New York City Employees’ Retirement System
Job Vacancy Notice CITYWIDE

Civil Service Title: Assistant Retirement Benefits Examiner
Salary: $41,389 - $47,579 (Annual)
Title Code: 40491
Vacancies: 5
Division: Retirement and Pension Benefits
Unit: Retirement and Pension Benefits (Retirement Calculation) (5)

Job Description:
The New York City Employees’ Retirement System is seeking five Assistant Retirement Benefits Examiners in the Retirement and Pension Benefits division.

This candidate will be required to:
- Ability to calculate years of service, compensation base, required contributions, review account balances and determine member’s eligibility for retirement.
- Review forms, applications and/or any related materials for completeness and accuracy. Enter, obtain, and/or update beneficiaries or pensioner data and information into the appropriated PROD system.
- Communicate and obtains information from/to pensioners, other city and state agencies, NYCERS' work units, and/or other retirement systems.
- Perform a variety of administrative tasks.
- Review and maintain work items including sort, transfer, pend and close items in the worker and/or checker queues of NYCEwork system.

Preferred Skills and Experience:
- Candidate must have strong analytical skills and ability to multi-task, capable of working in a high volume and fast paced environment and be able to meet deadlines. Extensive knowledge of the various retirement plans is required.
- Written and oral communication skills should be clear and on a professional level.
- Knowledge of MS Word and Excel is required.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS ARE ATTACHED
NEW YORK CITY RESIDENCY IS REQUIRED
Internal candidates must have been rated a satisfactory or better on their last annual evaluation.

TO APPLY FOR CONSIDERATION, PLEASE FORWARD A COVER LETTER INDICATING POSTING NUMBER 009-21-0005 AND A COPY OF A CURRENT RESUME TO:

ALL OTHER APPLICANTS: www.nyc.gov/careers/search. Search for Job ID#: 443211

DATED: 8/21/2020                  POST UNTIL: 9/04/2020                  NYCERS POSTING NUMBER: 009-21-0005
Minimum Qualification Requirements:

1. An associate degree or completion of 60 credits from an accredited college, including or supplemented by 9 credits in mathematics, statistics, accounting, and/or actuarial science; or

2. A four-year high school diploma or its educational equivalent and two years of satisfactory full-time experience performing mathematical, statistical, actuarial or accounting computations in one or more of the following: a) a retirement or employee benefits plan; b) customer service in a financial institution; and/or c) in a position requiring the application of laws, rules and regulations and the use of statistical, actuarial or similar tables; or

3. A satisfactory combination of education and/or experience equivalent to “1” or “2” above. College education may be substituted for experience in “2” above on the basis that 30 semester credits from an accredited college may be substituted for each year of required experience. However, all candidates must possess a four-year high school diploma or its educational equivalent and either 9 semester credits in mathematics, statistics, accounting and/or actuarial science from an accredited college or one year of experience as described in “2” above.

Note:
New York City residency is generally required within 90 days of appointment. However, City Employees in certain titles who have worked for the City for 2 continuous years may also be eligible to reside in Nassau, Suffolk, Putnam, Westchester, Rockland, or Orange County. To determine if the residency requirement applies to you, please discuss with the agency representative at the time of interview.

Note:
This position is open to qualified persons with a disability who are eligible for the 55-a Program. Please indicate on your resume or cover letter if you would like to be considered for the position under the 55-a Program.