



Jackson Municipal Airport Authority's mission is to connect Jackson to the world, and the world to Jackson. If you'd like to see your career take flight and help us deliver on this mission, apply with us today! If you land a position with JMAA, there are abundant benefits you may be eligible for including medical, dental, vision, life and disability insurances, generous time off benefits, a rich retirement program and more! JMAA encourages the development of its team members and has an education reimbursement program too. If you have the skills to successfully fill one of our open positions, we would love to speak with you!

JMAA is currently looking for qualified candidates to fill the role of **Director of External Affairs**.

#### **What traits do we seek? Successful candidates will...**

- Shine at communicating effectively, building relationships, and resolving conflicts while demonstrating high ethical standards
- Works closely with leadership across the Authority to: raise external/internal visibility; increase revenue; and create awareness and excitement about JMAA mission, services, leadership, and staff.
- Maintains and nurtures the relationships with government, associated authorities and all committees, legislatively represent and protect organization interests.
- Bachelor's degree in Airport Management, Business Administration, Public Administration, Political Science, or related field with extensive experience in the aviation field. Advanced Degree such as Masters, PH.D, JD.
- 5+ years of leadership experience, demonstrating progressively increasing responsibility, with demonstrated success in external affairs, strategic development with local government entities.
- Have a valid Mississippi driver's license and ability to receive authorization to drive in secured areas.

#### **What Do You Get to Do? You will...**

- Promotes the image of the Jackson Municipal Airport Authority by traveling extensively domestically and internationally; meeting with mid- and high-level governmental officials, industry executives, business leaders, civic and professional groups, and employees regarding organization activities.
- Work with the Government and Regulatory Affairs team that includes local, state, and federal operations, policies, and strategy
- Responsible for ensuring continued and growing recognition of JMAA capacity and public image
- Influences present and future services by determining and evaluating current and future trends; analyzing statistics regarding market development; acquiring and analyzing data; consulting with internal and external sources; working with Finance, Capital Programming, and Commercial
- Development on plans for expansion of facilities and services; recommending policies and programs to increase public understanding of airport system activities.
- Achieves financial objectives by preparing an annual budget; scheduling expenditures; analyzing variances; monitoring staff expenditures; initiating corrective action.
- Complies with federal, state, and local legal requirements by studying existing and new legislation; anticipating future legislation; enforcing adherence to requirements; advising senior management on needed action.

- Maintains professional and technical knowledge by attending educational workshops; reviewing professional publications; establishing personal networks; benchmarking state-of-the art practices; participating in professional groups.
- Contributes to team effort by accomplishing related responsibilities as needed.
- Identify industry trends, legislative and economic factors that will impact current/future Airport operations, services, and administration
- Partners with relevant Airport departments, business leaders and other subject matter experts to draft model legislation, and prepare mark-ups, amendments, and testimony as necessary
- Develop and execute business strategies in coordination with Airport departments that will foster agency and business growth
- Provide strategic and political leadership that will generate new and innovative solutions
- May perform other duties as assigned.

If you are up for this amazing career opportunity where the sky is the limit, send your resume to [recruiter@jmaa.com](mailto:recruiter@jmaa.com) and be sure to include “**Director of External Affairs**” in the subject line. We welcome you to learn more about us at [jmaa.com](http://jmaa.com).

This job posting is a summary of the primary duties and responsibilities of the position. It is not intended to be a comprehensive listing of all duties and responsibilities. A detailed job description will be provided during the interview.

We’re an equal opportunity employer. All applicants will be considered for employment without attention to race, color, religion, sex (including pregnancy, gender identity, and sexual orientation), national origin, age (40 or older), disability, genetic information, and any other protected status.

# EOE, M/F, D/V

## APPLICANT DATA RECORD

All applicants are considered for the applied position without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, marital status, veteran status, disability (if performance ability coincides with job requirements), or any other legally protected status.

Solely to help us comply with government record keeping, reporting and other legal requirements, we ask that you complete this Applicant Data Record. We appreciate your cooperation. The completion of this Data Record is optional. If you choose to volunteer the requested information, please note that all Data Records are kept in a Confidential File and are not a part of your Application for Employment or your personnel file. Periodic Reports are made to the government on the following information.

YOUR COOPERATION IS VOLUNTARY. INCLUSION OR EXCLUSION OF ANY DATA WILL NOT AFFECT ANY EMPLOYMENT DECISION.

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Last Name		First Name		MI
Check one:	Sex:	<input type="checkbox"/> Male	<input type="checkbox"/> Female	
Check one:	Marital Status	<input type="checkbox"/> Married	<input type="checkbox"/> Single	

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Check one of the following:

<input type="checkbox"/> White	<input type="checkbox"/> African American	<input type="checkbox"/> American Indian/Alaskan Native
<input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic	<input type="checkbox"/> Asian/Pacific Islander	<input type="checkbox"/> Other Specify: _____

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How did you hear about us? Check one of the following:

<input type="checkbox"/> Walk-In	<input type="checkbox"/> Employment Agency	<input type="checkbox"/> Friend/Relative
<input type="checkbox"/> Newspaper	<input type="checkbox"/> College/Tech School	<input type="checkbox"/> Other Specify: _____



**100 INTERNATIONAL DRIVE, SUITE 300  
JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI 39208**

**Application for Employment**  
(Please Print or Type in Black Ink)

**WE ARE AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER**

Applicants are considered for all positions without regard to race, religion, gender, national origin, age, veteran status, the presence of a non-job related physical or mental condition, handicap, or disability, or any other legally protected status. If you require accommodation or assistance in completing this application or in any stage of the employment process, please let us know.

APPLICATION FOR: **Director of External Affairs**  
ADVERTISEMENT PERIOD: **7/26/2019-8/9/2019**

<b>Personal:</b>			
Last Name _____		First Name _____	
MI _____			
Address _____			
City _____		State _____	Zip _____
Social Security # _____			
Home Phone # (____) _____		Alternate Phone # (____) _____	
Driver License # _____		Class _____	Expiration _____
State _____			

When will you be available to begin if selected for the position? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you available to work shifts? Yes  No

Are you authorized to work in the U.S. on an unrestricted basis? Yes  No   
*(Proof of citizenship or immigration status will be required upon employment)*

Have you ever been employed with JMAA before? Yes  No   
If yes, give dates \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever been convicted of a crime other than minor traffic violations? Yes  No   
If yes, state nature of offense, when, where and disposition \_\_\_\_\_

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*(A conviction will not necessarily disqualify an applicant from employment)*

Do you have any relatives presently employed by the Jackson Municipal Airport Authority? Yes  No   
If yes, list names and relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Employment with the Jackson Municipal Airport Authority is contingent upon the ability to be granted and maintain ID/secure media badge as regulated by TSA, and a valid driver's license and motor vehicle report in compliance with JMAA's Drivers Policy. A comprehensive pre-employment background check includes an education/experience investigation, a medical physical exam, a drug/alcohol screen, a motor vehicle report and a fingerprint-based criminal history record check.

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ SOCIAL SECURITY #: \_\_\_\_\_

Education & Training													
	High School				College/Technical/Business				Graduate School				
School Name & Location													
Years Completed (circle)	9	10	11	12	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	5
Diploma/Degree (Verification of education required) Describe Course of Study:													
Describe Specialized Training, Apprenticeships, Extra-Curricular Activities, Foreign Languages:													

**Employment Experience**

Start with your present or last job. If unemployed, start with your immediate past employment. Be specific and complete. Include military service assignments and volunteer activities. Any military service must be documented by providing a DD214 along with this application. Exclude organizational names that indicate race, color, religion, gender, national origin, disabilities or other protected status. Explain any gaps between employments. Failure to explain any gaps in employment will be justification for your disqualification from the selection process. Use additional sheets if necessary.

Your Job Title _____	Telephone Number ( _____ ) _____
Company Name _____	Employed Dates (Indicate Month, Day and Year)
Address _____	From: _____ To: _____
City, State, Zip _____	Annual Salary:
Name of Supervisor _____	Start _____ Last _____
Describe Your Duties: _____	Reason for Leaving _____
_____	_____
_____	May We Contact This Employer? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
_____	If No, Please Explain _____
_____	_____
Full-Time <input type="checkbox"/>	Part-Time <input type="checkbox"/>

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_____	If No, Please Explain _____
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**Additional Skills**

State any additional information you feel may be helpful to us in considering your application.

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Indicate any professional licenses or certificates, license numbers, their expiration dates and issuing agency.

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**References:**

List the name, address, and telephone number of at least three references who are not related to you and are not previous employers.

Name	Address	Telephone Number

**Applicant's Statement**

I certify that answers given herein are true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

I understand that an investigation of all statements contained in this application for employment will be conducted, to include at a minimum: personal and business references; employment history; education/technical training; and military service. If a conditional offer of employment is extended, I understand that my hiring may be contingent upon successful completion of job-related testing, a medical examination, an alcohol and drug screening, a criminal background investigation, and a motor vehicle report. I agree, upon request, to sign all necessary authorization and consent forms.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Applicant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**THIS APPLICATION FORM MUST BE COMPLETED IN FULL, SIGNED AND DATED.**





# Jackson Municipal Airport Authority

Human Resources Department  
Post Office Box 98109  
Jackson, MS 39298-8109  
Fax: (601) 664-3514

## Authorization to Release Employment Information

I hereby authorize the Jackson Municipal Airport Authority to obtain information pertaining to my employment, attendance, performance reports, and disciplinary records from previous or current employers. I hereby authorize release of this information. This release is executed with full knowledge and understanding that the information is for the official use of the Jackson Municipal Airport Authority only as may be necessary in arriving at an employment decision.

I hereby release you, as the custodian of such records, from any and all liability for damages of any kind because of compliance with this authorization and request you to release the information requested.

Please print all information legibly with black ink.

Full Name		Social Security #	
Current Address			
City		State	Zip Code
Telephone # (Day)		Telephone # (Evening)	
Signature of Applicant		Date	