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DARPA SEEKS DIRECTOR OF DEFENSE SCIENCES OFFICE

The Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (DARPA) is recruiting for the position of Director of DARPA's Defense Sciences Office.

The Director of the Defense Sciences Office is responsible for directing and managing the office's research and development programs in the areas of biological sciences, physical sciences, materials, applied and computational mathematics, and human effectiveness. Among other duties, the position requires managing multi-million dollars of research funds annually, justifying and defending programs through appropriate technical and administrative program reviews, and representing the Agency and the office at national and international levels.

The position is being recruited at the SES level, with a salary of up to \$172,200 annually. Applicants must have a degree in biological sciences, chemistry, engineering, physical sciences or mathematics and submit applications by July 21. Details of how to apply are available in the official job announcement, posted online at <http://jobsearch.usajobs.gov/getjob.asp?JobID=73106886&AVSDM=2008%2D06%2D20+16%3A05%3A24&Logo=0&pg=6&FedEmp=N&sort=rv&vw=d&brd=3876&ss=0&jbf565=1&FedPub=Y&caller=ses.asp>. Applicants must be U.S. citizens.

DARPA is the central research and development organization for the U.S. Department of Defense. Its mission is to maintain the technological superiority of the U.S. military and prevent technological surprise from harming our national security. DARPA sponsors revolutionary, high-payoff research that bridges the gap between fundamental discoveries and their military use. DARPA's Defense Sciences Office identifies and advances radically new technologies that promise to enhance national security and lead to revolutionary new military capabilities. The office is the most technologically diverse at DARPA, and places no limit on the range of technical opportunities it pursues. More information on DARPA and the Defense Sciences Office is available online (www.darpa.mil and www.darpa.mil/dso).

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