

## Research Assistants Needed

Professors [Marco Castillo](#) and [Ragan Petrie](#), Department of Economics, Texas A&M University, are looking for one or more highly-skilled and motivated individuals to work as part-time research assistants (RAs) in their research group. The person(s) hired will work with Professors Castillo and Petrie and other members of their group on a variety of behavioral and experimental projects related to the economics of charitable giving, the economic preferences of children and data collection using behavioral and experimental methods. This is an ideal position for someone interested in preparing for a Ph.D. in economics or public policy.

The ideal candidate will have

- a bachelor's degree in economics, public policy, political science, statistics, or computer science
- strong programming skills
- strong organizational skills and attention to detail
- strong written and oral communication skills
- the ability to work independently to solve problems
- a long-term interest in pursuing analytic work in economics and public policy

Most programming work will be done in Stata. Knowledge of MATLAB is a plus, but not required. Candidates with demonstrated programming experience in other languages and a willingness to learn Stata are welcome to apply.

This is a contract-based position, with hourly pay commensurate with experience. Hours are flexible, up to 30 hours/week, and the person hired can work remotely. Start date is also flexible, ideally in December 2020 or January 2021.

If interested, please complete this online application: <https://bit.ly/2L4Y9v7>

Please also email your resume/CV to [cfx tamu@gmail.com](mailto:cfx tamu@gmail.com).

We will review applications on a rolling basis.