Analysis/Geographic	109.	Museum Studies
32.	Civil Engineering		Information Systems	110.	Music
33.	Climate and Society	72.	Government	111.	Nanotechnology
34.	Communications	73.	Health Administration	112.	Neurosciences
35.	Community/Regional Planning/	74.	Health Insurance/Insurance and Risk	113.	Non-Profit Management/
	Development		Management		Organizations
36.	Comparative Politics	75.	Health Sciences	114.	Nuclear Engineering
37.	Computer Engineering	76.	Historic Preservation	115.	Nursing
38.	Computer Science	77.	History/Archeology	116.	Nutrition/Nutritional Biology
39.	Conflict Analysis/Resolution	78.	Homeland Security/Defense	117.	Occupational Safety and Health

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118. Oceanography
119. Organizational Behavior
120. Other Subject Areas
121. Paralegal Studies
122. Parks/Recreation/Tourism
123. Petroleum Engineering
124. Pharmacology/Pharmacy
125. Philosophy/Ethics
126. Physical Sciences
127. Physics
128. Policy Analysis
129. Political Science

130. Population Biology

131. Project Management

134. Public Affairs
135. Public/*Global* Health/*Policy*136. Public Policy
137. Real Estate/Building Management
138. Religion/*Theology*139. Research Psychology

133. Public Administration/ Management

132. Psychology/Counseling

140. Resource Economics141. Science and Technology Policy142. Science (Other)

143. Security/Intelligence Studies144. Social Studies145. Social Work

146. Sociology147. Sports148. Statistics

156. Writing/Editor

149. Structural Engineering150. Supply Chain Management151. Systems Engineering152. Telecommunications153. Toxicology

154. Urban/Regional Administration/ Management155. Veterinary Medicine

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. The list is in alphabetical order.

Acquisitions/Contracting/Procurement
 Analytical Skills

Analytical Skills
 Biomedical Science
 Budget Analysis

Capital Asset Management
 Coding/Programming
 Collaboration Skills
 Communications

10. Current/Former Security Clearance

Data Analytics
 Engineering
 Financial Analysis
 Financial Management
 Foreign Policy

Critical Thinking

16. General Accounting Practices17. Health Information Technology

Health Policy
 Healthcare/Medical
 Human-Centered Design
 Human Resources Management

22. Information Systems Security23. Information Technology24. Law Enforcement

25. Leadership and Management

26. Logistics27. Mathematics

28. Operations Research/Analysis29. Performance Management

Policy Analysis
 Problem Solving
 Process Improvement
 Program Analysis
 Program Evaluation

35. Program/Project Management

36. Public Administration

37. Science38. Social Policy39. Strategic Planning

40. Systems Architecture/Redesign41. Workforce Planning/Analysis

3 LIST OF LANGUAGES: Applicants are asked to optionally select those languages that are applicable (e.g., proficiently speak, write, and/or read), other than English, and supported in their resume. The list is in alphabetical order.

American Sign
 Arabic
 Chinese
 Dutch
 French
 German
 Hebrew
 Hindi

Indonesian
 Italian
 Japanese
 Korean
 Persian
 Polish
 Portuguese
 Romanian

17. Russian18. Spanish19. Swahili20. Thai21. Vietnamese22. Other

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