

**DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY, OFFICE OF CIVILIAN HUMAN RESOURCES (OCHR)  
OVERSEAS PROGRAM CENTER EUROPE, AFRICA, CENTRAL  
HUMAN RESOURCES OFFICE (HRO), NAPLES, ITALY  
VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT - LOCAL NATIONAL POSITION**

	Announcement No.	62588-321646-EA
	Position Title	<b>Safety and Occupational Health Specialist, Ua-0018-02/01 OR Ua-0018-01</b>
	Salary Range	Ua-02: Euro 2,634.00 – E 2,931.38 per month plus applicable allowances Ua-01: Euro 2.791.36 – E 3,118.01 per month plus applicable allowances
	Closing Date	<b>22 July 2022</b>
	Work Schedule	Full-Time Permanent
	Job Location	Occupational Safety and Health Office (OSH), Public Safety Department, U.S. Naval Support Activity, Capodichino, Naples, Italy
	<b>Notes</b>	<p><b>The application form has been revised as of 01 Oct 2021, and any prior version will not be considered. Candidates must electronically submit a revised application form via e-mail to: <a href="mailto:HRO_NAPLES-LN_JOBS@eu.navy.mil">HRO_NAPLES-LN_JOBS@eu.navy.mil</a>.</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Please read the “Instructions for Completing the Employment Application” on the following page of this announcement before submitting your application.</b></li> <li><b>In the SUBJECT LINE of the e-mail, indicate LAST and FIRST name of the candidate AND the vacancy announcement number and title (e.g. ROSSI, MARIO, 3049B-123456-EI, Office Automation Clerk).</b></li> <li>Selectee will be required to favorably pass a pre-employment medical suitability examination as a condition of employment.</li> <li>Applicants must be able to read, write and speak fluently in both English and Italian. <b>Applications must be submitted in ENGLISH.</b></li> <li>This position may be filled at the any level. If filled at the lower level, incumbent may be non-competitively promoted to the Ua-01 level upon meeting eligibility and qualification requirements and based upon recommendation from supervisor.</li> </ol>
<b>Who May Apply</b>	<b>Permanent and Temporary Appropriated (APF) and Non-Appropriated Funds (NAF) local national employees.</b>	
<b>Description of Duties</b>	<p>The incumbent issues local directives and procedures establishing technical and administrative Safety and Occupational Health requirements for industrial, construction, commercial and transportation activities related to ground safety. Plans and schedules periodic surveys of installation facilities and provides advice and guidance to department heads and managers engaged in a full range of Industrial and Maintenance functions. Recommends to installation management the application of specific techniques, methods and procedures to eliminate or control unsafe acts. Investigates and analyzes mishaps and hazardous conditions to determine origin, causes, and contributing elements and prepares written evaluation reports concerning findings. Counsels employees on the safety complaint process, time, limits and further rights of appeal. Interprets engineering drawing and specifications to identify potential hazardous conditions in proposed facilities or activity sites. Provides technical training and detailed instructions to safety Technicians on use of technical directives and techniques used on task assignments.</p>	

<p><b>Qualification Requirements</b></p>	<p><b>All eligibility and qualifications must be met by the closing date of this announcement. Please visit <a href="https://www.opm.gov/policy-data-oversight/classification-qualifications/general-schedule-qualification-standards/0000/safety-and-occupational-health-management-series-0018/">https://www.opm.gov/policy-data-oversight/classification-qualifications/general-schedule-qualification-standards/0000/safety-and-occupational-health-management-series-0018/</a></b></p> <p><b>Ua-02: Experience:</b> One (1) year of specialized experience equivalent to the Ua-03 grade level is required.  <b>Ua-01: Experience:</b> One (1) year of specialized experience equivalent to the Ua-02 grade level is required.</p> <p><b>Specialized experience</b> is defined as experience that involved: managing safety or occupational health program elements; developing and recommending safety and occupational health policy to higher levels of management; applying safety and occupational health laws, regulations, principles, theories, practices, and procedures to advise on or resolve technical matters dealing with occupational safety and health requirements; developing safety and occupational health standards, regulations, practices, and procedures to eliminate or control potential hazards; developing or implementing programs to reduce the frequency, severity, and cost of accidents and occupational illnesses; analyzing or evaluating new and existing jobs, processes, products, or other systems to determine the existence, severity, probability, and outcome of hazards; designing or modifying workplaces, processes, products, or other systems to control or eliminate hazards; inspecting or surveying workplaces, processes, products, or other systems for compliance with established safety and occupational health policies or standards and to identify potential new hazards; training of workers, supervisors, managers, or other safety and occupational health personnel in safety or occupational health subjects; work in occupational fields such as industrial hygienist, safety engineer, fire prevention engineer, health physicist, and occupational health nurse.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>OR</b></p> <p><b>EDUCATION SUBSTITUTION FOR EXPERIENCE:</b>  <b>UA-02 and Ua-01:</b> Generally not applicable. However, graduate university level education may be substituted for experience, if directly related to the position to be filled.</p> <p><b>To receive credit, you must fill out the required fields on the “Employment Application” form.)</b></p> <p><b>HOW YOU WILL BE EVALUATED:</b> In order to qualify for this position, your application must provide sufficient experience and/or education, knowledge, skills, and abilities to perform the duties of the position. You will be rated based on the experience and education described on your application form.</p>
<p><b>Application Status</b></p>	<p>Status updates will be provided by position at the following website:  <a href="https://cnreura-cent.cnic.navy.mil/About/Job-Openings/Local-National-Vacancies/">https://cnreura-cent.cnic.navy.mil/About/Job-Openings/Local-National-Vacancies/</a></p>
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**INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING THE EMPLOYMENT APPLICATION (LOCAL NATIONAL – LN)**

**SUBMISSION OF EMPLOYMENT APPLICATION**

Application **MAY ONLY BE SUBMITTED VIA E MAIL**. HRO will NOT accept "hard copy" applications. Submit your application to: [HRO\\_NAPLES-LN\\_JOBS@eu.navy.mil](mailto:HRO_NAPLES-LN_JOBS@eu.navy.mil).

In the SUBJECT LINE of the e-mail, indicate LAST and FIRST name of the candidate AND the vacancy announcement number and title (e.g. ROSSI, MARIO, 3049B-123456-EI, Office Automation Clerk).

Applications are **only** accepted if there is an open vacancy announcement.

Vacancy announcements may be downloaded from:

<https://cnreurfcent.cnic.navy.mil/About/Job-Openings/Local-National-Vacancies/>

The new application form may be downloaded from:

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Applications for white-collar positions (Ua) must be completed in English.

Applications for blue-collar positions (Uc) may be completed in Italian or English.

**EMAIL APPLICATIONS NOT IN ACCORDANCE WITH INSTRUCTIONS LISTED BELOW WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED AND YOU WILL BE RATED "NOT QUALIFIED" BY HRO:**

- Only one e-mail will be accepted per vacancy announcement. If more than one email is sent, only the most recent will be accepted;
- Utilize the last version of the application form downloaded from the CNIC website;
- Do not alter the content and the properties of the application;
- Application must be completed in its entirety answering ALL questions;
- Attach the application form only in PDF format utilizing only ADOBE PDF Reader (additional attachments are NOT necessary and must not be sent);
- **Do not send Postal Electronically Certified (PEC) emails;**
- The email and the attached application cannot exceed a maximum of 10MB;
- Verify the accuracy and validity of the information submitted;
- Application must be submitted by the closing date of the vacancy announcement. Late applications will not be accepted.
- **The candidate's signature is NOT required on page 9 of the application form, however candidate must enter his/her LAST, FIRST name and DATE.**

**WHO MAY APPLY (AREA OF CONSIDERATION)**

- Citizens of a member state of the European Union.
- **Applicants who hold both U.S. and Italian citizenship are not employable by the U.S. Forces in Italy.** Only candidates specified in the "Who May Apply" section of the vacancy announcement may receive consideration.

**QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS**

Candidates must pay attention to the type of experience, education, certifications and licenses requested by the vacancy announcement and ensure that all this information, e.g. expiration dates as applicable, are reported in the appropriate block on the application form.

**Work experience:** Candidates must describe in **detail**, in their own words, any work experience related to the job vacancy and must specify:

- Job title (include pay schedule, series and grade if experience gained in the Federal employment);
- From/To dates of employment (month and year);
- Salary (monthly);
- WEEKLY HOURS;
- Employer's name and address;
- Experience gained during military service, providing detailed description of duties performed;
- Language proficiency.

Position descriptions (PDs) will not be used in the evaluation of applications. Attachment of PDs to applications is not appropriate, as ratings will be made on descriptions furnished by candidates in their own words.

**Typing Proficiency:** Self-certify your typing proficiency in the appropriate block on the application indicating your typing speed when a "qualified typist (O/A)" certification is required. Qualified typists must meet a minimum of forty (40) words OR two hundreds (200) strokes per minute in English. Typing proficiency skills may be subject to verification.

**Education:** List any educational information on the application in detail. If education is used for qualifications purposes and a determination cannot be made based on the information provided, you will not be considered.

Educational documents obtained outside the European Union (EU), with the exception of the U.S.A., must be evaluated by an appropriate organization that specializes in interpretation of foreign educational credentials. Foreign language documents must be officially translated into either the English or Italian language.

Graduate College or University level education is education beyond the Italian "Laurea 1 livello" or equivalent.

**VERIFICATION OF DOCUMENTS**

In case of selection, candidates **MUST** provide proof of work experience, education and other certifications or licenses as requested by the vacancy announcement and for which credit was received. HRO will proceed with the hiring process **ONLY** when all eligibility requirements are satisfactorily met.

**NOTES**

- Employment of relatives is restricted in accordance with NAVSUPACT policy.
- For positions identified as having known promotion potential (KPP), selectee may be non-competitively promoted to the next higher level upon successful completion of required training, meeting regulatory requirements, and upon recommendation by the supervisor.
- Lists of qualified candidates may be used to fill additional similar positions without further competition.
- Work experience certified on the application form is subject to verification with employers.
- "Local National" refers to citizens of a European Union member state.
- Internal employees may apply and be considered for positions at any lower grade; lower pay, or different employment category. Pay will be set according to articles 13 and 14 of the Conditions of Employment for LN employees effective 1 November 2018.