

Summer Associate, M&A

Chicago, Dallas, Los Angeles, New York, San Francisco

Company Overview

We are trusted investment banking advisors to business owners and senior executives of leading private equity firms and public and privately held companies around the world. Our advisory services include mergers and acquisitions, debt advisory, growth equity and restructuring for the mid-market. We also provide valuations and fairness opinions and joint ventures advisory services. As one tightly integrated team of more than 700 professionals across 15 countries, we offer an unobstructed perspective, backed by superb execution and a deep commitment to client success. With extensive industry knowledge and relationships, timely market intelligence and strategic insights, we forge deep, productive client relationships that endure for decades. Learn more at www.lincolninternational.com.

At Lincoln International, we know that the success of our global organization is a direct outcome of the strength of our people. We encourage diversity of thought and create talent density by attracting, retaining, and engaging high performers from all demographics, backgrounds, and perspectives. We value diversity, equity, and inclusion as a catalyst to foster innovation and creative problem solving, access the best candidates and adapt to a highly dynamic, competitive environment. We know that employing a diverse team and valuing the unique perspectives of our people allows us to better understand and serve the needs of our clients.

Lincoln International is committed to creating a diverse environment and is proud to be an equal opportunity employer. All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, gender, gender identity or expression, sexual orientation, national origin, genetics, disability, age, or veteran status.

Duties & Responsibilities

Lincoln International is seeking Summer Associates to join our rapidly growing M&A practice. Summer Associates generally work in the firm's Chicago, Dallas, Los Angeles, New York or San Francisco office while interacting with our global team.

The Summer Associate position at Lincoln International involves interacting closely with the firm's senior bankers and clients' senior executives. Our Associates are heavily involved in every aspect of an M&A transaction and ultimately master the ability to execute a deal from start-to-finish. Given our global platform, Summer Associates also receive a high level of exposure to international clients and buyers, thus further enhancing their experience.

Lincoln International continuously provides our Summer Associates with opportunities beyond typical roles in order to accelerate professional development and maximize career trajectory.

Key responsibilities include the following:

- Performing financial analyses and valuations
- Conducting industry research
- Identifying and contacting potential buyers or acquisition targets
- Preparing confidential information memoranda and management presentations

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- Interacting with senior bankers and clients' senior executives
- Participating in new business meetings
- Hosting visits by potential buyers at client facilities
- Supporting senior bankers during transaction negotiations
- Facilitating due diligence and transaction closings
- Leading or implementing initiatives focused on growing the firm's franchise value

Qualifications:

- Fluent in accounting and finance
- Strong business acumen
- Exceptional verbal and written communication skills
- Assertive, self-motivated and desire to succeed in a fast-paced, entrepreneurial environment
- Prior M&A, capital raising, or investment banking experience is preferred, but not required
- Candidate must be in progress on an MBA degree (2024 Graduation) and hold an outstanding academic record

Additional Information:

Lincoln is not currently hiring individuals for this position who now or in the future require sponsorship for employment visa status