Research Coordinator

LENA is a game changer in early childhood, and you could be a game changer for LENA. Research shows that back-and-forth interaction (serve and return talk) between children and their adult caregivers in the earliest years is a key to school readiness and long-term outcomes. We integrate our “talk pedometer” technology into innovative programs that reach at-risk children and families. Through these programs, we help parents, caregivers, and child care teachers increase interactive talk to accelerate children’s language development and school readiness.

LENA is looking for a Research Coordinator. This full-time role supports several exciting projects where you’ll have the opportunity to assist in the development of early intervention and professional development programs, as well as collect and analyze data to test their effectiveness. This is a wonderful opportunity for someone with a passion for data and detail coupled with interest in child development and making a difference in the learning trajectories of infants and toddlers!

We’re looking for self-starters that thrive in fast-paced environments, are organized and can manage through ambiguity, are thirsty to learn and adapt, and are also empathetic, self-aware, detail oriented, solution focused, and open to wearing multiple hats. The ideal candidate gets tasks done while factoring the big picture as we expand our impact while maintaining high standards.

We hire and develop great people, giving them space to flourish. Our collaborative team will help you come up to speed on LENA, and our large and growing network of partner sites and research collaborators will provide ample opportunities to see how putting cutting-edge research into action makes a difference. You can learn more about the environment and our core values here.

Compensation: We offer a competitive salary commensurate with experience. We offer a full suite of benefits including health insurance, a matching 401(k), and generous paid time off.

If you’re ready to roll up your sleeves, join our team, and change the world, please submit a cover letter explaining why you are a good fit and a resume to HR@lena.org in a single PDF.

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