

Job Description

Job Title: Manager Intl Trade Development - Statewide

Department: International Trade Development

Reports To: VP, International Trade& Field Operations

FLSA Status: Exempt

Pay Band: \$55,000 - \$82,000

Location: Tampa office preferred, other Florida offices considered

BASIC PURPOSE:

This job is responsible for the promotion of exports with export-ready manufacturers and other companies through counseling, implementation of EFI export promotion programs, and establishing a synergy of promotional programs with other economic development and strategic alliance partners.

ESSENTIAL ACCOUNTABILITIES or TASKS:

- Through pro-active marketing and outreach efforts develop a clientele of export-ready manufacturing and other firms that are able to utilize EFI's export programs.
- Counsels targeted companies to upgrade their knowledge of export markets, export marketing and the export process.
- Strategizes, promotes and then recruits targeted companies to participate in ITD's market site trade event program.
- Provides market information, counseling and troubleshooting assistance to Florida companies, in order to generate export sales and to expose them to EFI trade leads.
- Promotes and encourages to targeted companies the utilization of federal export promotion programs, especially the US Department of Commerce.
- Pro-actively advocates Florida's international advantages and EFI services through participation in international conferences, seminars, workshops, and webinars – through speeches, presentations, and panel discussions.
- Implements selected Marine industry trade fairs on a global basis. This requires overall
 event management that includes market planning, promotion, recruitment of
 manufacturers, trade results and coordination on a cost recovery basis.

SUPERVISION: Not applicable.

ACCOUNTABILITY: Impact and Scope: Responsible for achieving specific and measurable objectives toward the achievement of the International Units performance measures, as assigned in the annual performance plan.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED:

- Bachelor's degree in international business, marketing, finance or international relations.
- Five years experience in international business or international business development.
- General knowledge of domestic and international business practices and export processes.
- Communication capabilities that include verbal, written and presentation skills.
- Experience with the development and execution of international business strategies.
- Requires 25% international travel.

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS:

- Overseas trade show experience.
- Marine industry experience a plus.
- Competency in a second, relevant language.
- Knowledge of country-specific foreign markets and customs.
- · Demonstrated influencing and negotiating skills.
- Knowledge of factors and processes that characterize the international business operations of Florida firms.
- Public speaking skills.

Please apply for this position to <u>HRDirector@EnterpriseFlorida.com</u> or through the job posting on Indeed.

Please note this job description is not designed to cover or contain a comprehensive listing of activities, duties or responsibilities that are required of the employee for this job. Duties, responsibilities and activities may change at any time with or without notice.

We are an equal opportunity employer and consider all qualified applicants equally without regard to race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, national origin, veteran status, or disability status.

EFI is subject to the Public Records Law and the Sunshine Law; therefore, submissions to this job announcement could be subject to public disclosure.