Equal Employment Opportunity Policy

At Aon, we recognize that to excel as a business we must continue to hire the best talent and secure the full participation and commitment of all employees. In keeping with this conviction, it is our policy and intent to hire and provide all staff with the opportunity to grow, develop and contribute fully to our collective success without regard to race, color, religion, creed, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, national origin, age, disability, veteran, marital, or domestic partner status, citizenship or any other status or characteristic covered by federal, state or local law.

Aon is fully committed to the maximum utilization of employees’ abilities and to the principles of equal employment opportunity. The opportunities afforded throughout the Company are available equally to all. Applicants and employees are evaluated on the basis of job qualifications—not race, color, religion, creed, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, national origin, age, disability, veteran, marital, or domestic partner status, citizenship or any other status or characteristic covered by federal, state or local law. Further, Aon provides reasonable accommodations to the known limitations of otherwise qualified individuals with disabilities unless doing so would result in an undue hardship.

Policy Implementation

- Equal employment opportunity takes place in all employment practices: hiring, promotion, demotion, transfer, recruitment, termination, rates of pay or other forms of compensation, and selection for training. Every employee has access to Company-sponsored educational, training and recreational activities.
- The Company endeavors to provide every employee with a working environment free from harassment. Individually and collectively, we share the responsibility for understanding the great importance of a respectful work environment, and for assuring that every employee is welcomed, accepted and rewarded according to his or her contribution to the attainment of our goals and objectives.
- In addition, unlawful harassment, intimidation, threats, coercion, discrimination or retaliation in any other form against anyone is strictly prohibited for: (1) making a good faith internal complaint of any conduct, act or practice violating the Company’s EEO Policy; (2) filing a complaint allowed by any equal employment opportunity law or regulation (“EEO laws”); (3) participating in an investigation or any other activity undertaken by the Company or any governmental agency related to compliance with our EEO policy or any EEO law; (4) opposing in good faith any act or practice that violates any EEO law; or (5) exercising any right under any EEO law.
- We know that positive, results-oriented action to advance equal employment opportunity serves the best interests of the Company, its employees and the communities in which it operates. Towards this end, the Director of Corporate Human Resources serves as Aon’s Equal Employment Opportunity Compliance Officer with overall responsibility for monitoring program effectiveness and assuring compliance with this policy. Managers at all levels are responsible for assuring full compliance with this policy in their respective areas. Each employee is responsible for supporting equal opportunity, assisting the Company in meeting its objectives in this area, and assuring that their own conduct conforms to the Company’s commitment to equal employment opportunity.
- If an employee has any questions about the Company’s policy on equal employment opportunity, the Company encourages the employee to talk to his or her Supervisor, Department Head, local Human Resources Representative, the Corporate Human Resources Department or the Law Division. Any conduct or action inconsistent with the Company’s commitment to equal employment opportunity should be reported by following the Company’s Problem Solving Procedure. Any supervisor or manager who receives such a complaint (whether formal or informal) must report the complaint to a local Human Resources Representative or the Corporate Human Resources Department.
Affirmative Action Policy

Aon is committed to the principles of affirmative action. Each year, the Company develops and implements affirmative action programs at each of its facilities. These action plans are designed to ensure equal opportunity and to promote the employment and advancement of women, minorities, persons with disabilities and qualified covered veterans in accordance with our obligations as a contractor to the United States federal government and State and local governments.