

HOT JOB OF THE WEEK

Chemist

Customs and Border Protection

Customs and Border Protection (CBC) protects the American public against terrorists and the instruments of terror. CBC steadfastly enforces the laws of the United States while fostering the nation's economic security through lawful international trade and travel. CBC is responsible for screening passengers, vehicles, and shipments entering the U.S., seizing illegal narcotics, vehicles, and agricultural products, preventing unauthorized entry into the country, and rescuing individuals who fall into dangerous conditions traversing our border. As part of the CBC team, you'll leverage state-of-the-art technology, innovative strategies and world-wide partnerships to protect U.S. communities and defend the U.S. frontier.



In your position as a Chemist you will:

- Determine the proper approach and perform chemical analyses and physical tests on samples of imported merchandise and other materials collected by CBP employees in connection with regulatory monitoring and enforcement activities.
- Provide advice to other officials on sampling and instruct other laboratory personnel in analysis techniques.
- Occasionally be required to work in the field in activities that may include utilizing scientific equipment to search for and identify Weapons of Mass Destruction (WMD), processing crime scenes to collect and preserve forensic evidence, or participating in mobile laboratory field operations.

Requirements:

- You must be a United States citizen who has physically resided in the U.S., worked for the U.S. Government overseas or been a dependent of a Federal employee serving abroad during the past three years.
- You must have a bachelor's or higher degree from an accredited college or university in physical sciences, life sciences or engineering.

Salary: 31,315.00 - 89,450.00 USD/year

Locations: Chicago, IL; Savannah, GA; Houston, TX; San Francisco, CA; San Juan, PR; Newark, NJ; Springfield, VA; Herndon, VA; Los Angeles, CA; El Paso, TX; Washington, D.C.

Deadline: October 29, 2010

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