

## Research Scientist

The City of New York Human Resources Administration's Office of Evaluation and Research in conjunction with the City's Center for Economic Opportunity is recruiting for a Research Scientist to participate in projects that develop and apply innovative measures of poverty, well-being, and economic opportunity in the City of New York. This position requires a research professional who will assist in monitoring and evaluating the city's anti-poverty initiatives; contribute to the development of new uses of administrative data to track city-wide and neighborhood-level trends; coordinate work with the City's Center for Economic Opportunity and other relevant city agencies; apply techniques of statistical analysis to administrative and survey data; prepare written reports based on new measures.

### Qualification Requirements:

A master's degree from an accredited college or university with specialization in an social science or demonstrated equivalent expertise and three years of full-time experience, including one year of full-time experience in a responsible supervisory, administrative or research capacity in the appropriate field of specialization.

### Preference will be given to candidates who have:

- Knowledge of applied statistics, including, but not limited to, linear and multiple regression analysis.
- Knowledge of federal, state, and city social service programs.
- Experience working with large, complex micro-data sets.
- Knowledge of relevant research literature.
- Knowledge of SPSS-PC, STATA, SASS (and/or other statistical software), Arc View (or other GIS programs), Microsoft Excel, Word, and PowerPoint.
- Excellent oral and written communication skills.

Non-residents may be hired contingent upon becoming a New York City resident within 90 days of employment.

**Salary:** \$58,859 New York City offers an excellent and comprehensive benefits package.

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