

Entry-Level Quantitative Analyst

Cascade Ridge Capital

Seattle, WA (Hybrid)

Full-time | Entry Level

About Us

Cascade Ridge Capital is a mid-sized investment and risk-management firm serving institutional and private clients across the Pacific Northwest. We use data-driven, quantitative approaches to support investment decisions, manage risk, and improve portfolio performance. We value clear thinking, careful analysis, and the ability to explain complex ideas simply.

Position Overview

We are seeking an **Entry-Level Quantitative Analyst** to join our Analytics & Research team. This role is ideal for a recent graduate with a strong background in mathematics who is interested in applying quantitative reasoning to real-world financial problems.

You will work closely with senior analysts to build models, analyze data, and communicate results to non-technical stakeholders. Prior finance experience is **not required**; strong analytical thinking and a willingness to learn are essential.

Key Responsibilities

- Assist in developing and maintaining quantitative models for portfolio analysis and risk assessment
- Analyze financial and economic data using statistical and mathematical techniques
- Support scenario analysis, forecasting, and performance reporting
- Clean, validate, and document datasets used in analysis
- Prepare clear summaries, visualizations, and written explanations of results
- Collaborate with analysts, portfolio managers, and operations staff

Required Qualifications

- Bachelor's degree in **Mathematics, Statistics, Applied Mathematics, Economics, or a related field**
- Strong foundation in calculus, linear algebra, probability, and statistics
- Ability to reason carefully, check assumptions, and interpret results
- Comfort working with data and learning new technical tools
- Strong written and verbal communication skills

Preferred (but Not Required)

- Experience with **Excel** (including formulas and basic data analysis)
- Exposure to **Python, R, MATLAB, or similar** analytical tools
- Coursework or projects involving data analysis, modeling, or optimization
- Interest in finance, economics, or quantitative decision-making

What We Offer

- Competitive entry-level salary and benefits
- Mentorship and structured training for early-career analysts
- Exposure to real financial data and decision-making processes
- Hybrid work environment with flexibility
- Support for professional development and continued learning

How to Apply

Please submit a resume and a brief cover letter explaining your interest in quantitative analysis and how your mathematical background prepares you for this role.