Teamsters Headquarters, Washington DC
Strategic Initiatives Department, Economics Team

Job Opportunity for Survey and Polling Professionals

The Teamsters Union is the largest and most diverse union in the country with 1.3 million members. For more than a century, the Teamsters Union has been standing up for working people. Although the union is known as the champion of freight drivers and warehouse workers, the Teamsters represent workers in virtually every occupation imaginable.

The Strategic Initiatives Department oversees the Teamsters’ communications, strategic research, economic analysis, and capital strategies as well as the Teamsters History Project. Strategic Initiatives provides essential resources to Teamster affiliates to succeed in organizing, public relations and contract campaigns, expand audience reach and improve messaging and public perception of the Teamsters. The Economics Team in the Teamsters Strategic Initiatives Department evaluates the financial position of companies, conducts economic and financial research, and evaluates the economic and market impacts of contract language to assist with contract bargaining, organizing or other strategic initiatives.

Position Description:

We are looking to add a Survey and Polling Manager to our team to lead projects. The Manager leads the design and execution of Teamster membership surveys and polls including coordination with outside vendors, internal staff and other Teamster affiliates. A successful manager will have the ability to analyze surveys and polls as well as direct a team for larger projects.

Survey and polling goals include contract bargaining priorities, organizing intelligence, political strategy and other strategic goals. The Survey and Polling manager presents finalized reports to the General President and General Secretary Treasurer of the Teamsters Union. Findings may be confidential, so tact, clear communication and integrity are important. An ability to manage multiple projects, control costs, and plan are preferred. Experience leading a team and training others in survey and polling is required.
Occasional travel is required. The position is based in Washington, DC. Candidates must be available to work in-person full-time at our DC headquarters.

Applicants:

Applicants for the Survey and Polling Manager position must have five years of experience designing, fielding, and analyzing surveys and reporting on their results. Knowledge of labor relations and collective bargaining agreements is preferred. Demonstrated competence in Microsoft Office suite is expected.

Salary commensurate with experience and education. The Teamsters Union Headquarters offers a robust benefits package including a 100% employer-paid health & welfare plan, FICA reimbursement, pension, 401(k), FSA, and vacation & sick leave.

Qualifications and Experience:

• Advanced degree in statistics, econometrics or any field related to statistics required.
• Five years of work experience designing, fielding, and analyzing surveys and reporting on their results required.
• Demonstrated competence in analyzing surveys and polls and reporting on their results.

Application Process:

Please submit a cover letter, resume, a short writing sample, and 3 references to humanresources2@teamster.org. Subject: “Survey and Polling Manager.” No phone calls please.

The Teamsters Union Headquarters is an Equal Opportunity Employer, and strongly encourages women, people of color, LGBTQ individuals, and candidates with diverse backgrounds and life experiences to apply.