

Senior Grant Writer

Washington, DC

Join us in the fight to hold Wall Street accountable and make finance work for us, not against us.

Americans for Financial Reform Education Fund (AFREF) is seeking a Senior Writer focused on development and organizational advancement

AFREF played a leading role in winning passage of post financial-crisis reforms, including the creation of the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau, and we are continuing the push to transform the financial system, even as we fend off attacks on existing public protections. AFREF's staff effectively advances the agenda of a coalition of more than 200 consumer, civil rights, labor, community-based, and other organizations, along with academics and other experts, working together to advance this fundamentally important part of the economic and racial justice agenda.

The Senior Grant Writer will work closely with AFREF leadership and program staff to write effectively about our work for grant proposals and reports and for other materials to explain our work and make it more visible to funders and to broader audiences. The senior writer will both produce original materials and edit drafts written by colleagues. The Senior Grant Writer will also submit grants and manage our grants calendar.

Ideal candidates will be excellent writers; be good at translating complex policy and strategy into clear language and compelling narratives; have experience in advocacy, organizing or campaigns; have some knowledge of financial regulation and/or consumer protection and/or economic policy, and be eager to learn more; be able to collaborate effectively with the diverse members of our staff and coalition; be able to capture nuances of approach and tone; be detail and systems oriented; and be energized by and skilled at learning new subject material.

Qualifications:

- A commitment to economic and racial justice
- Demonstrated excellence as a writer and editor
- At least 5 years of experience in some or all of: writing, advocacy, organizing or campaigning
- The ability to exercise sound strategic and interpersonal judgment
- Strong organizational skills and experience handling multiple simultaneous projects and meeting deadlines

Compensation:

Annual salary range: \$70,000 to \$95,000. Generous benefits, including medical, dental, vision, 401k and generous PTO policies.

Location:

AFREF's offices are located in downtown Washington DC. The Senior Grant Writer position is open for full-time remote work for candidates depending on location, with hybrid in-office/remote work arrangements available for those residing in the DMV area.

How to apply:

Please submit your application to our <u>candidate portal linked here</u>, including a letter of interest, a resume, two writing samples (ideally, related to AFR's mission or to the job responsibilities outlined above), and three references.

AFR Education Fund is committed to a workplace that reflects the diversity of America defined broadly and where the talent, skills and uniqueness of each staff member are respected. We are committed to a policy of equity for all employees and to equal opportunity for all applicants for employment without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, sex, age, marital status, sexual orientation, gender identity/expression, family responsibilities, and disability.