



President & Attorney-in-Charge

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SUPERVISING / COORDINATING ATTORNEY
Foreclosure Project
New York Legal Assistance Group (NYLAG)

NYLAG has an immediate opening for a motivated and creative public interest attorney to establish and grow its Foreclosure Project. The attorney hired for this position will have the unique opportunity to build the Foreclosure Project within an established, dynamic, and expanding Citywide legal service provider at a time of drastic increases in foreclosures actions requiring innovative and coordinated responses. In addition to carrying a caseload of foreclosure matters, this attorney will, depending on funding, be responsible for hiring, training, and supervising additional staff within the Foreclosure Project. Other responsibilities include: representing NYLAG at community and coalition meetings concerning foreclosure matters; identifying systemic problems concerning foreclosure and working with NYLAG staff to address these problems through a variety of means; and ensuring that NYLAG comply with any contracts and grants to provide foreclosure-related legal services.

To qualify for Supervising Attorney, an applicant must have a minimum of five years experience. Applicants with less experience will be considered for the position of coordinating attorney. Applicants with experience handling foreclosure matters will have priority. Public interest / legal services experience and admission to the New York bar are required.

The New York Legal Assistance Group (NYLAG) is a nonprofit organization that offers vulnerable New Yorkers the legal help they critically need. NYLAG's mission is to provide free, civil legal services to poor and near poor individuals and families residing in the five boroughs of New York City who would otherwise be unable to access legal assistance. Since 1990, NYLAG has been dedicated to providing legal services to underserved, impoverished populations through direct representation, impact and class action litigation, consultation and community education. As a city-wide multi-legal services agency, NYLAG has the capacity to fill a vital gap in legal assistance to a wide range of low income populations including victims of domestic violence, immigrants, the elderly, the chronically ill, children with special needs, Holocaust survivors, and many other less fortunate members of society. In addition to direct client services, NYLAG staff conduct educational seminars for health care professionals, social workers, advocates, and the general community on accessing benefits and specialized areas of law and seek to achieve systemic change through a variety of means.

To be considered for this position, send a cover letter and a resume to Randal S. Jeffrey, Director of NYLAG's General Legal Services Unit, at rjeffrey@nylag.org or by mail to the New York Legal Assistance Group, 450 West 33rd Street, 11th Floor, New York, NY 10001. Writing samples and references will be requested before interviewing.

The New York Legal Assistance Group is an equal opportunity, affirmative action employer. Salary depending on experience and subject to funding limitations.