

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/or other), ② a list of additional skills, and ③ a list of languages. New or revised entries appear in ***bold italics***. 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; some disciplines are grouped.

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

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| 110. Nursing | 125. Population Biology | 139. Social Studies |
| 111. Nutrition/Nutritional Biology | 126. Project Management | 140. Social Work |
| 112. Occupational Safety and Health | 127. Psychology/ Counseling | 141. Sociology |
| 113. Oceanography | 128. Public Administration/Management | 142. Sports |
| 114. Organizational Behavior | 129. Public Affairs | 143. Statistics |
| 115. Other Subject Areas | 130. Public Health | 144. Structural Engineering |
| 116. Paralegal Studies | 131. Public Policy | 145. Supply Chain Management |
| 117. Parks/Recreation/Tourism | 132. Real Estate/Building Management | 146. Systems Engineering |
| 118. Petroleum Engineering | 133. Religion | 147. Telecommunications |
| 119. Pharmacology/Pharmacy | 134. Research Psychology | 148. Transportation |
| 120. Philosophy/Ethics | 135. Resource Economics | 149. Toxicology |
| 121. Physical Sciences | 136. Science and Technology Policy | 150. Urban/Regional Administration/Management |
| 122. Physics | 137. Science (Other) | 151. Veterinary Medicine |
| 123. Policy Analysis | 138. Security/Intelligence Studies | 152. Writing/Editor |
| 124. Political Science | | |

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.

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

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

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| 1. American Sign | 9. Indonesian | 17. Russian |
| 2. Arabic | 10. Italian | 18. Spanish |
| 3. Chinese | 11. Japanese | 19. Swahili |
| 4. Dutch | 12. Korean | 20. Thai |
| 5. French | 13. Persian | 21. Vietnamese |
| 6. German | 14. Polish | 22. Other |
| 7. Hebrew | 15. Portuguese | |
| 8. Hindi | 16. Romanian | |