Director of Public Communications Albany International Airport

Under the direction of the Chief Executive Officer, this position is responsible for acting as the spokesperson for the Airport in the absence of the CEO. Respond to media inquiries. Develop and distribute press releases regarding airport operations, expansions, or incidents. Organize press conferences for major announcements, such as new routes or airline partnerships. Maintain strong relationships with journalists, travel bloggers, and aviation media outlets.

The successful candidate will have either: A) Graduation from a regionally accredited or New York State registered college or university with a bachelor's degree and three (3) years of responsible experience in journalism, writing, public administration, public relations or public policy; or B) Graduation from a regionally accredited or New York State registered college or university with an associate's degree and five (5) years of responsible experience in journalism, writing, public administration, public relations or public policy; or C) High School Diploma or GED and seven (7) years experience as a newspaper reporter, in writing, public relations, marketing or in advertising; or D) Any equivalent combination of training and experience as indicated in A-D above. Salary to be negotiated.

A detailed job description can be found on-line in the "Employment" section of <u>albanyairport.com</u> or can be requested by contacting Debbie Pasquini, Confidential Secretary to Peter F. Stuto, Chief Executive Officer, via email (dpasquini@albanyairport.com) or by calling 518-242-2244.

Position is immediately available. Please send cover letter, resume and references, no later than April 11, 2025, to Peter F. Stuto, Chief Executive Officer, Albany County Airport Authority, Albany International Airport, 737 Albany-Shaker Road, Main Terminal – Suite 300, Albany, New York 12211, Attention: Debbie Pasquini or via email to dpasquini@albanyairport.com.