



The 1889 Institute seeks an individual to fill the full-time position of **Fiscal Policy Fellow** who will be the practice leader in 1889's financial and business process analysis of state agencies and programs. (The holder of this position may also carry the title of Scholar in Residence in the Oklahoma State University Institute for the Study of Free Enterprise.)

The 1889 Institute is a nonprofit, Oklahoma-based state policy think tank. We analyze and develop state public policies for the State of Oklahoma based on principles of limited and responsible government, free enterprise and a robust civil society. We disseminate analyses and recommendations to policymakers and the general public, using sound research to better inform policy debates. The Institute does not lobby. Our work addresses many aspects of education policy, institutions that impact free enterprise, fiscal policy, and health care policy. | Check our website: 1889institute.org.

Fiscal Policy Fellow Responsibilities:

- Primarily performing and leading 1889's efforts in agency business process and financial analysis
- Working with multiple people on various specific topic areas as needed
- Writing, including policy papers, blog posts, and editorials, with the aim of impacting policy in Oklahoma
- Interacting with media, lawmakers, and advocacy groups to inform them of Institute research
- Other responsibilities as needed in a small, flatly-organized, collegial organization

Topics Specifically to Be Addressed:

- State and local government spending overall as well as drilling down into individual agencies
- Individual agency and program analysis, including performance measures, efficacy, efficiency, potential for privatization, and whether a legitimate function of government – i.e., getting into the weeds of Oklahoma's state government

Fiscal Policy Fellow Qualifications:

- Prefer master's degree or above
- Require some mix of training/experience in business analysis, financial analysis, and economics
- Government work experience preferred, especially in the State of Oklahoma
- Knowledge of 1889 Institute's issue areas preferred
- Ability to work at a high professional level without constant supervision a must
- Ability to collegially manage others to accomplish multiple related projects required
- High level of experience writing on relevant issues preferred
- Excellent communication skills
- Comfort working with and around others
- Comfort in networking with state and local officials a plus
- Experience dealing with law maker and agency officials a plus

Compensation:

In addition to salary commensurate with experience, a health insurance plan is provided.

Contact:

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