

# United States Bankruptcy Court Eastern District of Louisiana Vacancy Announcement 2017-03

Position Title:Court InternSalary Range:CL 21 (\$9.78 - \$15.90 hourly)\*Term:Temporary (Not-to-Exceed date will be less than 90 days) \*\* (Position<br/>may be extended or become permanent, dependent on funding or need).Position Location:New Orleans, LAOpening Date:November 17, 2016Closing Date:Open until filled, (Multiple positions may be filled from this<br/>vacancy announcement) (Preference will be given to<br/>applications received on or before December 1, 2016)

\*Salary is based on qualifications and experience. \*\*Temporary position (less than 90 days) is not eligible for benefits. Promotional potential to CL 22 without further competition.

## **Position Description:**

This is a temporary position located in the Clerk's office at the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana. The court intern will assist various sections within the Clerk's office by providing operational support, clerical, and technical assistance. This includes data entry, scanning documents, assisting with special projects, and performing other duties as assigned. This positon requires a self-motivated person with a professional attitude and ability to work collaboratively with others.

### General Experience/Qualifications/Educational Requirements:

The successful applicant must be a high school graduate or equivalent. The ideal applicant will be enrolled in an accredited undergraduate program with good academic standing or a recent college graduate (Associate or BA). The successful applicant should have effective oral and written communication skills.

# Court Preferred Qualifications/Experience/Skills:

A strong preference will be given to candidates with either experience or a demonstrable skill set in one or more of the following:

- Minimum documented GPA of 3.00.
- Possess substantial clerical, organizational, and administrative skills
- Experience with HTML based forms and web design documentation
- Proficiency in Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, Access) Windows, WordPerfect, and Adobe (Adobe LiveCycle is desirable)
- Accounting, finance, or business experience with accounts payable, receivable, bookkeeping, etc.
- Experience working with formulas in Excel
- Ability to prioritize and efficiently manage multiple assignments
- Ability to perform research and information gathering

- Comprehend written documentation such as compliance documents, regulations, etc.
- Perform tasks involving administrative, analytical, and technical aspects
- Detail oriented with the ability to follow and adhere to consistent methods
- Sound ethics and judgement
- Seeks opportunities to take on projects and accept challenges

## **Conditions of Employment:**

Applicants must be U.S. citizens or eligible to work in the United States. As a condition of employment, the selected candidate will be subject to a background check, which includes FBI fingerprinting. Appointment will be provisional, contingent upon the results of the background check.

The United States Bankruptcy Court is a part of the federal judiciary, so employees must comply with the Judicial Code of Conduct. Court employees are under "Excepted Appointments" and are considered "at will". All court employees are required to adhere to a Code of Conduct. This position is subject to mandatory electronic funds transfer (direct deposit) of net pay.

### **Benefits:**

The U.S. Bankruptcy Court offers excellent opportunities for training and career development. The intern will have the opportunity to attend and observe the working of the court. This temporary position (less than 90 days) is not eligible for health, life, retirement, or parking benefits.

## **Application Packet Procedures and Information:**

To apply for this temporary internship position, qualified persons should send copies of the following documents:

- 1) A detailed cover letter;
- 2) Judicial Branch Federal Employment Application (AO-78), which is available at: <u>www.laeb.uscourts.gov/employment</u>
- 3) Copies of official college transcripts; transcripts submitted must indicate dates of graduation, if applicable, degrees awarded, and grade point averages.

Submit all required documents to the address provided below or email the application packet via pdf format with the subject line **"Intern" 2017-03** to: **hr@laeb.uscourts.gov** 

U.S. Bankruptcy Court Eastern District of Louisiana Attn: Human Resources "Confidential" 2016-01 Hale Boggs Federal Building 500 Poydras Street, Suite B601 New Orleans, LA 70130

Only candidates selected for an interview will be contacted. Candidates selected for interviews must travel at their own expense. Multiple positions may be filled from this announcement.

The court reserves the right to modify the conditions of this job announcement, withdraw the announcement, or fill the position at any time before closing or preference application date, any of which may occur without prior written notice.

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