



Senior Economist

Job Purpose:

Originate and lead research projects related to economics or involving econometric analysis as part of NCCI's research program. Communicate analysis and results to a variety of audiences, including research papers suitable for publication in peer-reviewed technical journals, NCCI publications written for generalist audiences, and seminars delivered to both internal and external audiences. Play a leadership role in projects with co-participants having professional backgrounds other than economics, for example actuaries, insurance and medical professionals.

Major Duties:

Originate and lead research projects, including major projects, relating to workers compensation insurance. Areas of research interest include: health care economics, market structure, labor economics, financial and risk economics pertaining to workers compensation insurance.

Major duties include: originating research projects in furtherance of NCCI's thought leadership goals, developing theoretical models and applying suitable econometric methods to their estimation, creating project plans, managing the work of multidisciplinary research teams, preparing research publications and presentations targeted either to specialist or general audiences, and representing NCCI publicly to external audiences.

In addition, a Senior Economist is expected to maintain NCCI's quality standards including peer and quality control reviews, and to perform administrative and documentation tasks.

Required Education, Experience and Skills:

- PhD in Economics and a minimum of five years of research experience, including managing major projects
- Expertise in econometric theory and applications, plus specializations in two or more of the following areas: health care economics, labor economics, financial economics, economics of risk and risk management
- Ability to originate research ideas and innovate in the application of economic theory and econometric methods
- Ability to participate in and lead major research projects, including collaboration with and direction of non-economists
- Ability to peer review technical work of colleagues, including non-economists
- Excellent collaborative and interpersonal communication skills



- Ability to write clearly, succinctly, and on-deadline to both professional and general audiences
- Excellent presentation skills, including public speaking

Preferred Qualifications:

The following qualifications will be considered favorably, but are not required:

- Track record of research publication, including professional and peer-reviewed journals
- Track record of publication – including articles, essays, and presentations – expositing research or technical analyses to general audiences
- Professional experience in the insurance industry