PARNASSUS INVESTMENTS RESEARCH ANALYST INTERN (MBA)

Parnassus Investments is an independent and employee-owned investment management company based in San Francisco, California. Our goal is to provide excellent long-term risk adjusted performance with strict adherence to environmental, social and governance (ESG) investment principles. We seek to invest in good businesses that have increasingly relevant products or services, sustainable competitive advantages, quality management teams and ethical business practices. We believe the most attractive opportunities for investments arise when companies with good business fundamentals become temporarily undervalued. The firm was founded in 1984, and currently manages 4 U.S. core equity strategies across multiple market capitalizations, 1 Asia Pacific equity strategy and 1 U.S. fixed-income strategy.

Position Summary: The Parnassus Research Analyst Internship is a ten-week summer opportunity for MBA students. Research Analyst Interns work alongside our full-time investment professionals, researching and analyzing information to evaluate current and potential investment opportunities.

Primary Responsibilities:

- Create and maintain financial models and valuation analyses
- Evaluate the relevancy, competitive advantages, and management team for current and potential investments
- Perform primary research on companies, which may include communicating with company contacts, customers, competitors, and reading industry periodicals and other online resources
- Collect and analyze financial and industry data and metrics
- Attend meetings with company management teams and sell-side analysts at Parnassus' office

<u>Qualifications</u>: The Research Analyst Intern program targets candidates with exceptional levels of academic and extra-curricular achievement.

Requirements:

- MBA student
- Open to students from all majors; preference to students with accounting, economics, statistics, or business-related course work
- Prior investment banking, investment management, or finance work experience viewed favorably
- Strong quantitative and analytical skills, including experience with Excel, PowerPoint, and Word
- Self-starter with desire to work in a team-oriented environment
- Excellent written and verbal communication skills
- Demonstrated interest in financial markets and investing

The position is located in our San Francisco, CA office.