Part-Time Research Scientist Position Description

Women in Measurement, American Educational Research Association (AERA), the National Council on Measurement in Education (NCME) are partnering to produce a first-of-its-kind study that reports on the state of gender and racial equity in employment in the field of educational measurement. The report will detail the status of women and racial/ethnic minorities in the professional field of assessment using key indicators of equity including: employment, position, and salary. Additionally, the report will summarize results related to participants’ perceptions of equity at their place of employment.

We are seeking to appoint a Research Scientist who will work under the direction of the Principal Investigators to carry out key research functions associated with this project, including but not limited to:

- Literature review
- IRB proposal development
- Survey development and administration management
- Data analysis
- Report writing
- Presenting and disseminating findings.

The position is a one-year appointment to begin May 15, 2022 and comes with a stipend of $25,000. Expected time commitment is an average of 15 hours/week.

Qualifications:

- Advanced doctoral candidate (dissertation phase) or recent Ph.D. graduate (within 3 years) in educational measurement, research, statistics or related field.
- Excellent academic writing and research skills with demonstrated success in authoring peer-reviewed articles.
- Proven ability to manage complex projects by communicating with multiple partners and setting and meeting deadlines.
- Ability to be self-directed, the majority of the work will be carried out independently.
- Experience with advanced quantitative methods with preference given to experience developing surveys and working with large-scale survey data.
- Experience with Qualtrics preferred.

Application:
Please submit a cover letter, CV, and first-authored writing sample to info@womeninmeasurement.org by April 29, 2022. Women and those from marginalized communities are especially encouraged to apply.