Now Hiring: Nonpartisan Graduate Intern

The Washington State Joint Legislative Audit and Review Committee (JLARC) is recruiting for a graduate intern to join our team. We encourage current and recent graduate students in public policy, public administration, economics, or similar fields to apply.

When you work for the Legislature, your work matters
JLARC plays a unique role in state government: we answer the Legislature’s questions about state government performance. We provide critical analysis, credible information, and evidence-based recommendations to improve government. Agencies and the Legislature act on nearly all our recommendations.

What would you do as a JLARC intern?

- Collaborate with one or two project teams to answer legislative questions. We are looking for people who can work well both independently and as a team member. We value cooperation, constructive feedback, and camaraderie.
- Use a variety of qualitative and quantitative research methods including legal research, statistical and economic analysis, interviews, surveys, performance measurement, and organizational assessment.
- Follow professional auditing standards to provide independent, objective, and accurate information that informs legislative decisions.
- Present findings and recommendations to legislators.
- Network! Interns work with JLARC analysts and staff from other legislative and executive branch agencies.

Intrigued? Read our reports to see if this kind of work is right for you. https://leg.wa.gov/jlarc/Pages/default.aspx

How to Apply

Email the following materials in PDF format to careers.jlarc@leg.wa.gov with the subject line “JLARC Intern Recruitment.”

1. A letter of interest addressed to Marilyn Richter discussing how your qualifications and attributes match the position description.
2. A current resume.
3. A list of three professional references.
   - You will get a confirmation email when we receive your application.
   - We will contact you if you are selected for an interview.
   - Early application is encouraged. Posting will expire April 24, 2024.

(Note: This email address accepts only applications. If you need to contact us with questions or other matters, please contact us at jlarc@leg.wa.gov or (360) 786-5171.)

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