



## Research Associate

**Company: First Ally Asset Management (FAAM)**

**Experience Level: 4-6 years**

**Location: Lagos**

### About the Role

The Research Associate will be responsible for conducting in-depth economic and market research to support investment decision-making at FAAM. This role involves preparing comprehensive reports on global and domestic economic trends, monitoring market performance, and providing investment recommendations on stocks and fixed-income securities. The ideal candidate will possess strong analytical skills, a keen understanding of financial markets, and the ability to interpret economic data effectively.

### Key Responsibilities

#### **Economic and Market Research & Analysis:**

- Prepare 12 monthly reports covering global and domestic economic reviews, market performance, and outlook.
- Develop quarterly reports analyzing global and domestic economic conditions, market performance, and projections.
- Provide timely and insightful qualitative economic and market-based reports to aid strategic decision-making.

#### **Investment Recommendations:**

- Conduct thorough research on stocks and fixed-income securities to support FAAM's investment strategy.
- Monitor and analyze the Nigerian Exchange (NGX) All Share Index (ASI) and related market dynamics.
- Provide investment insights and recommendations based on quantitative and qualitative analysis.



### **Market Reporting & Outlook:**

- Deliver comprehensive daily market reports summarizing key financial developments.
- Generate daily price list reports tracking market movements.
- Compile weekly market reports highlighting key trends and insights.
- Produce in-depth monthly market reports providing performance analysis and forecasts.

### **Qualifications & Experience:**

- Bachelor's degree in Finance, Economics, Business Administration, or a related field. A Master's degree or CFA qualification is a plus.
- 4-6 years of experience in financial research, investment analysis, or a related role.
- Strong understanding of macroeconomic indicators, financial markets, and investment principles.
- Proficiency in financial modelling, data analysis, and valuation techniques.
- Excellent analytical, written, and verbal communication skills.
- Experience with Bloomberg, Reuters, or other financial data platforms is an advantage.
- Strong attention to detail and ability to synthesize complex data into actionable insights.

### **Key Competencies:**

- Critical thinking and problem-solving skills.
- Strong numerical and analytical ability.
- Ability to work independently and collaboratively within a team.
- High level of integrity, professionalism, and work ethic.
- Ability to manage multiple tasks and meet deadlines.