

Research Associate Priorities USA, Washington, D.C.

Priorities USA, a voter-centric progressive advocacy organization and service center for the grassroots progressive movement, is looking for a Research Associate to join our team. Priorities is committed to standing up to the Trump administration and its allies in order to build an economy that provides real opportunity for all families to get ahead, as well as to protect the fundamental, democratic ideal of equality for all Americans – regardless of race, religion, gender, or sexual orientation.

The Research Associate will support Priorities' efforts to hold the Trump administration and congressional Republicans accountable by compiling facts, figures, and anecdotes relating to various aspects of the White House's agenda; ensuring the accuracy and reliability of Priorities' outward-facing products; and contributing to the day-to-day operations of the Research team.

Duties

The specific duties of the Research Associate include:

- Collaborating with the Priorities USA Digital, Press, and Voting Rights teams on short- and long-term projects to advance the organization's mission
- Contributing to research on the Trump administration, the Republican Congress, and individual candidates on an as-needed basis
- Tracking the progress and potential impacts of major legislation
- Fact-checking and copy-editing Priorities USA materials
- Vetting participants in Priorities USA projects
- Other assignments and tasks as requested

Qualifications

Applicants should possess the following qualities:

- Political and/or campaign experience, preferably in campaign research
- Strong research skills and attention to detail
- Excellent writing, grammar, and proofreading skills, including a sharp eye for typos and factual errors
- · Ability to work independently and adhere to tight deadlines
- Ability to keep up with rapid developments in current events and legislation
- Familiarity with LexisNexis, campaign finance filings, and government databases strongly preferred

Compensation includes a competitive salary based on experience and a strong benefits package. People of color, women, people with disabilities, and veterans are strongly encouraged to apply.

Interested candidates should send a cover letter and resume to research@prioritiesusaaction.org.