

STEVEN G. JAMES
Acting Superintendent

POSTING DATE: 03/04/2024 APPLICATION DUE BY: 03/25/2024

Title: Business Systems Analyst 2

Starting Salary: \$81,705.00

**Location:** Division Headquarters – Portfolio Management Office

Albany, New York 12226

**Albany County** 

Grade: 23

**Employment Type:** Full-Time

Work Days: Monday-Friday

**Union Representation: PS&T** 

The Business Systems Analyst function is a critical role in the creating new or maintaining existing information technology (IT) systems and business processes. The Business Systems Analyst works with key project stakeholders and business staff to address strategic goals that the business wants to achieve using tools and methodology to optimize and focus their effort and determine specifically what to deliver or change to achieve those goals. The Business Systems Analyst examines and documents the current process and needs of all stakeholders and develops recommendations and requirements for a solution that will meet the specified goals. When technical solutions are required as part of the solution the Business Systems Analyst serves as the liaison between the technical staff and business stakeholders. The Business Systems Analyst provides clear communication, structured documentation of requirements, and often aids in writing the user acceptance testing documentation used in proving a system meets all it was planned to do.

The Business Systems Analyst 2, SG-23 will report to the Portfolio Management Office in the Administration Section of the Division of State Police. The incumbent of this position will be responsible for performing business systems analysis associated with various processes, programs and/or projects. This will include: overseeing and facilitating communications with both internal and external customers; requirements gathering and review, planning and management; solution assessment and validation; and testing and implementation.

## **DUTIES**

 Work closely with program staff to elicit, analyze, communicate and validate requirements for changes to business systems and processes.

- Conduct Gap Analysis to explore current functionality and identify gaps with new or upgraded systems.
- Documents the current or as-is state of the business process or function.
- Develop, write, and maintain comprehensive use cases which will also contain requirements.
- Work with end users to gather and review/analyze existing workflows, process flows.
- Creates flow charts and process models describing functions and the to-be state of the business process or function.
- Develops test data and scenarios, tests systems functions, and documents the results.
- Develops training materials and procedure manuals related to business systems implementation for users.
- Assists in the development and communication of consistent business analysis methodology across the agency.
- Interact with ITS staff, business users and stakeholders as necessary to determine and implement functional and technical requirements.
- Understand State Police current operational needs and ensure technology infrastructure stays current viable for the State Police while working with the Office of Information Technology to communicate the State Police initiatives and business needs.
- Perform business analysis duties on larger, more critical initiatives.
- Documents the scope of business process changes or enhancements.
- Works independently work on business analysis projects requiring specialized skills, and application of a broad range of tools and techniques across the major business analysis knowledge areas.
- Directs the Business Systems Analyst 1, SG-18 for specific project tasks and deliverables.
- Works with Project Managers to establish timelines for completion of projects.
- Provide guidance on business analysis best practices and deliverables.
- Plans and performs IT system research and information gathering activities.
- Train users on new IT system functions or business processes.

 Perform business analysis intelligence activities such as data mining to extract data for forecasting, service delivery metrics, and provide management with data to make policy decisions.

## MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

One year as a Business Systems Analyst 1, SG-18,

OR

 A Bachelor's Degree and one (1) year of business systems analysis experience where your duties included experience in at least four of the seven areas below,

OR

 An Associate's Degree and two (2) years of business systems analysis experience where your duties included experience in at least four of the seven areas below.

OR

- Four (4) years of business analysis experience, where your duties included experience in at least four of the seven areas below:
  - Using recognized business analysis methodologies to elicit requirements from business users as the foundation for the solution to the organization's business needs.
  - Describing in a comprehensive written document (e.g., business case, fitgap analysis document, or functional specification) what the system, process, or product/service must do to fulfill the business requirement(s).
  - Using recognized business analysis methodologies (e.g., business process flows, fitgap analyses, or functional designs) to design solutions to improve the efficiency and effectiveness of the business processes.
  - Assessing business application needs and recommend system updates based on customer needs, changes in agency policy.
  - Maintain, modify, or add business rules to meet business requirements; perform analyses to determine the impact of rule changes; and compose reports to aid in business rule change decisions.
  - Documenting, communicating, and validating requirements throughout the system, process, or product/service development lifecycle for all changes to processes that would enable the organization to achieve its goals.
  - Developing test scenarios, scripts, and data; reviewing test results; and assessing the implementation of appropriate solutions to ensure they perform to the required specifications and achieve the design capabilities.

Resumes will be evaluated to determine whether candidates will proceed to the interview phase of the process.

Please be advised that authorization to fill these positions is pending Division of Budget approval.

## **HOW TO APPLY:**

Kindly send a letter of intent, complete resume, and transcripts to:

**Email:** personnelresumes@troopers.ny.gov

Place in the Subject line: BSA2