The Madison Wisconsin Police Department is seeking mature-minded men and women who possess integrity and self-confidence. Strong written and verbal communication skills, as well as a desire to work with the community are essential. We are currently accepting applications for Police Officer, with an expected hire date in 2018. No prior law enforcement experience or training is required! Successful past applicants have typically had significant educational and/or life experiences. Many have previously worked in teaching, social work, business, or a variety of other professions.

A career with the Madison Police Department is both challenging and rewarding. We are an innovative organization, proud of our diversity and that of the community we serve.

Annual Salary: $48,936 increases to $54,414 after six months with an excellent benefit package. Educational Incentive: Base of $69,987 after 42 months with undergraduate degree. Entry deadline is October 20, 2017.

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MPD Hiring Process

- **Application Deadline:** October 20, 2017
- **Written & Physical Agility Testing:** September 24 & November 19
  - Consolidated Testing for Distant Candidates (Living more than 6 hours from Madison - January 7, 2018)
- **Oral Board Interviews:** approximately 6-8 weeks after your initial testing day.
- **Background Investigations:** can begin immediately after an oral board interview, or no later than February, 2018.
- **Trilogy:** Chief’s Interview, Personality Assessment and Ride-Along with a Field Training Officer—March 2018.
- **Tentative Job Offers:** April, 2018
- **Medical Clearance:** TBD, 2018
- **Final Job Offers:** TBD, 2018
- **Academy begins:** TBD, 2018
ABOUT LIFE IN MADISON, WISCONSIN...

- Named “America’s Most Beautiful College Campuses” Travel & Leisure, September, 2016.
- Named “America’s Best College Football Towns” Travel & Leisure, August, 2016.
- Ranked “#3 in Top 100 Best Places to Live 2016” Livability.com, September 2015.
- Ranked “#3 in Top Ten Healthiest Cities” Livability.com, April, 2015.
- Named “10 Most Livable Neighborhoods in the U.S.” AARP, April, 2015.
- Ranked “#1 in America’s 10 Best College Football Towns” USA Today, November, 2014.
- Ranked “#2 for Young Entrepreneurs” NerdWallet, November, 2014.
- Ranked “#1 in Top 100 Places to Live” Livability.com, September, 2014.
- Ranked “#1 Best College Football Towns” NCAA, September, 2014.
- Ranked “#1 Best U.S. Cities for Quality of Life” NerdWallet.com, August, 2014.
- Named “Travel Active Getaway” Midwest Living, June, 2014.
- Ranked “#4 Best Cycling Towns” USA Today Travel, April, 2014.
- Ranked “#3 in 15 Best Cities for Young Adults” Forbes, January, 2014.
- Named “Forbes Best Places for Business & Careers” Forbes, 2013, Madison Profile
- Named “#3 in Best Iconic American Foods” by USA Today & 10Best, August, 2013.
- Ranked “#5 Top Foodie Cities” by Livability.com, April, 2013.
- Ranked “2nd Best-Run City in America” by 24/7 Wall St., January, 2013.
- Named “Great Place to Raise a Family” by MSN, August, 2012.
- Ranked “#1 Best City for Young Adults” by Kiplinger, July, 2012.
- Named “#8 Best City to Raise a Family” by Parenting Magazine, July, 2012.
- Ranked “#6 Bike Friendly City” by Bicycling Magazine, June, 2012.
- Ranked “3rd Best-Run City” by 24/7 Wall St., January, 2012.
- Ranked in Top Ten for “Best Town to Live” by Outside Magazine, October, 2011.
- Ranked “Most Educated City in America” by Men’s Health Magazine, September, 2011.
- Ranked “Best City for Educated Workers” by the Huffington Post, September, 2011.
- Named “3rd Best City for Young Professionals”, by Forbes, July, 2011.
- Ranked “6th Best City for Families” by Parenting.com, June, 2011.
- Ranked in Top Ten for “Greatest Cycling Cities” by USA Today, 2011.
- Ranked “Most Secure Place to Live in America” by Farmers Insurance Group of Companies, December, 2010.
- Ranked “#1 in Five Star Food Towns” by Midwest Living, 2010.
- Listed in Money magazine’s “Best 100 Places to Live”, 2010.
- Ranked “#7 in Top 50 Bike-Friendly Cities” by Bicycling, April 2010.
- Ranked “#2 Healthiest US City for Men” by Men’s Health, Jan/Feb 2010.
- Ranked “#20 in Best Places to Start a Small Business” by CNN Money, 2009.
- Named as one of “The Top Ten Places to Buy a Home” on ABC News Good Morning America, August 2009.
- Ranked “#3 Most Secure U.S. City” by a Farmer’s Insurance Study, Dec 2009.