

Research Analyst

Company Description:

Cornerstone Investment Management and Consulting is a boutique investment management firm located in the Mobile, Alabama area serving individuals and institutions. Our principals and founders of the firm are both Chartered Financial Analyst Charterholders with over 33 years combined analytical investment experience. We have been serving clients at Cornerstone for over 9 years, and the entirety of our careers in finance has been as fee-only advisors.

Our performance track record has been exceptionally strong over our life as a firm, and we take our fiduciary responsibility to our clients seriously. For more information and to view our investment performance, please visit <http://InvestWithCornerstone.com>.

Position Description/ Responsibilities:

The Research Analyst will serve in a number of roles at Cornerstone including, but not limited to, macroeconomic research, individual security research, as well as client and partner support. There are some administrative components to the position, primarily during the first eighteen months as he/she learns the operational procedures of the firm. Eventual responsibilities will likely include portfolio management, idea generation, and fixed and equity trading, both domestic and international.

For the right candidate, this could be a long-term career position with potential for growth and partnership opportunities over time.

Opportunity:

We believe that Cornerstone has developed a unique culture for an investment management firm, and we consider that to be one of our most attractive attributes. We offer an intellectually engaging and stable work environment with considerable professional freedom. We also seek to mentor our employees so that they reach their full potential, both professionally and personally. An example of such development within the context of the investment management profession is our annual research trip. For more information on some of our recent trips, please visit <http://InvestWithCornerstone.com/research.htm> and review the section on our travel. Some other attributes of Cornerstone include:

- A proprietary and rigorous investment process with holistic, thoughtful analysis
- Customized portfolio management
- Fiduciary responsibility- we always work solely on behalf of our clients
- High client satisfaction- clients who have peace of mind in good markets and bad
- Outstanding track record of investment performance

Required Credentials:

- Bachelor's degree
- Passed Level I of the CFA examination series, with a plan to complete the series and attain the designation
- Strong analytical skills
- Interpersonal and communication skills
- Proven track record of high achievement
- High ethical standards

Preferred Credentials:

- Master's degree
- Passed Level II of the CFA examination series
- 5 years work experience (not necessarily within the financial industry)

Confidentiality:

Any and all inquiries and correspondence between Cornerstone and candidates will be held in the strictest of confidence.

Resumes will be accepted through February 29, 2012, so interested candidates should submit their cover letter and resume to:

jobs@csimac.com

Attn: Mark Davidson, CFA
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