

Junior Economist – Internship

Job summary

Fondation IDEA a.s.b.l. offers motivated students the opportunity to apply and to further develop their economic and academic skills. As an intern, the successful candidate will support the team in the analysis of economic developments and public policy issues, with a special emphasis on demographic evolutions in Luxembourg (e.g. net migrations). The intern will contribute to the major publications of Fondation IDEA a.s.b.l. (annual report, position papers, blogs). The successful candidate will also help organising roundtables and conferences and could be involved in additional analytical projects, to be defined with the team.

Key responsibilities

- Provide challenging and bold economic analysis.
- Provide general economic assistance (data collection, processing of charts and tables, etc.).
- Find his/her way around macroeconomic data sources and official publications (e.g. STATEC, Eurostat, ECB, IMF and OECD).
- Develop insightful propositions likely to address the demographic and economic challenges of Luxembourg.

Competencies

- Master's degree in Economics, or any other relevant discipline
- Team work and ability to deliver excellent results under tight time constraints.
- Sound understanding of macroeconomic policies.
- Ability to use economic theory and statistical/econometric tools in order to shed light on economic and demographic evolution.
- Ability to turn analytical outputs into precise but also clear and understandable contributions
- Excellent written and oral communication skills in English.
- French language skills are desirable, other languages (in particular German) are considered an advantage.