



Call for Research Assistant/Associate - Macroeconomics (1 position)

Pahle India Foundation invites application for the post of Research Assistant/Research Associate with preferably 1-3 years work experience in the area of **Macroeconomics/ International Economics/International Trade**.

Organization Overview

PIF was established in June 2014 as a not for profit, financial, economic and political research think tank. Its rapidly expanding team of young and committed researchers is dedicated to the task of '*facilitating policy change*' for achieving the necessary paradigm shift in development thinking and practices for India to achieve the aspirational goal of becoming a high income economy (in PPP terms) by 2050. PIF aspires to be a 21st century organization that encourages and supports creativity, non-hierarchical working conditions and collegial and collaborative.

Position Summary

The candidate should be adept at applied economic research and statistical analysis through use of econometric techniques when required. The initial contract for the selected candidate will be for six months which would be renewed further upon performance evaluation. In case of outstanding candidates who meet PIF's requirements, the probation requirement can be waived.

Qualifications

Masters/MPhil degree in Economics or Econometrics. Candidates with a Masters degree should have minimum 1-3 years work experience in a think tank or a research institution with focus on Macroeconomics and data backed analysis statistical analysis.

Remuneration

Higher than in comparable think tanks

Primary Responsibilities

- Rigorous economic analysis based on statistical evidence
- Econometric model modelling
- Data Mining and Analysis
- Making Policy Briefs
- Regularly publishing in economic journals/magazines and dailies

Knowledge and Skill Requirements

- Strong communication skills and excellent written skills
- Knowledge of econometric packages such as STATA and SPSS
- Proficiency in making presentations, report writing and delivering high accuracy in all work products
- Knowledge of MS Office, especially Word, Excel and Powerpoint
- Active and interested in using social media for content distribution

In addition to the above, the ideal candidate would be a team player, highly motivated, particular about observing deadlines and prepared for outcome based performance evaluation. PIF follows a progressive HR policy that includes flexi time, outcome based increments and premium on collegial and non-hierarchical working conditions. He/ she should be flexible in working hours and willing to travel.

Application Procedure

Applicants should send CV and Cover Letter to careers@pahleindia.org