

CALIFORNIA STATE SENATE
JOB ANNOUNCEMENT
DISTRICT COORDINATOR/DIRECTOR
OFFICE OF SENATOR STERN

BASIC FUNCTIONS:

Under the direction of the Senator and the Chief of Staff, the District Coordinator serves as the supervisor of district office staff; establishes and maintains cooperative relationships with staff, and oversees the Senator's schedule in the district. Communicates effectively and works cooperatively with elected officials, community leaders and business groups in the district. Candidates must have great organizational skills and the ability to work in a fast-paced, professional environment. May be required to handle a full bill package and review bill co-authoring opportunities.

DUTIES:

Under the direction of the Senator and the Chief of Staff, the District Coordinator will work jointly with the Capitol Chief of Staff to ensure that the Senator's goals and objectives for the district are being carried out and addressed appropriately, in addition to supervising the operation of the Senator's district office. The District Coordinator will also represent or staff the Senator at meetings, events, and functions with constituents, and community groups. Develops and manages a portion of the Member's legislative agenda, in conjunction with the Legislative Director. The District Coordinator also analyzes legislation, provides policy consultation, researches, analyzes and formulates legislation, and supervises staff (including legislative aides, interns and fellows).

DESIRABLE SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE:

The particular legislative district, legislative process, as well as the structure and policies of state government; effective coalition building; application of social capital and asset-based community development; public relations; basic office computer applications and social media platforms; the Senate's personnel rules, policies, and best practices pertaining to staff supervision, sexual harassment and Equal Employment Opportunities.

ABILITY TO:

Establish a district office culture of excellence and respect; build and maintain constructive relationships with a diverse array of stakeholders; organize and structure employee duties and workload and supervise staff; communicate clearly and concisely, orally and in writing; design, manage, and evaluate programs; and maintain a cooperative and effective working relationship with staff and the Member.

POSITION QUALIFICATIONS/EDUCATION:

A Bachelor's Degree and legislative experience are preferred.

SALARY AND FILING DATE:

Salary starts at \$5,496 per month. Applications will be accepted until position is filled.

**SUBMIT COVER LETTER, RESUME, WRITING SAMPLE, AND
SENATE EMPLOYMENT APPLICATION TO:**

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