

JOB POSTING



THE BUCKEYE INSTITUTE

The Buckeye Institute is seeking to hire a full-time economic research analyst to work on-site, in person, in Columbus, Ohio.

The economic research analyst will conduct research, assist in preparing dynamic economic models, draft policy papers, and collaborate with other staff of The Buckeye Institute. The economic research analyst will help create free-market public policy solutions for a diverse range of economic issues, including but not limited to fiscal (tax and budget) policy, energy, labor, education, and health care.

Job Duties

- Gather and input data to help model the potential economic impact of public policy proposals at the state level; examples include: changes in tax law and energy prices;
- Assist in conducting rigorous research and drafting original policy papers and opinion pieces, primarily in fiscal and energy policy; and
- Work with the executive director of Buckeye's Economic Research Center to achieve the organization's larger objectives.

Education and Skills Required

- Proficiency in at least one statistical programming language strongly preferred, especially MATLAB or STATA;
- A degree in economics (or similar subject) demonstrating a proficient understanding of econometrics;
- Initiative to start and complete work projects thoroughly and on time;
- Demonstrated commitment to free-market principles;
- Ability to work both independently and with a team; and
- Ability to write clearly and concisely for a wide-range of audiences.

The economic research analyst is expected to work full-time during regular business hours when The Buckeye Institute's office in Columbus, Ohio, is open (9 a.m. to 5 p.m.).

Application Instructions

Please submit the following to Manager@BuckeyeInstitute.org:

- Résumé or C.V.;
- Cover letter explaining why you are interested in this position at The Buckeye Institute;
- Writing sample of no more than 10 pages that has not been edited by anyone else, which can be in the form of a blog post, a short paper, or an excerpt from a longer paper; and
- Two references of people who have overseen your past professional work or academic research.

About The Buckeye Institute

Founded in 1989, The Buckeye Institute is an independent research and educational institution—a think tank—whose mission is to advance free-market public policy in the states.

The staff at Buckeye accomplish the organization’s mission by performing timely and reliable research on key issues, compiling and synthesizing data, formulating sound free-market policies, and promoting those solutions for implementation in Ohio and replication in states across the country.

The Buckeye Institute is located directly across the street from the Ohio Statehouse on Capitol Square in Columbus, where it assists legislative and executive branch policymakers by providing ideas, research, and data to enable the lawmakers’ effectiveness in advocating free-market public policy solutions.

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