Paid research employment opportunity

Sustainability, Travel Choices and Attitudes

The TOMNET University Transportation Center focuses research efforts on how people's attitudes, beliefs and preferences affect their choices about where to live, how many cars to own and how to get around each day.

In Fall 2019, TOMNET is sponsoring a combination course and paid research experience for up to 5 qualified students (3-credit course + $15/hr, 10 hr/week paid research employment for Fall 2019).

Participants will read and discuss the literature on attitudes and sustainable transportation choices, contribute to building a database and co-author a comprehensive literature review paper. Participants will also have the opportunity to present their work to a variety of professional audiences. Funding may be available for selected participants to present the work at the Transportation Research Board Annual Meeting in January 2020. Class participants will be paid as student workers for up to 10 hours/week of their research efforts (not including class meeting time). Participants should plan to spend 15 hours each week on activities related to Sustainability, Travel Choices and Attitudes.

Participants should have intermediate knowledge of multivariate statistics and be strong writers.

To apply, please submit the following via email to Matt Conway (mwconway@asu.edu):
- Cover letter explaining your interest in the class and research position
- One-page summary of past research experience and coursework in statistics/econometrics
- Resume
- Writing sample (a paper written for a class is fine)

Application deadline is March 25, 2019.

For more information please contact Matt Conway at mwconway@asu.edu or Deborah Salon at dsalon@asu.edu.