



Organization Young Invincibles	Date 8/21/2017
Position Title Research Fellow	Location Washington D.C. (flexible)

Position Description

Young Invincibles seeks a part-time research fellow to assist in research projects. The Fellow will produce quantitative and qualitative research, analyze large data sets, and design surveys to advance YI's mission. The ideal candidate has a sharp analytic mind and a curious disposition, adept to working in collaborative teams as well as driving individual projects forward. This is a unique opportunity for an recent college graduate or current graduate student to apply skills learned in the classroom to a research and advocacy environment.

The Fellow will work twenty-four hours, or three days per week with a stipend of \$1,800 per month. The position runs to December 31. Young Invincibles' national office in Washington D.C. with relevant staff in Richmond, VA and Oakland, CA.

Position reports to: Deputy Policy & Research Director

Principal Responsibilities

- Pull and analyze statistics from the U.S. Census, Department of Education, and Department of Labor measuring young adults' socioeconomic conditions.
- Assist YI Policy staff with drafting and editing narratives for reports and briefs.
- Factcheck methodology and results of YI facts and figures.
- Maintain and update databases about young adults' status in health, education, and the workforce.
- Visualize data in charts, maps, and other products.

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Qualifications:

- Demonstrated interest in public policy, particularly as it relates to commitment to improving the lives of low-income and underrepresented young adults.
- Skilled in research methods, particularly quantitative analysis.
- Excellent communication and interpersonal skills, with the ability to verbalize and explain methodology and results.
- Ability to translate complicated policy and concepts into content for public, the media, and policymakers.
- Flexible, creative, strong work ethic, with a solutions-oriented attitude and a proven ability to work in a fast-paced environment.

Specific projects to assist:

Experiment assessing the impact of social media messages on preventive care use

Analyze the Survey of Consumer Finances to update measures of financial security from the Financial Health of Young America

Analyze survey results exploring immigrants' experience with mental health issues.

To apply please send a resume and cover letter explaining why you want to work for Young Invincibles and how your skills, particularly quantitative, could apply to Young Invincibles' work to: tom.allison@younginvincibles.org

Young Invincibles was founded in the summer of 2009 to give young adults (ages 18-34) a voice in the healthcare debate, and to organize and advocate around one of the most critical issues for our generation. Young Invincibles was integral in pushing for critical reforms, like allowing a young person to stay on a parent's insurance plan until age 26 and greatly improving college health plans. In addition to the organization's work on healthcare, YI is also a leader on higher education and workforce issues. Its research and organizing campaigns are routinely spotlight in top national and regional media outlets, including the New York Times, the Wall Street Journal, NPR, Fox News, MSNBC, CNN, Bloomberg, the Associated Press, USA Today, and PBS NewsHour. For further information, please visit our website,

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