



JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

One Year Temporary Position: Justice Learning Center Coordinating Attorney

Our Organization

Legal Services NYC fights poverty and seeks racial, social and economic justice for low income New Yorkers. For 50 years, we have challenged systemic injustices and provided legal services that help our clients meet basic needs for housing, income and economic security, family and immigration stability, education, and health care. LSNYC is the largest civil legal services organization in the country; our staff of 600 people in neighborhood-based offices and outreach sites across all five boroughs helps over 100,000 New Yorkers annually. We partner with scores of community-based and client-run organizations, elected officials, law schools, public agencies, pro bono lawyers and the courts to maximize our effectiveness. Our work fights discrimination and helps to achieve equity for low income New Yorkers.

The Justice Learning Center

The Justice Learning Center is the largest poverty law Continuing Legal Education program in the country, with 100 classes annually for over 2500 participants on substantive law, skills, cultural competence and ethics. We strive to support all of our staff and the public interest community in providing effective legal services both for individual clients and through systemic litigation and advocacy. As part of our approach, we work to infuse a diversity, equity and inclusion lens into all of our educational offerings.

The Opportunity

We are seeking a temporary Justice Learning Center Coordinating Attorney for one year. Primary duties include developing and implementing LSNYC's comprehensive Diversity, Equity and Inclusion (DEI) education program. This is a staff attorney position.

We seek applicants with:

- at least three years of experience in practicing law or at least three years of legal teaching experience (or a combination)
- sophisticated experience in DEI work, preferably with LSNYC's citywide and borough-based efforts
- experience and knowledge in planning and conducting DEI education
- demonstrated ability to engage and work with a wide range of people
- a passion for social justice and lived commitment to low income people and communities

LSNYC pays a competitive public interest salary commensurate with experience and in accordance with the Legal Services NYC Collective Bargaining Agreement, and provides an excellent fringe benefits package.

Interested applicants should e-mail a cover letter and resume to: Jobpostings@lsnyc.org
Type on Subject line: Justice Learning Center Coordinating Attorney

LSNYC is an equal opportunity employer. People of color, women, people with disabilities, people over 40 and LGBTQ people are welcome and encouraged to apply.

Bar Association and other organizations: LSNYC welcomes your recommendations for qualified candidates, and asks that you encourage such candidates to apply.

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