

Economic Justice Division
Bureau of Internet and Technology – New York City
Assistant Attorneys General
Reference No: BIT NYC AAG 3799

Applications Accepted Until Positions Filled*

The Office of the New York State Attorney General (OAG) is seeking attorneys with experience in information technology and consumer protection law for its <u>Bureau of Internet and Technology</u> (BIT) in New York City. BIT is responsible for the enforcement of New York's privacy, data security, and consumer protection laws in the online and tech environment, as well as for enforcement of New York's data breach notification laws. In recent years, BIT has investigated a wide range of issues affecting technology, including harm to young people from social media platforms, online privacy, data breaches, false online endorsements, gambling, speculative tickets, and internet fraud. Recent litigations have included a suit against TikTok for misleading the public about the safety of its platform and harming young people's mental health, and Allstate/NatGen for data breaches.

The OAG is committed to protecting New Yorkers by robustly enforcing state and federal consumer protections and prohibitions on corporate abuse. The selected attorneys will advance economic justice in New York state by directly contributing to BIT's critical and ongoing enforcement work. Specifically, BIT attorneys are responsible for case investigation and development, settlement negotiation, and litigating affirmative cases on behalf of OAG, as well as consumer outreach and drafting legislation.

Applicants must have a minimum of **five (5) years of litigation experience**, strong writing skills, an interest in technology and related legal issues, and a commitment to public service. An understanding of and/or experience in technology and related legal issues, privacy, and data security is preferred.

Applicants must reside in (or intend to soon become a resident of) New York state and be admitted to practice law in New York state. In addition, the Public Officers Law requires that OAG attorneys be citizens of the United States. A two (2) year commitment upon being hired is a condition of employment.

The salary range for this position is \$83,594 - \$178,463 + \$4,000 in location pay. To learn more about attorney compensation, please visit the following page:

ag.ny.gov/sites/default/files/assistant_attorney_general_compensation.pdf

As an employee of OAG, you will join a team of dedicated individuals who work to serve the people of our state through a wide variety of occupations. We offer a comprehensive New York state benefits package, including paid leave, health, dental, vision, and retirement benefits, and family-friendly policies. Additionally, OAG offers a robust Workplace Flexibilities Program with multiple options for employees, including telecommuting (up to two days per week) and alternative work schedules.

Candidates from diverse backgrounds are encouraged to apply.
The OAG is an equal opportunity employer and is committed to workplace diversity.

How to Apply

Applications must be submitted online. To apply, please click on the following link: BIT NYC AAG 3799

* Please be advised that applications will be accepted and reviewed on a rolling basis. Therefore, you are encouraged to submit your application as soon as possible to ensure consideration.

Applicants must be prepared to submit a complete application consisting of the following:

Cover Letter

- You may address your letter to the Legal Recruitment Unit.
- Indicate why you are interested in this position and what makes you a strong candidate. You may
 wish to include information about what life experiences you will bring to the position that will
 enhance OAG's ability to better serve the diverse population of this state.
- Resume
- Legal Writing Sample
- Reference List
 - Submit a list of three (3) professional references; supervisory references are preferred.
 - For each reference, indicate the nature and duration of your relationship.
 - Include contact information and email addresses for each reference.
 - Please note that your references will not be contacted until after you interview for the position.

If you have questions regarding a position with OAG, the application process, or need assistance with submitting your application, please contact Legal Recruitment via email at recruitment@ag.ny.gov or phone at 212-416-8080.

For more information about OAG, please visit our website: ag.ny.gov