

is successful completion of the course conducted at the U.S. Army Military Police School, Fort Gordon, Ga. The current minimum qualifications for entry into that course are:

- (a) Minimum age: 25.
- (b) Education: Two years of college or the equivalent, with training in psychology of college level.
- (c) Grade: Warrant or commissioned officer.
- (d) Years of investigative experience: Minimum of 3 years of interrogation or investigative experience in the Intelligence Corps and operational evaluation reports for the previous 3 years must indicate a preponderance of superior to outstanding ratings.
- (e) Be a U.S. citizen.
- (f) No history of mental disorder.
- (g) Suitable character, loyalty, integrity, discretion, as established by a background investigation.
- (h) No record of convictions by a civil court for offenses other than minor traffic violations, and no record of conviction by a general or special court-martial.
- (i) Language proficiency: Passing score on the Army language aptitude test, or rating of "Fair" in the Army language proficiency test in one or more languages.

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ONI: The minimum requirements requested by this question are as follows:

- (a) Age: 25.
- (b) Education: College graduate.
- (c) Grade or rank: Pay grades 9 through 14.
- (d) Years of investigative experience: 2.
- (e) Length of specialized training: Special agents basic school, 4 weeks; polygraph school, 2 weeks.

It is stressed that these are minimum requirements and as a matter of record, the average age of authorized polygraph operators during fiscal 1964 was 40.5 years; average experience as polygraph operators was 4 years; average investigative experience was 10 years; and the youngest authorized polygraph operator during fiscal 1964 was 29 years of age. It is also to be noted that while the minimum years of investigative experience required is stated to be 2, the fact is that prior to consideration for training as a polygraph operator, the selectee must have demonstrated a proficiency and skill in interrogation over a period of at least 18 months. It is very doubtful that a man would have the opportunity to acquire this experience in his first 2 years of employment with the Office of Naval Intelligence.

Marine Corps: Minimum qualification for polygraph examiners are: Pay grade E-5 or above, experienced in military police duties, no convictions by special or general court-martial, no civil convictions with the exception of minor traffic violations, GCT score of 110, high school graduate or equivalent, normal color perception, appropriate security clearance based on a background investigation, minimum age of 25, with demonstrated mental and moral stability, and be a graduate of the criminal investigations course, U.S. Army Provost Marshal General's School, Fort Gordon, Ga. In addition, operators receive training in military justice, investigative methods,