

International and Regional Economic Policy

Senior Economist: Southern African Customs Union (S021/2017)

Pretoria

Salary: R779 295.00 per annum (all-inclusive remuneration package)

Purpose: To manage South Africa's relations with SACU as an institution and bilateral relationships between South Africa and SACU Member States.

Key Outputs: Policy Analysis: Assist with the formulation of National Treasury's position papers on SACU and the regional integration agenda • Assist with the development of bilateral policy positions with SACU member countries on finance and development • **Regional Integration:** Assess the extent of existing institutional arrangements and assistance to attain regional integration • Assist with the establishment of a Secretariat to manage the cooperation between Ministries of Finance of CMA countries • **Stakeholder Engagement:** Update views on SACU emanating from business and other non-state organisations and organise knowledge-sharing platforms • Co-ordinate and participate, as necessary, in visits and engagements with SACU countries NT's participation in special projects within these countries • **SACU Cooperation** Assist in negotiations within SACU and bilaterally with SACU countries • Coordinate and update in-house publications on SACU projects.

Requirements: National Diploma/ Degree in Economics/ Political Science • 4-6 years' experience within a development institution/ policy/ financial environment • Knowledge of policy analysis and formulation of drafting notes and cabinet memoranda • Proven knowledge and experience of benchmarking and research with recognized international institutions • Knowledge and experience on a diplomatic level will serve as an added advantage.

Applications may be sent via e-mail to recruit.oag@treasury.gov.za closing date: 10 May 2017 at 12:00.

The National Treasury is an equal opportunity employer and encourages applications from women and the disabled in particular. Our buildings are accessible to disabled persons.

Applications should be accompanied by a comprehensive CV and originally certified copies of Z83, qualifications and ID. Please forward your application, quoting the relevant reference number and the name of the publication in which you saw this advertisement, to the Recruitment Administrator: National Treasury, Private Bag X115, Pretoria 0001 or to the e-mail address mentioned. No late applications will be accepted.

Please note: All shortlisted candidates for SMS posts will be subjected to a technical exercise that intends to test relevant technical elements of the job, the logistics of which will be communicated by the Department.

Qualifications and SA citizenship checks will be conducted on all short-listed candidates and, where applicable, additional checks will be conducted. It is the applicant's responsibility to have foreign qualifications evaluated by the South African Qualifications Authority (SAQA). If you have not received feedback from the National Treasury within 1 month of the closing date, please regard your application as unsuccessful.