**Department:** Intellectual Property

**Location:** Rochester

**Classification:** Non-exempt

**Reports to:** Partner(s)

**Company Overview:**

It is an exciting time to be at Woods Oviatt Gilman. Through our continued growth, we work very hard to maintain an environment that is fun and a place to feel proud of while out in the community. The firm recognizes the importance of work/life balance and many programs are in place to support that philosophy.

**Summary:**

We are looking for a self-motivated Legal Assistant to join our growing team. This position is responsible for supporting 2 attorneys by performing a variety of administrative duties, including time entry, billing, correspondence, and communicating with clients. Our ideal candidate must be professional with excellent attention to detail.

**Duties and Responsibilities:**

* Work with attorneys with revising corporate forms and transactional documents
* Cultivate and maintain an efficient documentation and filing system for corporate files
* Utilize internet based resources to gather and synthesize information on various types of business organizations, including obtaining copies of corporate filings
* Work with accounting and attorneys to ensure a smooth closing process, including processing payment of invoices and coordination of incoming and outgoing wires
* Open new files, request conflict of interest checks, and maintain (including indexing and organizing) client and general files
* Maintain and update corporate minute books and stock records for various business entities
* Prepare correspondence and other legal documents from verbal instruction
* Draft indexes and assemble electronic binders for closing of business transactions; assemble binders for business entity formations
* Log attorneys’ time for billing purposes and work with accounting to generate bills
* Provide admin support such as transcribing dictation, maintaining calendars, setting up meetings, coordinate courier deliveries, and filing
* Assist with overflow projects/assignments such as filing, photocopying, scanning, or reception relief and perform other duties as needed upon request by immediate supervisor.

**Requirements:**

* 1-3 years prior law firm administrative assistant experience preferred
* Bachelor's degree preferred
* Working knowledge of Adobe and Microsoft Office Suite: Outlook, Word, Excel, and PowerPoint
* Strong typing, computer, organizational, and administrative skills with meticulous attention to detail
* Excellent communication and interpersonal skills
* Ability to prioritize workload and independently manage multiple tasks
* Must be a team player and use firm resources effectively and efficiently
* Must maintain professional contact with attorneys and staff and observe confidentiality of client and firm matters
* Type a minimum of 60 wpm

Please use the link below to apply for this position through our website for consideration:

**https://hr.woodsoviattgilman.com/careers/opportunity-application**

**Other Duties: Please note this job description is not designed to cover or contain a comprehensive listing of activities, duties or responsibilities that are required of the employee for this job. Duties, responsibilities and activities may change at any time with or without notice.**

Job Type: Full-time