

Government of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago

Ministry of Trade and Industry



SENIOR INVESTMENT SPECIALIST

JOB SUMMARY

The Senior Investment Specialist will be part of the Investment Directorate, which is charged with the formulation and execution of the macro-investment policy of the Ministry of Trade and Industry, and ensuring that the country's investment performance measures are met. This individual who will be part of a dynamic team of performers will be expected to work with minimal guidance.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- Develop positions for the negotiation of Investment Promotion and Protection Agreements (IPPA's).
- Review Trinidad and Tobago's investment policies and strategies to ensure congruence with domestic priorities and international obligations
- Conduct research and analysis on contemporary investment issues within the international economic environment
- Develop policies in consultation with stakeholders, which support new investment opportunities for domestic and foreign investors
- Promote local investment opportunities among the domestic business community
- Strengthen linkages and alliances between domestic and foreign investment communities

MINIMUM EXPERIENCE AND TRAINING

- A Masters Degree in Business Administration or Economics
- At least five (5) years experience in Trade and Investment related areas including economic and technical analysis, trade negotiations, investment promotion, investment facilitation and project management.
- At least five (5) years experience at a Managerial level
- Familiarity with the operations of MTI or any other such relevant experience will be an asset
- In-depth knowledge of Microsoft Office Suite applications

KNOWLEDGE. SKILLS AND ABILITIES

- Results oriented and self motivated
- In possession of strong analytical and problem solving skills
- In possession of excellent interpersonal and communication skills, both oral and written
- Critical thinking