Research Analyst  
Brown University, Providence RI  
Full time, on site

Job Description:

The Research Analyst will work on multiple projects with Principal Investigator (PI) Matt Kraft. The job entails close collaboration with Professor Kraft and his team on research in the economics of education and education policy. Examples of past research topics include teacher evaluation and professional growth, teacher-parent communication, school working conditions, students’ social and emotional skills, and district hiring practices. For more information on Professor Kraft and his ongoing research please visit www.matthewakraft.com.

Anticipated start date of June 1 (with flexibility). Applications will be reviewed beginning on March 1st and will continue until the position is filled.

Major Responsibilities:

- Leading data collections efforts in schools
- Conducting literature reviews across a diverse range of disciplines
- Conducting complex quantitative data analyses
- Collaborating on scholarly articles and writing policy memos and grant applications

Qualifications:

- Background in economics of education.
- Skills in quantitative data analysis and program evaluation.
- Proficiency in Stata.
- Ability to work with other researchers.
- An earned Bachelor degree and preferably a master’s degree and/or two years of professional experience in education, economics, public policy, or related fields

Documents required to apply:

- A cover letter describing: your interest in the position and career goals, the date you are able to start work, your familiarity with Stata and other programming languages, a description of relevant prior experience with project management and independent research (e.g., a senior thesis)
- Writing sample (of any type)
- CV
- An unofficial transcript
- An example .do file from Stata (if possible).
- Names, e-mail addresses, and phone numbers of 3 references (letters are not required)

Criminal Background Check required.