

Washington Courts Employment Opportunity

Administrative Office of the Courts

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

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Employment Status: Regular, Full-Time

Location: Olympia, Washington

Salary: Range 46: \$3,511 — \$4,714 mo. (DOQ)

Opens: October 29, 2019

Closes: November 15, 2019 at 5:00 p.m.

POSITION PROFILE

Reports to the Legal Services and Appellate Court Support Manager providing expert level work on varied and complex tasks involving priority setting, organization and implementation of administrative matters.

Work is performed independently with the expectation of exercising good judgment and decision making in administrative matters.

Appropriate judgment is required regarding the confidentiality of sensitive matter encountered within the course of business operations.

Detailed information (scope of responsibility, essential activities, and key competencies, etc.) can be found by viewing the **Job Description** attached to this Announcement. Or at www.courts.wa.gov/employ, under Current Openings, click on Washington Courts and the Announcement.

QUALIFICATIONS AND CREDENTIALS

A Bachelor's degree in business administration, public administration, or closely related field **AND**:

- Ability to demonstrate three (3) years of progressively responsible administrative support experience in a similar professional work environment.
- Ability to demonstrate advanced word processing skills.
- Demonstration of relevant work experience may substitute for education experience.

PREFERRED / DESIRED QUALIFICATIONS

- Experience working with statewide and local court rules.
- Experience working with legal publications including pattern forms.
- Experience with Westlaw and conducting legal research.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Workweek may fluctuate depending on workload or agency need.
- Overnight travel may be required based on business need.
- This position is not covered under the Fair Labor Standards Act (FLSA).

HOW TO APPLY / REQUIREMENTS

Interested applicants who meet the qualifications and competencies in this announcement are encouraged to apply for this opportunity. The following will all be considered in determining whether applicants move to the next phase of the screening process. The information you provide, the quality and completeness of the application, and the ability to follow stated application instructions.

The following items are **REQUIRED** for your application to be considered complete. Note: ALL sections of the Application must be completed. "See resume" is not acceptable.

- ✓ Cover Letter (no more than two pages)
- ✓ Resume (chronological)
- ✓ Application for Employment

The Application for Employment can be found at www.courts.wa.gov/employ, under Current Openings, click on Washington Courts, the Application is located at the bottom of the page.

All application materials must be received by $\underline{5:00~p.m.}$ on the closing date of this posting. It is preferred applications

be emailed to employment@courts.wa.gov. You can also mail your materials to Administrative Office of the Courts, Attn: Human Resources, PO Box 41170, Olympia, WA 98504-1170. Faxed copies can be sent to 360-586-4409. Late applications will not be accepted.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

The AOC is an equal opportunity employer and does not discriminate on the basis of gender, pregnancy, race, color, national origin, ancestry, religion, creed, physical, mental or sensory disability (actual or perceived), use of a service animal, marital status, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, veteran or military status, age, HIV or Hepatitis C status, or any other basis protected by federal or state law. Persons of disability needing assistance in the application process, or those needing this announcement in an alternative format, please contact Colleen Clark, AOC Human Resource Office, at (360) 704-4143, or fax (360) 586-4409, or via email to Employment @courts.wa.gov.

In compliance with federal law, all persons hired will be required to verify identity and eligibility to work in the United States and to complete the required employment eligibility verification form upon hire.

SPECIAL NOTE:

Prior to a new hire, a background check including criminal history will be conducted. Information from the background check will not necessarily preclude employment but will be considered in determining the applicant's suitability and competence to perform in the job.

MORE INFORMATION ABOUT AOC

The Administrative Office of the Courts (AOC) is located in Olympia, Washington, on Interstate 5 between Seattle, Washington and Portland, Oregon. Olympia and the surrounding Thurston County area offer numerous social, recreational, educational, and cultural opportunities. Natural features include Puget Sound, the Olympic National Park to the west, and Mt. Rainier to the east. Mount St. Helens and the Pacific Ocean beaches are within a two hour drive of the city.

Great benefits (paid vacation and sick leave; health, life and disability insurance; retirement options and leave for military and civil service), a team-oriented culture, and a balance of family and work life in a wonderful community are a few rewards of choosing a career in the judicial branch of Washington State government. We offer leading edge technology, a broad range of career opportunities, and an opportunity to make a real difference in people's lives.

See <u>www.courts.wa.gov/employ</u> for more information about Washington Courts, Compensation and Benefits.

