

Analyst, Berlin

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 **Analyst** you will become an integral part of several project teams working on high-level domestic and international cases dealing with matters ranging from international arbitrations, mergers and antitrust proceedings to damage quantification. You will be able to contribute to these competition and regulatory cases in a variety of ways from day one, working closely with more experienced colleagues to understand the issues at stake, relate these issues to relevant economic theory, and supporting the analysis with solid and persuasive empirical evidence.

Analysts join us after completing their PhD or their master's degree in economics, operations research, computer science, mathematics or statistics. The role and starting position depends on relevant experience and background.

Your tasks:

- Collecting, cleaning, and analysing qualitative and quantitative data to understand the case and support the argument
- Reviewing academic and applied literature as well as case law and contributing to discussions about the theoretical and empirical approach
- Conducting empirical and econometric analysis using Stata or other software packages
- Checking work products for their accuracy
- Drafting presentations, memos and reports summarising analysis
- Participating in client meetings and conference calls

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
- A clear and precise writing style and the ability to explain complex economic concepts to non-economists
- Ability to work independently and as part of a team

- Excellent organisational skills
- Accuracy, precision and the ability to work under pressure

Your qualifications:

- Master's degree from a leading university, PhD is a plus
- Excellent written and oral command of English and German
- Knowledge of statistical software packages such as Stata
- Relevant experience in competition or regulatory economics is a plus
- Background in energy economics is a plus
- Spanish or French language skills are a plus
- Knowledge of Mathematica or other analytical software packages is a plus

We offer:

- Competitive salary
- 30 days of vacation per year
- 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 professional career development
- The opportunity to apply theoretical economics and cutting-edge econometrics to actual economic problems
- Plus, an in-house café, with free drinks and personalized service from a barista in our Berlin office

Contact

If you are interested in joining us, send your application to vacancies@ABCecon.com, specifying the position you are applying for 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**.

More details on what our philosophy is, what we are looking for and what joining ABC would mean for you can be found on our webpage (<u>www.ABCecon.com</u>).