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# Bureau of Overseas Buildings Operations

The U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Overseas Buildings Operations (OBO), is the property manager for overseas diplomatic facilities and one of the world's largest and most experienced real estate developers. It has a mission to provide the most effective facilities for United States diplomacy abroad.

With a \$75 billion portfolio replacement value and more than 270 locations throughout the world, OBO's facilities and workforce are dedicated to representing American values and the best in American architecture, design, engineering, technology, sustainability, art, culture, and construction execution.

OBO's organizational structure includes offices that focus on management, technical, and operational support to provide industry-leading resilient facilities that represent the nation and support personnel in achieving U.S. foreign policy objectives. Each is responsible for promoting continuous improvement facilitated by a culture of optimizing people and processes and supporting technology. OBO has opportunities in the following areas:

- **Architecture**
- **Art Curation**
- **Construction Management**
- **Civil/Electrical/Facilities/Industrial/  
Mechanical/Structural Engineering**
- **Facility Management**
- **Financial Management**
- **Historic Preservation**
- **Interior Design**
- **Policy Planning**
- **Real Estate**
- **Safety and Health**
- **Security**

OBO offers career opportunities for **Civil Service** who serve domestically and **Foreign Service Specialists** who serve worldwide and periodically rotate positions in the United States. You can contribute your diverse educational and cultural background, knowledge, innovative thinking, and perspective to support and expand OBO's efforts worldwide.

For more information on each career track, including positions currently open for application, visit <https://careers.state.gov/career-paths/foreign-service/specialist/buildings-construction-operations-and-maintenance/>.

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