Participate in ECON Week!

The Economics Department and Cornell Economics Society are putting on “Econ Week”, a series of events designed for underclassmen who want to explore the options for an Economics major. There will be three events, all with refreshments and time for questions. Come make connections and learn more about the major. Interested in sharing your experience/advice? Contact ag573@cornell.edu.

**The Business/Finance Path:** Hear a panel of current students discuss how Econ has helped them enter the business world.

- April 28th, 6:00 - 7:30pm in 700 Clark Hall

**“Oh The Places You’ll Go . . . with Econ”:** See the variety of applications for Economics, from Government to Fashion to Research to Psychology.

- April 29th, 6:00 - 7:30pm in 120 Physical Science Building

**Economics Q & A:** Faculty and current upperclassmen will be available to answer your questions (food included!)

- April 30th, 4:30 - 6:00pm in 477Uris Hall (the new lounge!)
Undergrad Lounge

Students are using it! It’s great to see you all taking advantage of your new space! Because open house was so popular we will be doing coffee and snacks EVERY Wednesday from 11am - 1pm. Come enjoy!

Go Away!

Cornell in Washington! Get Economics credit towards the major and learn the basics of research, all whilst living and working in DC. Still time for Fall 2014! Get more info here.

Rather study abroad? Do it! Want the A&S rules? Econ-specific programs

Arts & Sciences Career Services: The Latest News

Internships at Smaller Organizations

Do you have entrepreneurial aspirations and think that one day you might want to run your own business? Or is your mind set on finding a spot working in the Fortune 500? In either scenario, don’t make the mistake of overlooking valuable opportunities at smaller, fast-growing companies. Why work for smaller companies? Read here Looking for an internship like that? Click here.

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Is an interview in your future? Whether you expect to have interviews for on-campus jobs, summer positions, full-time positions, or a postgraduate education program, A&S Career Services is prepared to help you get ready. The keys to your success are to understand the process; prepare for it; and practice, practice, practice. Find out how to sign up here.

Walk-In Resume and Cover Letter services here.

Looking for an Econ job or summer opportunity? Check out the next few pages and this link.
3 Nobel Laureates in Economics at the I.S.E.O Summer School

SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

“Shaping the future: towards a sustainable global economy”
14-21 June 2014, Italy

Robert Engle, Nobel Laureate 2003
James Mirrlees, Nobel Laureate 1996
Michael Spence, Nobel Laureate 2001
Camilla Toulmin, Director IIED
Emanuele Ferragina, Oxford University

There are still scholarships available for the next edition of the I.S.E.O Summer School, the only summer course in the world featuring 3 Nobel Laureates. (I.S.E.O stands for Institute of Studies on Economics and Occupation). For its XI edition, which will take place in Iseo (Brescia, Italy) from 14-21 June 2014, it will feature 3 Nobel Laureates in Economics and some outstanding international economists.

Nobels will lecture every day and will be at disposal of the attendants for the whole week. Lectures of the I-S-E-O Summer School are made of a fair combination between frontal speech and debates with the participants. Every lecturer is asked to concentrate his speech in the very first part of the class and then leave the stage to students to share ideas and views in a strongly stimulating environment.

General aim

The aim of the I.S.E.O. Summer School is that of bringing together a large number of graduate students coming from the most important international universities to improve their knowledge in economics.

Application Conditions and Deadline

Post graduate students (no matter if still enrolled at university or already working), young economists, researchers, lecturers and teaching assistants can be eligible for the I.S.E.O Summer School 2014. In order to apply, students have to fill in the application form downloadable from our website www.istiseo.org. The application form should be sent via email together with a personal cv and a picture by the 21st April 2014 to the Summer School Secretariat: summerschool@istiseo.org. Early application is highly encouraged since enrollment is limited.

Fee and scholarships

The fee amounts to €2,500,00 and it includes: the course and the documentation, full boarding staying at the 4 star Iseo lago hotel (breakfast, lunch and dinner are all included) for 7 days, trips and local transportation. Personal expenses and any other expense not expressly stated are not included. Accommodation will be in double or triple room at the Iseolago hotel which is gifted with a wonderful park and a swimming pool. (For further information www.iseolagohotel.it)

In order to allow everyone to take part to such an important course, especially students coming from undeveloped countries, I.S.E.O Institute awards talented students with scholarships amounting to €1,500. Therefore awarded students shall have to pay just the remaining €1,000. Everybody can apply for the scholarship. A special committee will evaluate all the applications and will decide which students to award with the scholarship. This decision will be taken according to the cv, the profile and the academic and professional experience of each enrolled student, together with the motivation to participate to the course.

Location

The I.S.E.O Institute is located in Iseo, a peaceful and lovely town on the Iseo lake, near Brescia and Milan in Northern Italy. You can have more info on the Institute, on the Summer School and on our activities looking at the website www.istiseo.org. You can also find the video that Prof. Robert Solow made to present the Summer School and pictures of previous editions.

Secretariat

Our secretariat is at your fully disposal for any doubt or any question. Just contact Mrs. Sara via email (summerschool@istiseo.org), via Phone: 0039(0)30980423 or via Facebook (look up for Istituto Iseo). If you visit “You tube” and search for “Iseo Summer School” you can also watch some interesting videos made by previous participants.
Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas – Research Department – Research Assistant

Position Summary
Provides research assistance in the form of computer programming to access and manipulate data, producing charts and other graphics, and conducting statistical and econometric analysis. Responsible for successfully performing duties associated with providing support services and economic analysis of the highest quality while adhering to the policies and procedures of the Research Department and the Bank. Essential performance includes dedication to fulfilling expectations and requirements of both internal and external customers and management of priorities. Capable of adapting to change and committed to continuous improvement, both in the delivery of support services and in self-development; communicates clearly and accurately, both verbally and in written form.

Key Responsibilities
1. Provides a high level of support for economists and officers by locating, obtaining and compiling statistical data, constructing files, producing charts and other graphics, and performing statistical and econometric analysis under the direction of economists and officers for use in the Federal Open Market Committee briefing document, speeches and presentations, the monthly Board of Director’s Report and other projects and publications; contributes with ideas and suggestions for project improvement. Provides assistance on special projects as assigned; serves as backup support for other research assistants and research analysts as necessary.
2. Update and maintain statistical models regularly used for economic analysis, implements new models or improves existing ones under the guidance of economists through programming in various statistical packages—Eviews, SAS, STATA—and contributes to their development.
3. Maintains current knowledge of economic and business conditions for the Eleventh District and nation by attending and participating in departmental meetings such as Economic Overview prebriefings, by studying the materials requested by economists and asking questions, and by reading periodicals, books, and professional papers.
4. Performs miscellaneous research support activities such as literature searches, data gathering, etc. as requested.
5. Responds to outside requests for information from financial and academic communities, the general public and media as needed and as is consistent with other duties. Conducts data and information searches and assembles data or directs people to appropriate internet resources to fulfill requests.

Minimum Qualifications
- Bachelor’s degree in economics.
- Knowledge of macroeconomic and microeconomic theory, and international economics for a good level of understanding of principles and objectives behind various research projects.
- Experience using statistics and/or econometrics tools.
- Project management skills; oral and interpersonal skills.
- Knowledge of Microsoft Office suite.
- Ability to work under pressure to meet deadlines.
- Ability to learn new software quickly.
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