

Coherent Economics

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Research Analyst

Please submit your application by September 24, 2025, at 11:59 PM. Applications received after that date may be considered on a rolling basis through September 29, 2025, at 11:59 PM.

Description

Coherent is seeking Research Analysts to join our team with a January or June 2026 start.

As an Analyst at Coherent Economics, you will have the opportunity to work on some of the most challenging issues in law and economics today. You will also benefit from the Coherent's culture of excellence and supportiveness.

We take great pride in our culture. The entire Coherent Economics team worked together to develop our Values, and each new team member must agree to uphold them. Our Core Values guide the firm's philosophy, vision, and strategy, and our Workplace Values guide our daily actions. Together, these values define who we are as a firm and as professionals.

Among our Workplace Values, you will find critical behaviors such as "challenge, celebrate, and support each other," "every challenge is an opportunity to learn," and "offer candid, timely, and actionable feedback." As a Research Analyst at Coherent, you will be a beneficiary of these values.

These processes, combined with the on-the-job training and mentorship provided by our staff, will provide you with the tools and confidence to contribute in a meaningful way on every project, gain exposure to clients and experts, and advance your career.

Responsibilities

Research Analysts are expected to learn the basics of data analysis, detailed research, preparing professional-quality work product, and the economic consulting industry. Our work is engagement-specific, and responsibilities vary from project to project. You will be expected to:

- Perform detailed research on securities, firms, industries, and markets
- Analyze data using Microsoft Excel, Stata, R, Python, and other programs
- Review, summarize, and analyze confidential discovery materials
- Create professional quality visualizations, and other summary materials
- Assist in the preparation of reports and presentations
- Organize and maintain data, files, and backup materials
- Audit work product using best practices
- Participate in recruiting, marketing, and other non-consulting activities
- Adhere to the Coherent Economics Core and Workplace Values

You may need to balance multiple projects and responsibilities at a time. Our work can be intense, particularly around deadlines, and will require occasional evening or weekend work.

Qualifications

We seek individuals with strong analytical backgrounds. Equally important, we seek individuals who are resourceful, intellectually curious self-starters who have strong

Employment Type

Full-time

Start Date

January or June 2026

Job Location

Chicago, IL and College Station, TX

Base Salary

\$ 95,000

Date posted

August 25, 2025

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emotional intelligence and grit. Candidates must meet the following criteria:

- Bachelor's degree or higher in Economics, Finance, Business, Statistics, Mathematics, or a closely related field
- Minimum cumulative GPA of 3.6
- Proficient in Microsoft Office suite
- Familiar with Stata, R, Python, or a similar data analysis program
- Capable of working efficiently alone or collaboratively in teams
- Exceptionally detail and process-oriented work style
- Strong verbal and written communications skills

Job Benefits

Compensation

Salary for this full-time position will be approximately \$95,000 depending on qualifications and experience, with a performance-based bonus as well as equity compensation opportunities.

Benefits

Coherent offers its employees benefits including health, vision, and dental insurance, with a generous employer contribution. Coherent also offers short and long-term disability insurance and group term life insurance at no cost. Coherent also offers a profit-sharing 401k plan, open paid time off policy, flexible scheduling options, and wellness benefits, among other benefits.

Location and Hybrid/Remote Work Arrangements

We are currently hiring for positions based at both of our office locations: Chicago, IL and College Station, TX. Each office follows a hybrid work schedule, with specific in-office days tailored to support local team collaboration, professional development, and strong workplace culture. Candidates should be prepared to work on-site according to the schedule designated to their respective location.

Equal Opportunity and Nondiscrimination

Coherent Economics is an equal opportunity employer. We do not discriminate on the basis of race, religion, color, national origin, gender, sexual orientation, age, marital status, veteran status, or disability status.