Dominic Ricottone

Over five years experience in survey research including data collection, cleaning, and weighting. I am proficient in statistical programming especially with SPSS, Stata, and Python.

Employment

Fors Marsh

Market research firm primarily working on federal contracts. For this work, I maintain several clearances as well as a DoD CAC.

Survey Sampling Statistician April 2024 — present

- Designing and executing sampling and weighting plans for nationwide probability panels
- Designing weights for nonprobability web panel surveys
- Performing nonresponse bias analyses under complex survey designs with nonparametric modeling techniques

Data Management Analyst February 2019 — present

- Designing QA protocols to validate multi-modal survey instruments
- Developing automation to perform programmatic review of data quality
- Reviewing and advising junior analysts' work
- Creating U.S. and international address lists for survey sampling
- Supporting internal teams with statistical programming expertise in SPSS, Stata, Python, R, and Excel VBA

IR&D Project Member May 2024 — April 2025

• Developed MVP for an internal clone of the CDC's Q-Bank

The Harris Poll

Market research firm. I started with the company in Rochester, New York and moved to the Arlington, Virginia office after a year.

Junior Survey Programmer November 2018 — February 2019

• Programming web surveys

Data Processing Programmer September 2017 — November 2018

- Designing data pipelines
- Executing weighting plans for nonprobability panel surveys
- Migrating internal source code repositories into GitLab

Chris Harris & Associates

Political consultancy firm working with Democratic officials across Western New York.

Campaign Finance Intern August 2017 — September 2017

- Scraping web pages and PDF documents
- Coordinating fundraiser events for Monroe and Erie County Democratic Committees, election campaign for Todd Baxter, and re-election campaign for the late Congresswoman Louise Slaughter

University of Rochester

Research university and the largest single employer in the Rochester, New York area. I worked with the Record Verification and Workers' Compensation teams.

Office Assistant May 2016 — May 2017

- Managing original paper files of the Human Resources department
- Executing modernization and digitization plans

Cancer Care of Western New York

Cancer treatment facility in Buffalo, New York. I performed data entry tasks.

Research Assistant May 2013 — August 2013

• De-identifying data for external transmission

Education

University of Rochester

- B.A. Political Science, Economics August 2013 May 2017
 - Selected courses: Econometrics, Game Theory, Public Finance, Health Economics

南山大学 (Nanzan University)

Intensive Japanese Language Studies Program January 2016 — May 2016

• Intensive study of the Japanese language in a Japanese university

Active Certifications

SAS Institute

SAS Programming 1: Essentials November 2019

- Training to write SAS programs to access, explore, prepare, and analyze data
- View certificate on Credly

MathWorks

MATLAB Onramp Oc—ber 2025

- Training to write MATLAB programs to explore and visualize data
- View certificate on MATLAB Academy

CITI Program

Biomedical Research Support Staff February 2019 — present

- Training in the requirements and ethical implications of human subject research, especially in the context of the 2018 revision of the Common Rule
- Current certificate ID is 61007756