



## Division of Social Justice

### Charities Bureau - Assistant Attorney General – New York City

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[The Charities Bureau](#) of the New York State Office of the Attorney General's (OAG) is seeking a litigation attorney for a staff attorney position in the Trusts & Estates section of its New York City office. The Charities Bureau is a national leader in the oversight of not-for-profit organizations and represents the interests of charitable beneficiaries and New York State in a wide range of matters.

Responsibilities include representing the interests of charitable beneficiaries in Surrogate's Court and Supreme Court proceedings involving trusts and estates with charitable interests; representing the interests of the State in proceedings involving estates administered by the Public Administrator and other estates with unknown beneficiaries, including kinship hearings and withdrawal proceedings in Surrogate's Court and Supreme Court; reviewing fiduciary accountings; and, assisting with legislative and public education initiatives.

We are seeking candidates with two (2) to three (3) years of experience in trusts & estates law and litigation, preferably including contested Surrogate's Court proceedings. The ideal candidate will combine excellent advocacy, negotiation and writing skills with a strong interest in public service.

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 attorneys in the OAG be citizens of the United States. A two (2) year commitment upon being hired is a condition of employment.

*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 are being received online. To apply, please click on this link: [CHAR AAG NYC 3153](#); applicants will be taken to the online application page for this position.

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

- [Cover Letter](#) (You may address to Sandra Jefferson Grannum, Esq., Bureau Chief, Legal Recruitment)
- [Resume](#)
- List of three (3) [references](#) with contact information and email addresses
- [Writing Sample](#)
- Law school [transcript](#) if less than five (5) years post-graduate

*Please note: Failure to submit a complete application will delay the consideration of your application.*

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

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