About ABC economics

ABC economics provides independent economic and econometric advice on competition and regulatory matters. We are expert economists and used to presenting our findings in front of competition authorities, sector regulators, courts and arbitration tribunals.

Combining scientific knowledge with intellectual rigour and sector expertise, we deliver robust, clear and effective results for our clients.

About the role

As Werkstudent you will be part of a project team and will contribute directly and actively to the development of our projects. From day one, you will work hand-in-hand with our experts on various interesting and challenging cases from different industries ranging from international arbitrations, mergers and antitrust proceedings to damage quantification. As Werkstudent you will have the opportunity to apply economic concepts, models and techniques to high-level cases, but you will also learn new methods and gain first-hand experience in a competitive industry. During your time as Werkstudent you will be able to learn new tools and benefit from the support all team members.

Werkstudenten join us during their master’s degree (or PhD) in economics, operations research, computer science, mathematics, statistics, or a related field of study.

Your tasks:

• Contributing to the general development of projects
• Supporting the team in specific workstreams for different projects, including collecting, cleaning, and analysing qualitative and quantitative data
• Conducting empirical and econometric analysis using Stata or other software packages
• Drafting presentations, memos and reports
• Research on specific industry facts and cutting-edge economic literature

General prerequisites for success:

• High motivation and independent, critical thinking
• An interest in theoretical and/or empirical economic work and research
• Ambition to apply economic principles and econometric tools to real-world problems
• Great communication and organisational skills
• Accuracy, precision and the ability to work under deadlines
Your qualifications:

- Pursuing a Master degree or PhD in economics, operations research, data science, or statistics
- Excellent written and oral command of English and German
- Knowledge of statistical software packages such as Stata
- Knowledge of Mathematica or other analytical software packages is a plus

We offer:

- Negotiable working hours between 10 and 20 hours per week
- Above average salary
- Flexibility in working days and possibility to work remotely
- A team of highly skilled economists and econometricians including university professors
- A wide variety of projects covering different industries
- A highly stimulating and rewarding work atmosphere
- First-hand experience in competition and regulatory matters
- An ideal environment for your future professional career development
- The opportunity to apply theoretical economics and cutting-edge econometrics to actual economic problems
- Office located centrally. Ideal public transport conditions with U-Bahn and S-Bahn in less than 5 minutes walking distance

Contact

If you are interested in joining us, send your application to vacancies@ABCecon.com, specifying you are applying for a position as “Werkstudent” in the subject line of the email and including the following elements as attachments.

The application should contain a cover letter and your CV (including academic transcripts). If applicable, please also include contact details of references and copies of recent publications. Please also indicate how you found out about us.

More details on what our philosophy is, what we are looking for and what working at ABC would mean for you can be found on our webpage (www.ABCecon.com).