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The Public Investment Corporation (PIC) invests funds on behalf of public sector entities including the Government Employees Pension Fund. The organisation is the largest investment manager in the country and the continent. Applications are invited from dynamic individuals for the following challenging position:

Position: Research Analyst

Job Grade: C3 – D3

(Ref: RSRCH003)

Salary: All-inclusive remuneration package negotiable

Division: Research and Innovation

Requirements:

- Bachelor's degree in Commerce/Finance/Economics or equivalent related qualification.
- Postgraduate degree in finance/investments/economics or studying towards a CFA /Master's degree (Preferred).
- 2 to 4 years relevant working experience in investment research, covering social infrastructure (healthcare, education and affordable housing) or other sector/industry research.
- Flexible, responsive and self-starting personality with keen attention to detail and ability to work across different teams within the division.
- Must possess the desire and ability to work in a collaborative and intensive team-orientated environment.

Duties:

- Assist in conducting fundamental and thematic research in support of Head: Research & Innovation, Sector Specialists and Senior Research Analysts.
- Prepare research reports that are aimed at, enhancing PIC's knowledge base on various sectors and generating investment ideas.
- Assist in conducting industry and sectorial analysis on growth prospects, developing/evolving global and local themes and trends. Sectors to be covered include social and economic infrastructure.
- Assist in drafting market research studies for unlisted investments and form part of the due diligence team for unlisted transactions.
- Assist in the development of financial models, including analysis of returns, sensitivities and scenario analysis etc.

Competencies and skills:

- Team player
- Self-starter
- Interpersonal skills
- Planning and organising
- Presentation skills
- Financial analysis and interpretation
- Financial modeling skills
- Ability to undertake research
- Strong analytical skills
- Strong numerical skills
- Strong quantitative and qualitative analytical skills
- Ability to work effectively under pressure
- Experience on working on Bloomberg (preferred)

With the PIC having topped the R2.5 trillion mark in assets under management and in the process of entering the global investment market, it is the best asset manager any serious professional would want to be associated with. It is also one of the better places from which one can serve South Africa.

Closing Date: 21 August 2023

PIC is an equal opportunities employer and as such appointments will be in line with the PIC Employment Equity plan.

Please forward copies of your comprehensive CV's to recruitment4@pic.gov.za

*** Grade range is from C3 – D3 commensurate with applicable minimum requirements.**

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