JOB ANNOUNCEMENT September 17, 2019 Legislative Research Commission

Legislative Committee Analyst

The Legislative Research Commission is accepting applications for the position of **Legislative Committee Analyst** in the Judiciary Committee. This position is nonpartisan and requires the ability to work with neutrality in a politically charged environment.

Job Duties

- Communicate with committee staff administrator to learn about agency policies and procedures.
- Work with legislators, agencies, and the public.
- Analyze and research issues related to committee's jurisdiction, or other issues as assigned; draft legislation; and communicate information, sometimes in a summary or bulleted form, with staff, legislators, and non-staff as requested.
- Help arrange committee meeting logistics and staff meetings.
- Act as lead staff when requested for interim, session, or task forces.
- Undertake limited travel for committee meetings, meetings with legislators, and other occasions as appropriate.
- Work with other LRC staff on the production of LRC publications.
- Work with other LRC staff on multidisciplinary task forces and research projects.
- Attend training as needed or directed.
- Perform other duties as assigned.

Minimum Requirements

A juris doctor is required. Experience in the subject matter jurisdiction is preferred but not required.

Desired Skills and Abilities

- Analytical and research ability.
- Willingness to assist other committees and research issues not related to committee's jurisdiction.
- Demonstrated ability to understand the legislative process and the bill drafting application.
- Willingness to meet short deadlines.
- Ability to work in a team environment.
- Willingness to work with other agencies, legislators, and the public.

- Basic computer skills with knowledge of Microsoft Office products, or demonstrated ability to learn Microsoft Office products.
- Ability to understand and uphold the strict confidential nature of legislative work.
- Ability to uphold expectations of a nonpartisan staff member.
- Ability to work extended hours as needed.

The individual selected for this position must have a positive attitude; a strong work ethic; attention to detail; competence in using correct grammar, spelling, and punctuation; excellent written and verbal communication skills; and a public service orientation with the ability to maintain a good rapport with legislators, LRC staff, state employees, and the public. The individual must be able to work under stress, with the understanding that, during legislative sessions and occasionally during the interim, significant amounts of overtime will be required.

This is a permanent, full-time position with benefits, including health and life insurance; retirement plan; and paid holidays, vacation, and sick days. Compensatory time is awarded on an hour-for-hour basis with prior approval.

Application Deadline

Applications for this position must be submitted by the close of business of October 11, 2019. Review will begin immediately upon receipt.

All persons who meet the minimum requirements and are interested in this position must email a cover letter, writing sample, and current résumé to LRCresumes@Irc.ky.gov and list the job title in the email subject line. An application (which may be accessed at https://apps.legislature.ky.gov/Irc/LRCapplication.pdf) must be completed prior to any interview. Each person interested in the position is encouraged to submit the application when submitting the cover letter and current résumé.

Alternatively, applicants may mail these materials to:

Tim Holbrook
Deputy Director/Chief Human Resources Officer
Legislative Research Commission
Capitol Annex Room 456, 702 Capital Avenue
Frankfort, Kentucky 40601

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