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Full-time Research Assistant Position at the Univ. of Pittsburgh

The Parents Promoting Early Learning (https://www.lrdc.pitt.edu/ppel/) project directed by Drs. Elizabeth Votruba-Drzal, Heather Bachman, and Melissa Libertus at the University of Pittsburgh are looking to hire a full-time research assistant starting as soon as possible. This position is ideal for recent college graduates looking to gain more research experience in child development before graduate school. The position mainly entails recruitment and testing of toddlers and preschool-aged children and their parents, assistance with data entry, scoring of assessments, and coding of parent-child interactions from videos.

For a full description of the position and to apply, please follow the link here.

Required qualifications:
- BA/BS and course work in psychology or related area
- Excellent interpersonal and organizational skills
- Substantial research or work experience with young children
- Basic computer skills (Microsoft Office, email, internet search)
- Valid driver's license and reliable vehicle

Please include a cover letter, CV/resume and contact information for three references with your application. Review of applications will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled. Questions can be directed to the project coordinator, Jessica Ferraro (jaf84@pitt.edu).

Job Openings with United We Dream!

United We Dream is currently hiring for three positions: Administrative Marketing Assistant, Digital Organizing Manager, and a National Communications Manager. “United We Dream is the largest immigrant youth-led community in the country. We create welcoming spaces for young people – regardless of immigration status – to support, engage, and empower them to make their voice heard and win!

Over 60% of our members are womxn and 20% identify as LGBTQ. We are made up of fearless youth fighting to improve the lives of ourselves, our families and our communities. Our vision is a society which celebrates our diversity and we believe in leading a multi-ethnic, intersectional path to get there. Whether we’re organizing in the streets, building cutting edge technology
systems, opening doors for LGBTQ immigrant youth, clearing pathways to education, stopping deportations or creating alliances across social movements, United We Dream puts undocumented immigrant youth in the driver’s seat to strategize, innovate and win.”

See their official webpage for more information about each of these positions and to apply.

**Attractive Financial Analyst Positions for Cal Students and Grads - Portola Partners**

Portola Partners is a large*, independent wealth-management firm. We welcome seniors, non-MBA master’s degree candidates, or recent Cal graduates to apply for attractive Financial Analyst positions based in Silicon Valley for a July 2023 start. Our current analysts graduated from Amherst, UC Berkeley, University of Chicago, Claremont McKenna, Cornell, UCLA, Penn, Pomona, Princeton, Santa Clara, Stanford, and Yale. Past Financial Analysts have a very strong track record of admission to top-tier business schools. We hope to hire great team players who have the long-term potential to become partners in our firm.

Students may learn more by visiting us online at [www.portolapartnersllc.com](http://www.portolapartnersllc.com).

We welcome candidates who wish to join a close-knit team with a high degree of camaraderie, collaboration, mentorship, and professional standards. We give substantial early responsibility and client contact to Financial Analysts. We provide many opportunities for learning, enrichment, and career development. We are committed to a healthy work-life balance, and our Financial Analysts work significantly fewer hours on average than analysts in investment banking or similar positions. Nevertheless, compensation, benefits, and vacation policy are highly attractive. We seek colleagues who are highly ethical, empathetic, team-oriented, analytical, motivated, and intellectually curious. Ideal candidates will possess great interpersonal skills, excellent judgment, broad problem-solving skills, and a professional, service-oriented demeanor.

**Full-Time Research Positions in Neurodevelopmental Disorders Available for Recent/New Graduates**

Neurobehavioral Treatments Discovery Lab
Full-Time Research Positions Available for New And Recent Graduates
The goal of our research group is to understand causes and advance novel, personalized treatment approaches for fragile X syndrome and related neurodevelopmental disorders. Our current laboratory and clinic-based research projects focus on human biomarker development as well as increasing successful outcomes through clinical research and treatment in young children, youth and adults impacted by fragile X and related disorders. Projects with individuals with neurodevelopmental disorders include clinical measures of behavior and cognitive ability, neuroimaging studies of brain development using Electroencephalography (EEG), functional Near Infrared Spectroscopy (fNIRS), functional Magnetic Resonance Imaging (fMRI), and transcranial magnetic stimulation (TMS), and medication treatment trials. Our overall projects frequently focus on integration of human and animal and other bench research in order to identify potential treatment targets and biomarkers of treatment response. Our lab collaborates with many top neurodevelopmental research programs conducting bench-to-bedside studies across the United States and the world. We are currently hiring research coordinators for both our human clinical research projects and in our basic science labs. These positions are varied, but generally require a bachelor’s degree in neuroscience, biology, computer science, psychology, or related field, and are for a minimum of 2 years.

Interested in what we do?
Contact us at craig.erickson@cchmc.org. Please include your resume or CV for consideration.

Nonprofit/Advocacy Opportunity for Graduating Seniors

Become an State Campaign Associate with CALPIRG

CALPIRG is seeking a Campaign Associate to help lead our Beyond Plastic campaign. Everyday, Californians throw away millions of single-use plastic containers, wrappers, packaging and other plastic “stuff.” The big problem with all that plastic is that it can take hundreds of years to fully degrade and the vast majority of it can’t be recycled. That means that almost every piece ever made is still out there piling up in our landfills, littering our streets, and polluting our environment. CALPIRG’s Beyond Plastic campaign is working to eliminate the single-use plastics we’ve known for decades we can all live without.

We are seeking a Campaign Associate who will spearhead this campaign and work with our experienced team of advocates, researchers, and digital and communications experts.
Entry-level candidates are encouraged to apply; we provide training on advocacy and organizing skills, as well as oversight and on-the-ground training by an experienced advocate. Ideal candidates will have leadership experience, top-notch written and verbal skills, an eagerness to learn, and be ready for a challenge. We value organizing experience, including building campus or community groups.

TYPICAL RESPONSIBILITIES

- **Build powerful coalitions:** Reach out to like-minded organizations and affected constituency groups to demonstrate support for our campaign goals.
- **Earn traditional media and social media attention:** Organize news conferences and write opinion pieces. Build a following on Facebook and Twitter for your campaign.
- **Lobby elected officials:** Coordinate strategy with champions in Congress. Make a convincing case to legislators who are undecided on a particular vote. When a critical vote is happening on your campaign, work to demonstrate the support you’ve been building on the ground to help line up the votes needed to win.
- **Research and write reports:** Catalog and analyze data relevant to the issue and our policy proposals to help influence public debate and earn media attention for our cause.
- **Identify and cultivate donors:** Reach out to foundations and major donors and ask them to fund your campaign.
- **Recruit new people to your team:** Help build your team recruiting volunteers, interns and full-time staff.
- **Run a grassroots campaign office each summer:** Run a campaign office for the summer to raise money to support our campaigns, build our organization and membership, and help build critical and timely grassroots support to win key campaigns while honing your organizing and management skills.

COMPENSATION & BENEFITS

The target annual compensation for this position is $30,000-$32,000 in the first year. CALPIRG offers a competitive benefits package. We also offer an excellent training program and opportunities for advancement.

TO APPLY

Fill out our online application: [https://jobs.pirg.org/CA-campaign-associate.html](https://jobs.pirg.org/CA-campaign-associate.html)
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LOCATION
Oakland, Sacramento, or Los Angeles. We’re also hiring Campaign Associates to work on other campaigns in locations across the country. We accept applications on a rolling basis. The position starts August 203.

THINGS TO KNOW WHEN YOU APPLY
CALPIRG is part of The Public Interest Network, which operates and supports organizations committed to a shared vision of a better world and a strategic approach to social change. Visit https://jobs.pirg.org/core-values.html for things you should know about our network when you apply.

Posting for Clinical Research Coordinator Position at MGH
Clinical Research Coordinator positions at Massachusetts General Hospital/Harvard Medical School

We are currently looking to hire up to 3 full-time clinical research coordinators to assist with NIMH- and American Foundation for Suicide Prevention-funded studies aimed at improving short-term risk prediction for suicidal behavior in adolescents. Studies assessing proximal risk for suicidal behavior use computational methods to model neurocognitive markers and/or ambulatory indices (i.e., mobile technology including actigraphy, passive sensing of physiological arousal, passive sensing of social engagement and physical activity, and ecological momentary assessment) in psychiatrically hospitalized youth (see RF1MH120830, R01MH124899, R01MH115905, K23MH126168). Additional studies focus on employing computer vision to identify visual indicators of suicide risk among adolescents (R21MH127231, Y1G-1-020-20). Our most recently funded study aims to examine how parent-child stress interactions may be associated with or protect against suicide risk in adolescents using automatic sensing of acoustic and visual behaviors (R21MH130767). The research coordinators will work under the mentorship of Dr. Richard Liu and Dr. Taylor Burke at Massachusetts General Hospital. This position is particularly well suited for individuals seeking to gain research and clinical experience prior to graduate or medical school.

Duties & Responsibilities:
Responsibilities will include: data collection and management; clinical interviewing; participant recruitment, retention, and reimbursement; interfacing with the hospital clinical staff and
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participants recruited from the adolescent inpatient units; supervision of undergraduate volunteers; literature reviews; and IRB submissions and modifications. There may be opportunities to conduct independent research, submit presentations to national conferences, and prepare manuscripts for publication.

Qualifications:
Qualified applicants must have a bachelor's degree, strong writing, organizational, and interpersonal skills, and be able to work autonomously as well within a collaborative team environment. Experience with data management and statistical software (e.g., SPSS, REDCap, Mplus, R) and with writing scripts in E-Prime and Python are preferred but not required. Psychology, sociology, and pre-med majors are encouraged to apply, but all are welcome. Prior research, particularly independent research projects, or clinical experience is strongly recommended.

Application information:
The start date is Summer 2023. Interested applicants are invited to learn more about the position and professional development opportunities, as well as to submit a cover letter and CV at: https://www.moodandbehaviorlab.org/crc. Any questions regarding these positions may be directed to Margarid Turnamian at moodandbxlab@gmail.com.

Candidates from underrepresented backgrounds are particularly encouraged to apply. There may be unique training and development opportunities available within our group.

Request for Assistance for Transcribers Job Positions

My name is Dr. Jamie Candelaria-Greene, and I am a former Doc student from Berkeley/GSE. I am looking for a transcriber for a qualitative study I am doing on survivors of a type of encephalitis (who are now aged 20-30). Respondents are all English speaking and from England, Canada, and the US. The results will be part of the second edition of a book, as well as submitted to professional journals.

Much of the work would take place over the winter break, although assistance is needed earlier. This is the first study of its kind. As mood, attentional, and behavioral symptoms are classic features of this (treatable) illness, students may find this to be an informative experience. My office is in Alameda, and I could also come into Berkeley to meet the individual. We would primarily be working online. ($20 per hour)
Please contact Dr. Jamie Candelaria-Greene PhD, BCET contact@drcandelariagreene.com if interested in this opportunity.