CREDIT SUISSE Job Description

Full Time Associate – IT Quantitative Associate

Description

The Credit Suisse IT Quant Associate Program is an elite initiative to hire summer and full-time Masters of Financial Engineering and/or Post Doctorate students who can create engineering solutions to support our quantitative products and processes such as Derivatives and Risk Management. Students are hired directly into the technology organizations supporting the Investment Banking (IB) businesses. In addition to the responsibilities within their respective divisions, the associates are aligned with a training curriculum that focuses on the development of personal skills and business knowledge. The training enhances the performance of the Associates in their day-to-day business assignments and encourages participants to understand and support the strategic direction of the firm.

Training

Training for this program is designed to give participants an opportunity to develop a core set of skills and knowledge about the Financial Services industry and Credit Suisse. The full-time program begins in Summer 2009 with an orientation that will introduce hires to Credit Suisse, Investment Bank (IB) and core businesses within IB. Over the course of one year, development opportunities will be recommended or offered to enhance program participants’ knowledge of IT and the businesses they partner with.

Qualifications

We seek candidates with a strong work ethic, high energy level, and strong interpersonal and communication skills. Successful program participants share many common traits. The traits are listed below.

Analytical thinkers, with software development skills
Quick learners, assimilating information quickly, organizing it, and putting it into useful form
Quick to seek the help of peers, recognizing the value of support and mutual assistance
Enthusiastic, eager to advance quickly and assume greater leadership responsibility
Comfortable thinking outside the box and innovating beyond the limits of a position
Ability to work in a fast paced environment

Credit Suisse Firm Overview

Credit Suisse is one of the world’s premier financial providers offering investment banking, private banking and asset management capabilities to corporations, high net-worth families, entrepreneurs, governments and institutions around the world. Our unique integrated business model enables us to develop comprehensive financial solutions that meet the increasingly complex, global needs of the sophisticated clients that are our focus at Credit Suisse. We benefit from having established relationships and extensive network across both developed and developing market and economies. The bank is active in more than 50 countries internationally, and employs approximately 45,000 people.

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