


**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.	3490B-561888-LD
	Position Title	Specialista dell'Ufficio Contratti (Procurement Analyst), Ua-1102-02/01/Q2
	Salary Range	Ua-02: Euro 2,690.26 – E 2,987.64 per month plus applicable allowances Ua-01: Euro 2,851.08 – E 3,177.73 per month plus applicable allowances Q-Q2: Euro 3,621.11 – E 3,979.29 per month plus applicable allowances
	Closing Date	23-JUN-2023
	Work Schedule	Full-Time Permanent
	Job Location	Naval Supply Systems Command (NAVSUP), Fleet Logistics Center Sigonella, Capodichino, Naples, Italy
	Notes	<p>The application form has been revised as of 01 Nov 2022, and any prior version will not be considered. Candidates must electronically submit a revised application form via e-mail to: HRO_NAPLES-LN_JOBS@eu.navy.mil</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Please read the “Instructions for Completing the Employment Application” on the following page of this announcement before submitting your application. 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). Selectee will be required to favorably pass a pre-employment medical suitability examination as a condition of employment. Applicants must be able to read, write and speak fluently in both English and Italian. Applications must be submitted in ENGLISH. Selectee will be required to favorably pass a security background check as a condition of employment. This position will be filled at any levels. Selectee may be non-competitively promoted to the next grade level upon meeting eligibility and qualification requirements and based upon recommendation from supervisor. The incumbent is required to be certified to the contracting level of the Defense Acquisition Workforce Improvement Act (DAWIA) Back to Basic paradigm. If not certified at the time of hire, the incumbent will have thirty-six (36) months to attain the required certification level in accordance with DAWIA requirements.
Who May Apply	Citizens of a member state of the European Union. However, applicants who hold both U.S. and Italian citizenship are not employable by the U.S. Forces in Italy.	
Description of Duties	<p>At the full performance level, the incumbent uses in-depth knowledge of complex database management systems operating procedures and of pre-award and post-award acquisition policy and practices. Ensures the administration, maintenance and operation of the acquisition automation systems in use by the Contracting Department produce procurement products and data of consistently high quality. Makes decisions or recommendations on the interpretation of Federal, Department of Defence, and Navy policy relative to automated acquisition systems and contracting procedures by evaluating data, reports, working on data analysis, providing feedback on the contracting policies and regulations. Obtains necessary information and supporting documentation and resolves most conflicts independently thus contributing to the overall program effectiveness and compliance. Administers the Federal Procurement Data System-Next Generation within the Fleet Logistics Center Sigonella claimancy, which includes responding in a timely fashion to user problems and providing all users with updates about changes to this system. Prepares and presents written and oral briefings to the Director, Departments and Divisions concerning automated acquisition program status, procurement policies and initiatives, and performs metrics analysis based on the data generated by different reports. Maintains all aspects of Procurement Desktop-Defense within Fleet Logistics Center Sigonella: responding in a timely fashion to user problems; interfacing with NAVSUP liaison to respond to issues/standards; preparation and submission of weekly contracting metric reports; preparation and submission of ad-hoc contracting reports as requested by management.</p>	

Qualification Requirements	<p>All eligibility and qualifications must be met by the closing date of this announcement. Please visit https://www.opm.gov/policy-data-oversight/classification-qualifications/general-schedule-qualification-standards/1100/contracting-series-1102/</p> <p>BASIC EDUCATION REQUIREMENT FOR Ua-02, Ua-01 & Q2 grade levels: “Laurea” in any field or equivalent. <u>To receive credit, you must fill out the required fields on the “Employment Application” form.</u></p> <p>NOTE: The education requirement listed above apply only to individuals entering DoD 1102 positions on or after October 1, 2000. Current civilian personnel in DoD who occupied 1102 positions or contracting positions with authority to award or administer contracts above the simplified acquisition threshold in an Executive Department on or before September 30, 2000 are exempt from meeting this requirement.</p> <p>In addition to meeting the basic entry requirements above, applicants must possess:</p> <p>Ua-02: EXPERIENCE OR EDUCATION SUBSTITUTION: One (1) year of specialized experience equivalent to the Ua-03 grade level or equivalent experience in the private or public sector that equipped the applicant with the particular knowledge, skills and abilities to perform successfully the duties of the position, and that is typically in or related to the work of the position to be filled, OR “Laurea Magistrale” or “Laurea Specialistica” or “Diploma di Laurea” or equivalent. Such education must demonstrate the knowledge, skills, and abilities necessary to do the work.</p> <p>Ua-01: EXPERIENCE OR EDUCATION SUBSTITUTION: One (1) year of specialized experience equivalent to the Ua-02 grade level or equivalent experience in the private or public sector that equipped the applicant with the particular knowledge, skills and abilities to perform successfully the duties of the position, and that is typically in or related to the work of the position to be filled, OR “Dottorato di ricerca” or equivalent degree may be substituted for experience if it demonstrates the knowledge, skills, and abilities necessary to do the work.</p> <p>Q-Q2: EXPERIENCE: One (1) year of specialized experience equivalent to the Ua-01 grade level or equivalent experience in the private or public sector that equipped the applicant with the particular knowledge, skills and abilities to perform successfully the duties of the position, and that is typically in or related to the work of the position to be filled.</p> <p>HOW YOU WILL BE EVALUATED: 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>
Application Status	<p>Status updates will be provided by position at the following website: https://cnreurafcenr.cnic.navy.mil/About/Job-Openings/Local-National-Vacancies/</p> <p>Applicants may inquire about the status of their job applications by e-mailing to: HRO_NAPLES-LN_JOBS@eu.navy.mil , and indicating in the SUBJECT LINE: “Inquiring on job application submitted by LAST and FIRST name, AND the announcement number with title, series, grade AND application DATE” (e.g. Inquiring on job application submitted by ROSSI, MARIO, ANN# 3049B-123456-EI, Office Automation Clerk, Ua-0326-06, on 22 Nov 2022).</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.

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://cnreuraacent.cnic.navy.mil/About/Job-Openings/Local-National-Vacancies/>

The new application form may be downloaded from:

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

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 NAVSUPPACT 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.