



## Contracts & Grants Administrator I (Centralized) Job Description

### JOB INFORMATION

<i>Job Code:</i>	121011
<i>Job Title:</i>	Contracts & Grants Administrator I (Centralized)
<i>FLSA Status:</i>	Exempt
<i>Supervisory:</i>	May oversee student, temporary and/or casual workers.
<i>Job Family:</i>	Contracts & Grants
<i>Job Family Group:</i>	Research and Grants Administration
<i>Management Level:</i>	7 Individual Contributor

### JOB SUMMARY

Interacts with faculty, University offices and external funding agencies to facilitate the exchange of information and provide services associated with pre and post-award administration of contracts and grants to assigned department(s).

### JOB QUALIFICATIONS:

#### Education

<i>Req</i>	<i>Pref</i>	<i>Degree</i>	<i>Field of Study</i>
X		Related undergraduate study	
	X	Bachelor's degree	

#### Additional Education

*Check here if experience may substitute for some of the above education.*

<input type="checkbox"/>	Combined experience/education as substitute for minimum education
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#### Work Experience

<i>Req</i>	<i>Pref</i>	<i>Work Experience</i>	<i>Experience Level</i>
X		1 year	
	X	2 years	

#### Additional Work Experience

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#### Knowledge, Skills and Abilities

<i>Req</i>	<i>Pref</i>	<i>Functional Skills</i>
X		Experience with contracts and grants administration

#### Other Job Factors

## JOB ACCOUNTABILITIES

	<i>% Time</i>	<i>Essential</i>	<i>Marginal</i>	<i>N/A</i>
Acts as university representative to sponsoring agencies.				
Reviews, critiques and submits for approval proposals for research, training and public service projects.				
Follows through with agencies for award and funding. Negotiates awards and coordinates award documents.				
Resolves pre and post-award administrative problems related to sponsored projects.				
Provides post-award administrative support including expenditure approvals, accounting detail and reporting requirement information. Monitors for allowability on contracts, submits interim reports, and reviews and approves closeout documents.				
Assists in the identification of external funding sources for sponsored research and training.				
Advises on specific agency requirements and guidelines to assist faculty in the preparation and submission of proposals.				

## Other Requirements

<i>Essential:</i>	<i>Emergency Response/Recovery</i>	<i>Essential:</i>	<i>Mandated Reporter</i>
	In the event of an emergency, the employee holding this position is required to “report to duty” in accordance with the university’s Emergency Operations Plan and/or the employee’s department’s emergency response and/or recovery plans. Familiarity with those plans and regular training to implement those plans is required. During or immediately following an emergency, the employee will be notified to assist in the emergency response efforts, and mobilize other staff members if needed.		A mandated reporter who in his or her professional capacity has knowledge of, or reasonably suspects a person who is under the age of 18 years, elderly, or a dependent adult has been the victim of abuse or neglect must report the suspected incident. The reporter must contact a designated agency immediately or as soon as practically possible by telephone or in writing within 36 hours. By virtue of the associated job duties, this position qualifies as a mandated reporter as required by state law and USC’s policy at: <a href="https://policy.usc.edu/mandated-reporters/">https://policy.usc.edu/mandated-reporters/</a>
<i>Campus Security Authority (CSA)</i>			<i>Essential:</i>
By virtue of the associated job duties, this position qualifies as a Campus Security Authority as required by law and USC’s policy at: <a href="https://dps.usc.edu/alerts/clery/">https://dps.usc.edu/alerts/clery/</a>			No

## ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

The above statements reflect the essential and non-essential functions as necessary to describe the principle contents of the job. They are not intended to be a complete statement of all work requirements or duties that may be required of the position. I understand that I may be asked to perform other duties as assigned. USC reserves the right to add or change duties at any time.

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I acknowledge receipt of this job description and its associated physical requirements. I have read and understand the job description and job requirements and agree to abide by their contents. I realize that duties may be requested of me that are not specifically stated herein. I understand that I will be expected to adjust to potential fluctuations in work volume. I understand that, if I have any questions about the essential functions or expectations of my position, my supervisor and/or HR partner are available to discuss them with me.

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Print Employee Name

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Signature

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Date

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Print Manager Name

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Signature

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Date

This job description describes the general nature and level of work required by the position. It is not intended to be an all-inclusive list of qualifications, skills, duties, responsibilities or working conditions of the job. The job description is subject to change with or without notice, and Management reserves the right to add, modify or remove any qualification or duty. Nothing in this job description changes the existing at-will employment relationship between the university and the employee occupying the position.