



We are looking for talented and motivated people ready to take on new challenges!



The Canadian Forces Support Unit - Europe (CFSU(E), was formed on 30th June 1993. Its mission is to provide support services to Canadian Forces members and Department of National Defence personnel stationed in Europe. It is the lead support unit in Europe and oversees the administrative and logistics requirements of Canadian Forces members, Public Servants, School Teachers and their families across Europe.

You will be working collaboratively with strong teams made up of diverse professionals who bring together their skills and knowledge in pursuit of accomplishing the mission and mandate of CFSU(E).

## Areas in which positions may become available include, but are not limited to:

- Command Support Services
- Legal Support Services
- Corporate Support Services
- Financial Support Services
- Operation Support Services
- Medical Support Services
- Translation Services
- Administrative Services
- Information Technology
- Children's Education Management
- Human Resources
- Housing

Employment tenures, language requirements, conditions of employment, and work locations will vary depending on the positions being staffed.

Employment may be subject to local labour regulations.

# I. THE APPLICATION PROCESS

When you apply to the RCPO Inventory, you are not applying for a specific job, but to an inventory for future vacancies. As positions become available, applicants who meet the Essential Qualifications may be contacted for further assessment.

To be considered for the RCPO Inventory, please click on the following link: RCPO Inventory

You will be asked to create an account, with which you will be able to maintain your information for future vacancies.

The following information/documents will need to be provided:

Posting message & SOFA stamp	The posting message is mandatory in order to be considered in the RCPO Inventory.  If you currently do not have a copy of your SOFA stamp, you will be contacted again at a later date to provide the necessary documentation.
Application	<ul> <li>Personal Information</li> <li>Sponsor Information</li> <li>Employment Status</li> <li>Qualifications (diplomas will need to be uploaded)</li> <li>Experience         <ul> <li>Simply answering yes to the question is not sufficient. You must clearly demonstrate when (month-year to month-year), where and how you acquired each qualification by giving concrete examples. Information provided in your answers related to your education and experience must be supported in your resume.</li> <li>Applications missing details demonstrating the experience requirements are met will be returned.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Résumé	Written compilation of your education, work experience, credentials, and accomplishments.
Written Assessment (Candidate Achievement Record)	You will be invited to complete a Written Assessment for the following qualifications:  ✓ Ability to work independently ✓ Ability to plan and organize ✓ Client service orientation ✓ Ability to communicate effectively in writing

If you do not have an active security clearance, please email <a href="mailto:CFSUERCPO-StaffingServices@forces.gc.ca">CFSUERCPO-StaffingServices@forces.gc.ca</a> and we will send you all the relevant documents.

Your submission will remain part of your candidate profile for exactly one year (01 April to 31 March) and will be used by hiring managers to determine your suitability for the position being staffed.

As of 01 April, of the following year, you will receive an email, asking to confirm your interest in remaining in the RCPO Inventory.

### **II. SCREENING**

Candidates whose application package align with the requirements of the position being staffed, will be referred to management for consideration.

The Hiring Manager of the selection process will conduct a final screening against qualifications listed in the Statement of Merit Criteria.

#### III. ASSESSMENT

In addition to the Candidate Achievement Record, candidates will be invited to participate in a structured interview to further assess their suitability for the position being staffed.

Additional assessments may also take place (e.g. practical assessment, physical evaluations, etc.) to ensure that all merit criteria has been assessed.

#### IV. NOTIFICATION OF APPOINTMENT

Once a candidate is being considered for a position, the notification process begins. The candidate that has been deemed the "Right Fit" will be contacted and informed of their consideration for appointment. All others who have undergone the assessment process for the position being staffed will also be notified that they have not been selected for appointment at this time.

### IMPORTANT, ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Be sure to include proof of being stationed in Europe (e.g. NATO SOFA stamp). For those incoming during current APS, please note that you can apply with a copy of your sponsor's posting message – however, a SOFA stamp will be required prior to starting employment.
- Candidates need to submit their application via our online platform: <u>RCPO Inventory</u> (ONLY ONLINE APPLICATIONS WILL BE CONSIDERED IN THIS STAFFING PROCESS)
- Your application must include an email address and you must ensure that this address is functional and
  monitored at all times and accepts messages from unknown users (some email systems block these types
  of email). Failure to respond in a prescribed timeframe may result in elimination from this process.
- When using this inventory, the Staffing and Classification Advisor responsible consults with the manager to
  determine the requirements of the position being staffed. This includes merit criteria and Right Fit selection
  requirements.
- The Department may identify other relevant experience criteria and then evaluate candidates based on the needs of the sector.
- You may be assessed using a variety of assessment tools, such as, but not limited to: written exams, interviews, reference checks, etc.
- Your overall conduct and communications, including email correspondence, throughout the entire process may be used in the assessment of qualifications.
- Persons are entitled to participate in the appointment process in the official language of their choice.

- Achieving the pass mark on any of the assessments used does not mean you will move forward in the selection process. Management may decide to use a score that is higher than the pass mark on any of the evaluations used throughout the selection process.
- Depending on the needs of the organization, a random selection and or top-down selection may be used at any time during the process to identify which applicants from the inventory will be assessed.
- A pool of partially qualified candidates may be established through this process to staff identical or similar positions.
- Appointments are based on merit, which is achieved when the person appointed meets the essential qualifications for the work to be performed, and consideration has been given to:
  - ✓ Any additional qualifications that are an asset to perform the work or for the organization, currently or in the future;
  - ✓ Any current or future operational requirement; and/or
  - ✓ Any current or future organizational need.
- Costs associated with assessment will not be paid or reimbursed by the employer (i.e. travel or any other administrative costs)
- Lateral transfers are possible within the organization, and these individuals may be given preference in the staffing process.
- Any potential conflicts of interest will be considered when determining your eligibility for referral for a specific position; in order to do so you effectively, you may be asked for additional clarifying details.
- Security clearance: Those selected must meet this condition on appointment and maintain it throughout their tenure in the position.
- Other conditions of employment may be required for some positions. These conditions will be communicated to the candidates considered for that specific appointment.
- A person employed full-time on an indefinite basis, who has been laid-off in the last twelve months may be
  entitled to be appointed in priority to all other persons, to a position at the respective Mission for which,
  in the opinion of the Deputy Minister, the employee is qualified.