## NYC OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER

## JOB VACANCY NOTICE

Title: Senior Investment Analyst - Real Estate

Salary: \$80,000 - \$95,000

Bureau/Division: Bureau of Asset Management / Private Markets (Real Estate)

Period: November 1, 2018 - Until Filled

### **JOB DESCRIPTION**

The New York City Comptroller's Office Bureau of Asset Management (BAM) is responsible for oversight of the investment portfolio of the New York City Retirement Systems (Systems), which is comprised of five pension systems. This \$197 billion portfolio is managed primarily by external investment managers, and is largely invested in publicly traded securities, with growing allocations to private equity, real estate, infrastructure, hedge funds and opportunistic fixed income investments.

The Senior Investment Analyst will assist in overseeing the operations and ongoing monitoring of private real estate investments, which are valued at \$8 billion on behalf of the Systems. The majority of the investments are held in open-end or closed real estate funds, but also include separate accounts, joint ventures and limited partnerships. Investments cover both equity and debt on core and non-core real estate located in the U.S, European and Asian markets.

Under the general direction of the Head of the division, responsibilities include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Maintaining internal databases of prospective investment opportunities; performing technical analyses and developing fund summaries on prospective investment opportunities; working with the investment team and the Systems' consultants to identify, review and evaluate prospective investment opportunities;
- Preparing decision-making documents for internal Investment Committees and for Boards of Trustees; coordinating the administrative processes required for all investments; assisting the investment team, the General Counsel's office, and consultants in the legal negotiation and the legal documentation processes of new investment agreements and other related contracts;
- Monitoring and managing the portfolio of existing investments to ensure compliance with the terms of the limited partnership agreement and other contracts; maintaining internal databases of existing investments; constructing financial models, performing technical analyses and developing update fund summaries for existing investments;
- Preparing research analyses on market trends, strategies, industries, sectors, geographies and other topics as required; developing, updating and ensuring the accuracy of reports that track partnership reporting, including the financial statements, quarterly reports, notices of distributions, capital calls and investment valuations;
- Working closely with the investment operations team, the Systems' consultants and custodian to report internally on the performance of the Systems' investment portfolio; assisting in processing capital calls and distributions; monitoring, tracking and processing amendment requests, consent notices and other contract changes;

- Participating in limited partner advisory committee meetings, annual meetings and quarterly
  update calls and using relationships with general partners to monitor fund developments;
  preparing written meeting reports; updating reports to track Systems' activity; and
  coordinating investment conferences and other events;
- Liaising with multiple internal and external constituencies, including internal risk, legal counsel and cash management teams; external fund managers, consultants, peer institutional investors and industry organizations;
- Preparing presentations, analyses and appendices used in annual implementation and strategic plans; and, performing other related assignments or special projects as required.

## MINIMUM QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

- 1. A graduate degree from an accredited college or university in business, finance, accounting, real estate or a closely related field, and two (2) or more years of progressively responsible experience in investment banking or asset management (real estate or private equity), or similar experience at a consulting firm or in a closely related area; **or**
- 2. BS/BA degree from an accredited college with major studies in the fields mentioned above and four (4) or more years of progressively responsible professional experience as described above; **or**
- 3. A satisfactory equivalent of education and experience mentioned above.

### PREFERRED SKILLS IN ADDITION TO MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

- Clearly demonstrated professional investment experience in institutional real estate expected;
- Excellent accounting, writing, presentation, interpersonal, communication, organizational and process management skills;
- Strong Excel and PowerPoint skills are a must.

# TO APPLY, GO TO: Employment Opportunities at www.comptroller.nyc.gov

The selected candidate will be subject to the financial disclosure requirements of the office's Personal Trading Policy.

**Certain residency requirements may apply.** We appreciate every applicant's interest; however, only those under consideration will be contacted.

Note: Vacancy notices listed as "Until Filled" will be posted for at least five work days.

POSTING DATE:
November 1, 2018

POST UNTIL:
Until Filled

JVN:
015/019/036