



Investment Analyst – Real Assets

Position #414

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The Virginia Retirement System (VRS), the 18th largest pension plan in the United States with over \$100 billion under management, is seeking an investment professional for the Real Assets program. VRS is in Richmond, Virginia, a growing, family-oriented city with an excellent cost of living. Richmond is frequently ranked as one of the best cities to live and work in America with easy commutes from suburban communities or historical urban neighborhoods. VRS offers great work/life balance and a competitive compensation and benefits package that includes the opportunity for annual incentive bonuses. Please visit VRS' website (www.varetire.org) for additional information on the agency and fund.

Responsibilities

The Investment Analyst will assist the Real Assets team with the management and oversight of the Real Assets investment portfolio. This position will perform various types of research and analysis and provide important decision-making support for senior team members across the various real assets sectors within the program: real estate, infrastructure, and natural resources. The Investment Analyst will also be involved in certain reporting and performance requirements as well as with creating presentations and providing updates to demonstrate the current positioning and results of the portfolio. Continued education and training are available to team members and are encouraged for the continued development of knowledge and skills.

Qualifications

The successful candidate for this position will possess the following attributes and qualifications:

- A passion for continued learning
- Excellent analytical skills (quantitative and qualitative) and attention to detail
- Self-motivated and inquisitive
- Growth oriented with a strong work ethic and drive to be successful
- Desire to work with a small, close-knit team
- Strong communication skills
- Strong writing ability
- Advanced proficiency in Excel, PowerPoint, and Word is required
- Bachelor's degree in finance, economics, statistics, or accounting is expected
- The pursuit of a CFA and/or CAIA designation is expected

Process

To apply, please submit a current resume and complete an online application through the Commonwealth of Virginia Recruitment Management System at <https://virginiajobs.peopleadmin.com/postings/264476>. Cover letters are not required.

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