

NSF Indigenous engagement position - Recruitment email for IPA position

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Subject: Recruitment email for IPA position

Dear Colleagues,

The Arctic Sciences Section is recruiting a Program Officer under the Intergovernmental Personnel Act (IPA). These are one year appointments not to exceed 4 years. Program officers are expected to have a PhD plus six years of experience. Duties include administering the NSF peer review process for scientific proposals. More details are available in this [Dear Colleague Letter](#) that provides general information about the position.

Specifically, the Arctic Sciences Section is seeking a program officer who, in addition to having a scientific background in a research field relevant to the Arctic, has expertise in building collaborations between western researchers and Indigenous communities. Desirable candidates will have demonstrated success in effective communication that bridges western and Indigenous ways of knowing and will understand the cultural diversity within Alaska and across the Arctic. Among other program management responsibilities, the program officer will conduct outreach and manage proposals in response to the [Dear Colleague Letter: Potential Support for Community Hubs for Collaborations between NSF-funded Researchers and Arctic Residents](#).

Applicants should provide their curriculum vitae to Dr. Jennifer Mercer, Acting Section Head for Arctic Sciences, by June 30, 2021 for earliest consideration. CVs will be accepted until the position is filled.