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STATE OF NEW YORK
UNIFIED COURT SYSTEM

PLEASE POST ANNOUNCEMENT NO. 20302

A position will be filled in one of the following titles and will be dependent on the qualifications of the applicant selected.

POSITION TITLE: ASSOCIATE COURT ATTORNEY (TRIAL PART) JG - 29

**BASE SALARY:** \$102,815 + \$4,300 Location Pay

QUALIFICATIONS: Admission to the New York State Bar; and Five (5) years of relevant legal experience, including up to 18

months of pre-admission experience.

## **DISTINGUISHING FEATURES OF WORK:**

Associate Court Attorneys (Trial Part) research and analyze complex and difficult legal issues and questions and perform other related duties. They serve in a confidential capacity and under supervision for judges or groups of judges in Family and District Court; County and Surrogate's Courts in counties with populations less than 400,000; the Criminal Court and the Civil Court of the City of New York, and in City Courts with two or more full-time judges. Associate Court Attorneys (Trial Part) may be assigned to judges designated as Acting Justices of the Supreme Court for one full term or less.

**POSITION TITLE**: SENIOR COURT ATTORNEY (TRIAL PART) JG - 25

**BASE SALARY:** \$83,034 + \$4,300 Location Pay

QUALIFICATIONS: Admission to the New York State Bar; and Two (2) years of relevant legal experience, including up to 18

months of pre-admission experience.

## **DISTINGUISHING FEATURES OF WORK:**

Senior Court Attorneys (Trial Part) research and analyze complex and difficult legal issues and questions and perform other related duties. They serve in a confidential capacity and under supervision for judges or groups of judges in Family and District Court; County and Surrogate's Courts in counties with populations less than 400,000; the Criminal Court and the Civil Court of the City of New York, and in City Courts with two or more full-time judges. Senior Court Attorneys (Trial Part) may be assigned to judges designated as Acting Justices of the Supreme Court for one full term or less.

**POSITION TITLE**: COURT ATTORNEY (TRIAL PART) JG - 23

**BASE SALARY:** \$74,478 + \$4,300 Location Pay

QUALIFICATIONS: Admission to the New York State Bar; or Graduation from an accredited law school and admission to the

New York State Bar within eighteen (18) months of appointment.

## **DISTINGUISHING FEATURES OF WORK:**

Court Attorneys (Trial Part) research and analyze legal issues and questions and perform other related duties. They serve in a confidential capacity and under supervision for judges or groups of judges in Family and District Court; County and Surrogate's Courts in counties with populations less than 400,000; the Criminal Court and the Civil Court of the City of New York, and in City Courts with two or more full-time judges. Court Attorneys (Trial Part) may be assigned to judges designated as Acting Justices of the Supreme Court for one full term or less.

LOCATION: NEW YORK CITY CIVIL COURT

KINGS COUNTY

CLASSIFICATION: NON-COMPETITIVE/CONFIDENTIAL

**ASSIGNMENT:** This position will assist Hon. L. Austin D'Souza, in the Kings County Civil Court located at 141 Livingston Street, Brooklyn, NY 10021. Duties include, but are not limited to: researching and analyzing legal questions and issues; conferring with and advising judge on legal issues; writing confidential legal memoranda and recommending decisions; drafting confidential opinions, decisions, orders, and correspondence; arranging and conducting conferences with litigants and other parties to action; and helping facilitate settlements.

**GENERAL INFORMATION:** The above statements are intended to describe the general nature and level of work performed by persons assigned to this title. They do not include all job duties performed by employees in the title, and every position does not necessarily require these duties. Although a position is available and situated at a specific location, the appointee may be subject to reassignment to any position in the same title in this promotion unit dependent upon the needs of the Unified Court System. All applications received from this announcement may be used to fill any vacancies in this title that may occur in this court or agency within the next six (6) months. Position(s) available at the present time: 1.

**APPLICATION PROCEDURES:** All interested persons meeting the minimum qualifications are encouraged to submit a UCS-5 Application for Employment form (obtainable from any administrative office in a court building or on the web at <a href="https://www.nycourts.gov/careers/UCS5.pdf">www.nycourts.gov/careers/UCS5.pdf</a>) and a signed cover letter, resume, 2-3 writing samples and a list of references by email to <a href="https://dsouza@nycourts.gov">dsouza@nycourts.gov</a>. Applications will be considered on a rolling basis.

## APPLICANTS ARE ENCOURAGED TO COMPLETE THE EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY DATA COLLECTION FORM.

New hires must be fully vaccinated against the COVID-19 virus by the date of hire, unless granted a reasonable accommodation due to disability or religion.

**POSTING DATE:** January 5, 2023

APPLICATIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED OR RECEIVED BY: February 2, 2023

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