Economist

London, UK

**Economist (full time) – Salary – £31-36k (depending on experience)**

The Education Policy Institute is an independent, impartial and evidence-based research institute that aims to promote high quality education outcomes, regardless of social background. Through our research, we provide insights, commentary and critiques about education policy in England. Our work attracts attention in the national media and at the highest levels of Government.

We are looking to recruit an experienced economist to join our dedicated team this autumn, to support our work on the relationship between skills and the labour market and to provide new analysis of school policies for publication. The key responsibilities of the post will include:

- economic research and analysis – including economic, econometric and financial modelling, to inform our research reports and policy recommendations;
- producing reports and presentations to help communicate our work;
- supporting the day-to-day running and development of the organisation.

Candidates should have an undergraduate degree, majoring in economics, as well as practical experience of research and policy analysis. Candidates should also demonstrable their ability to research, write and present clearly argued analyses in fluent English within tight deadlines.

Strong quantitative and qualitative analytical skills, excellent written and spoken communication skills and experience of using Microsoft packages including Word and Excel are essential. Experience of using statistical software such as SPSS and Stata, and knowledge of education policy and evidence, will also be an advantage.

The successful candidate will report directly to the Education Policy Institute’s Chief Economist, Peter Sellen.

To apply, please send a covering letter (no more than a side of A4) and CV to info@epi.org by 28th October 2016.

We aim to hold interviews in the week commencing the 7th November.

For further information, contact Peter on 020 7340 1160 or 07870 468772.

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