**Job Description:** NYU Stern Finance Professor Sabrina Howell is looking to hire a motivated and hard-working full-time research assistant to begin in the summer or fall of 2018 and to work for one year, with a possible extension to a second year.

The research assistant will be responsible for a variety of data management and analytical tasks, which may include direct collaboration on research projects, and possible co-authorship, if the contribution is sufficiently substantial.

This position is based at the NYU campus in downtown Manhattan, New York City. Telecommuting is not an option. Authorization for work in the U.S. is required.

Compensation is competitive; as an NYU employee, the research assistant will receive benefits.

**Requirements:** The ideal candidate has recently completed an economics, finance, or computer science BA, and is interested in pursuing a PhD in economics, finance, statistics, or public policy.

Strong Stata skills are essential. Other programming skills, in particular Python, are very desirable but not necessary to apply. Prior research assistant experience is also preferred.

**Application:** Email Sabrina.howell@nyu.edu with the subject line “Research Assistant Application Materials”. Include the following:

1. A cover letter that briefly outlines: (a) your background and career ambitions, (b) your experience in conducting or assisting with research projects, (c) your experience and familiarity (giving short examples of problems solved by code you’ve written) with any relevant programming languages, (d) the names (with email addresses) of any professors for whom you have worked as a research assistant in the past (along with a brief description of that role) who will be willing to provide a brief letter of recommendation upon request.

2. A current CV.

3. A transcript (unofficial is fine but official preferred) of any undergraduate and postgraduate studies.

4. An example of a research paper and / or code that you have written for a class or research project.

Deadline: Applications will be considered on a rolling basis (so please send in yours as soon as possible) starting November 18, 2017.