**Education:** Bachelor's degree required, preferably in biomedical or social science or closely related field.

**Appointment Percentage:** 100%

**Full Time Salary Rate:** minimum $30,207 annual – depending on qualifications.

**Number of Positions:** 1

**Minimum Number of years or type of relevant work experience:**
At least 1 years’ experience performing social science, biomedical research or closely related field required.

Well-qualified applicants will have the following preferred experience:
- 2 years' research experience in social science, biomedical research or closely related field is preferred.
- Experience in research project management and supervision is preferred.
- Experience with drafting and submitting IRB protocols.
- Excellent interpersonal, organization, written, and verbal communication skills.
- High degree of general computer proficiency and the ability to learn new technology quickly is preferred.
- Prior experience using signal processing software such as MATLAB or Python is preferred.
- Strong attention to detail and possess a strong work ethic.
- Proactive problem solving and planning.
- Ability to work as part of a team.
- Experience managing budgets and tracking expenses.

**Job Summary:**
This position is within the Alexander Laboratory, located at the Waisman Center. This position will serve as a research specialist on a multi-center neuroimaging research study of children with severe traumatic brain injury (TBI). The primary purpose of the study is to investigate how injured brain network measurements obtained from advanced neuroimaging are related to clinical and behavioral outcomes in children with severe pediatric brain injury. This study will collect and analyze roughly 800 MRI scans (600 acute scans, 100 one year post-TBI scans and 100 control scans) over four years.

This position will perform the cleaning and processing neuroimaging data and communicate directly with and maintain professional relationships with collaborators and outside agencies. This position will also be responsible for assisting Principal Investigators (PI's) in coordinating the research activities conducted across the 15 participating sites, as well as managing data transfer and regulatory compliance.

For a complete list of duties and qualifications please see:

We offer an excellent benefits package as well as a competitive salary based on qualifications.

**How to Apply:**
Please submit a current comprehensive CV and a cover letter describing your qualifications to Choutae Yang, cyang@waisman.wisc.edu. Email applications are preferred, please note in the subject line: **PVL 85733 - Research Specialist**.

To ensure consideration, applications must be received by June 08, 2016.
If you need to request an accommodation because of a disability you can find information about how to make a request at the following website: http://www.oed.wisc.edu/478.htm

**Note:** Unless confidentiality is requested in writing, information regarding applicants and nominees must be released upon request. Finalists cannot be guaranteed confidentiality. UW-Madison is required by law to request data from applicants for employment in order to monitor its recruitment and selection practices. In order for us to meet this federal reporting requirement, please go to http://www.oed.wisc.edu/reports-and-forms.htm to fill out the Voluntary Self-Identification of Disability Form and the Applicant Self-Identification Form for Protected Veterans.

Please reference the Position Vacancy Number 85733 when uploading your completed forms. Completing these forms is voluntary and your responses will be kept confidential and is not considered as part of the hiring criteria.

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