

Job Description

Job Title: Grant Accountant III Job Family: Research

Type: Exempt Job Code: 19037

Department: Grants and Contracts Financial Salary Grade: 63

Services/Research Finance and

Operations

Reports to: Assistant Director, Grants and Contracts Created/Revised: 7/15/2022

Financial Services

Work Modality: On-Campus

This position is part of a market adjustment implemented in Spring 2022. New hire salary offers should at least be at the minimum salary established for this position based on the market adjustment. Please contact Compensation at compensation@utsa.edu with any questions.

Job Summary

To assist in the financial management of sponsored projects through the application of basic fiscal principles and administrative regulations governing grants and contracts. Responsible for the application of advanced accounting knowledge to ensure compliance with financial reporting requirements and the acquisition of extramural funds.

Core Responsibilities

Typical:

- 1. Oversee Accounts Receivable management/collections.
- 2. Prepare Letter of Credit drawdowns.
- 3. Prepare financial reports.
- 4. Evaluate financial activities of service/recharge centers and facilities.
- 5. Assist in the implementation of cost accounting procedures.
- 6. Respond to various data requests/statistics.
- 7. Initiate award accounts and set up budgets.
- 8. Provide direction and guidance to Grant Accountant I and II.
- 9. Assist in the preparation of the Annual Financial Report.
- 10. Perform other duties as assigned.

Periodic:

1. Assist with or lead special projects as directed.

Minimum Requirements

Education/Certifications

• Bachelor's degree from an accredited institution.

Preferred Education/Certifications

• Bachelor's degree from an accredited institution with a concentration in accounting or a related field.

Experience

• Four years of experience in grant or related accounting and/or post award administration of sponsored projects.

Preferred Experience

- Four years of grant accounting experience to include financial reporting and account reconciliation.
- Similar experience in a governmental or higher education environment.

Knowledge Skills & Abilities

- Excellent verbal and written communications skills.
- Working knowledge of computerized accounting systems.
- Excellent analytical and organizational skills.
- Criminal Background Check (CBC).
- Personal computer, accounting software, Microsoft Office and standard office equipment.

Core Competencies

Individual Contributor:

Customer Focus, Dealing with Ambiguity, Functional and Technical Skills, Action Oriented, Self-Development

Working Conditions

Working Environment:

- Normal office conditions.
- Occasional evening and weekend hours.

Physical Demands:

- Sedentary work; sitting most of the time. Jobs are sedentary, if walking and standing are required, only occasionally.
- Exerts up to 10 lbs. of force occasional