The Southern District of Alabama Federal Defender Organization (SALFDO) is accepting applications for the position of Investigator. SALFDO is a nonprofit corporation established pursuant to 18 U.S.C. §3006A to provide legal representation to indigent persons in federal criminal cases. The corporation is funded by the Administrative Office of the United States Courts in Washington, D.C.

**Job Description:** Investigators are part of the Federal Defenders team representing indigent defendants charged with federal crimes ranging from supervised release violations to drug and gun crimes, possession and distribution of child pornography, and complex fraud. The work includes investigation of pending charges, and developing sentencing mitigation.

**Requirements and Qualifications:** Five years of experience in criminal investigation, including locating witnesses, interviewing, and report writing are required. Experience using still / video cameras required. Excellent communication skills and a college degree are preferred. The successful candidate should be computer and social media literate, familiar with a Windows platform, and be proficient with MS Word, Adobe Acrobat, and Accurint (or similar database search tools). Fluency in Spanish is a plus.

Familiarity with document review and analysis in a litigation support platform such as CaseMap or with video editing software, trial presentation tools, and reports generated by forensic tools such as FTK and Cellebrite are welcome.

The successful candidate must have a valid driver’s license, reliable transportation and insurance as applicable.

**Salary:** Commensurate with experience. This position is subject to Electronic Funds Transfer (direct deposit) for payment of salary. Hiring is subject to the availability of funds.

This is an at-will appointment and as such may be terminated at will or without cause by the Defender at any time. Please submit a letter of interest, resume, writing samples (include investigation reports) and references to:

Debra Davis, Administrative Officer  
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11 North Water Street,  
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No telephone calls please.  
No funds are available for reimbursement of travel expenses in connection with interviews.

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Proof of U.S. citizenship or other employment eligibility required.