"The Nation's Bank", **National Bank of Pakistan** aims to support the financial well-being of the Nation along with enabling sustainable growth and inclusive development through its wide local and international network of branches. Being one of the leading and largest banks of Pakistan, National Bank of Pakistan is contributing significantly towards socioeconomic growth in the country with an objective to transform the institution into a future-fit, agile and sustainable Bank.

In line with our strategy, the Bank is looking for talented, dedicated and experienced professional(s) for the following position in the area of **Information Technology** based in **Karachi**.

The individuals who fulfill the below basic-eligibility criteria may apply for the following position:

02	Position / Job Title	Systems Administrator (AVP / VP)
	Reporting to	- Unit Head - Systems Administration (AIX / LINUX) - Unit Head - AD, Exchange & Internet Security - Unit Head - Systems Administration (Windows) - Unit Head - Virtualization & Storage - Unit Head - Databases Administration
	Educational / Professional Qualification	- Minimum Bachelor's degree in IT / Computer Science / Engineering or equivalent and / or Graduation with Master's degree in IT / Computer Science or equivalent, from a local or international university / college / institute recognized by the HEC - Candidates having relevant certification(s) will be preferred
	Experience	Minimum 06 years of experience in the field of IT, out of which at least 04 years of experience in Systems Administration, preferably in bank(s)
	Other Skills / Expertise / Knowledge Required	- Expertise in "any" of the following platforms / languages: - LINUX administration with experience of Redhat, Ubuntu, CentOS, shell / bash scripting - AIX (IBM) administration with experience of LPAR, HMC, security hardening, patching upgrades - Microsoft Windows Server (MS) Administration with experience of Active Directory, Exchange, SCCM, DHCP and DNS Management, ROOT CA and Digicert SSL Certificate - Oracle Product administration for Oracle Exadata / Weblogic / Golden Gate / Cloud Control (original equipment manufacture's) with experience of Oracle Databases, RAC, Data Guard and knowledge of DB component - MSSQL Server Administration with experience of SQL AlwaysON, HA/DR and knowledge of DB components - Strong working knowledge of system architecture and administration concepts - Good understanding of RFPs (Request for Proposals), support renewals and SLAs (Service Level Agreements) - Ability to work closely within a team
	Outline of Main Duties / Responsibilities	- To manage IT infrastructure effectively and perform day-to-day support operations, monitoring of production development and testing environments - To manage upgrades, migrations, maintenance and patching activities related to all on-going projects and assignments - To manage and implement security standards i.e. encryption, security certificates, etc. - To perform back-up activities and conduct routine hardware and software audits to ensure compliance as per the standards, policies and Original Equipment Manufacture's (OEM) configuration guidelines - To monitor the performance and implement required changes for performance enhancement and ensure seamless service delivery from the production systems with maximum uptime - To perform disaster recovery planning and implementation in-line with Bank's policy - To provide 24/7 operating support with quick resolutions and escalation of issues / incidents to line manager and vendor - To promptly escalate anomalies of procedure or any suspicious activities as per the laid down procedures

		• To maintain and manage virtualize environments • To plan and make changes (where necessary) related to Security Information and Event Managements (SIEMs) solution for integration and management • To perform any other assignment as assigned by the supervisor(s)
Assessment Interview(s)		Only shortlisted candidates strictly meeting the above-mentioned basic eligibility criteria will be invited for panel interview(s).
Employment Type		The employment will be on contractual basis, for three years which may be renewed on discretion of the Management. Selected candidates will be offered compensation package and other benefits as per Bank's policy / rules.

Interested candidates may visit the website **www.sidathyder.com.pk/careers** and apply online within 10 working days from the date of publication of this advertisement as per given instructions.

Applications received after due date will not be considered in any case. No TA / DA will be admissible for interview.

National Bank of Pakistan is an equal opportunity employer and welcomes applications from all qualified individuals, regardless of gender, religion, or disability.