ECONOMIC ANALYST INTERNSHIP
ECONOMIC AND POLICY ANALYSIS GROUP

Program Description:
Founded in 1981, the Los Angeles County Economic Development Corporation (LAEDC) was created by the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors to implement LA County’s economic development program through land development, project financing and marketing activities. The Economic and Policy Analysis Group of the LAEDC conducts a range of economic research and policy analyses in support of the mission of the LAEDC and of the Los Angeles County Strategic Plan for Economic Development and is offering an internship for a student or students to gain training and further education in regional economic and policy analysis.

Reports to: Associate Economist, Economic and Policy Analysis Group

Training and Responsibilities:
The primary role of the intern(s) will be to assist members of the Analysis Group with (1) data retrieval and compilation from multiple sources; (2) presentation of findings; (3) developing final documentation and presentation materials; and (4) in-depth research into new data sources and/or policy issues, as needed.

The intern will gain a working knowledge of data and research methods used in regional analysis, will be introduced to economic impact analysis, and will be exposed to a wide variety of regional economic and policy issues. The intern(s) will be able to participate in discussions of topics of local and regional interest and will be exposed to the breadth of this leading economic development organization.

Experience and Qualifications:
- Enrollment in a Master's degree program in Economics; undergraduate degree in Economics preferred
- Computer skills: Microsoft Office suite
- Excellent English communication & writing skills
- Able to work comfortably in a multi-task environment

This is an unpaid internship position for training and educational purposes in support of currently enrolled students. The chosen candidate(s) will be asked to provide a signed (original) letter from their college/university confirming the student(s)’s status and program.

Please send cover letter and resume to analysis@laedc.org with “Internship” in subject line.