

The Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) is seeking applicants for the position of Assistant Director – Laboratory Division (the position is the equivalent of a Laboratory Director). The forthcoming posting will occur on, or about, June 14, 2021, and can be found at FBIJOBS.gov ([Home | FBIJOBS](#)).

Qualifications: The FBI is seeking a renowned scientific leader to serve as the Assistant Director of the Laboratory Division. The ideal candidate will have executive experience in laboratory management and a proven record of successfully overseeing large-scale forensic operations (crime scene support, scientific analyses, technical activities, and quality systems). The ideal candidate will also have excellent leadership skills; an advanced science degree; forensic subject matter expertise; and strong business acumen.

The successful candidate must have proficient knowledge of the state of applied forensic science and associated technical issues involving both physical and digital evidence, as well as experience with quality systems and the achievement/maintenance of international laboratory accreditation.

The successful candidate must have strong knowledge and historical awareness of forensic policy issues, including salient publications and reports, challenges, and proposed modifications to forensic practice via organizational, legislative, and judicial initiatives.

The successful candidate must have a proven ability to successfully engage and collaborate with senior level officials of the FBI, the Department of Justice, federal and state law enforcement and intelligence partners, as well as members of the executive, legislative, and judicial branches of the U.S. Government. Additionally, the successful candidate will have participated in and maintained good standing with national scientific organizations.

Exceptional oral and written communication skills are required, including public speaking/testimonial experience in criminal, policy, and/or legislative matters. The successful candidate must have a demonstrated record of organizational accomplishment and personal achievement, grounded in exceptional leadership qualities and strong collaborative, interpersonal, problem solving, and critical thinking skills.

This is a Senior Executive Service (SES) position within the FBI, and candidates must be able to develop and implement a long-term strategic vision for the FBI's engagement with the law enforcement community, along with short and long-range operational goals align with overall strategic direction of the FBI and its various missions.

Interested candidates who have demonstrative success in meeting the desired qualifications are encouraged to apply. Questions regarding this posting can be directed to fbi_ses_selections@fbi.gov.