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COLLEGE OF THE LAW

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The University of California Hastings College of the Law was founded in 1878 as the law department of the University of California and was the first law school in California. Over the years, it has built a legacy and reputation of being a preeminent institution comprised of renowned faculty committed to the study of legal theory and research, preparing students for careers in the judicial system, public service, and industry.

The College is redefining legal education through an experiential, interdisciplinary, and international approach to the law. By integrating rigorous academics with hands-on practice, the College is preparing its graduates to tackle the legal challenges—and leverage the opportunities—of the 21st century.

Research Fellow Institute for Innovation Law

Classification: Level 2 / Class Code 1215 / Non-Exempt / Full-Time / Benefited / Represented

Hiring Salary Range: \$47,798 annually or \$22.98/hr (commensurate with qualifications)

Posting Date: April 28, 2017

THE ROLE

The Institute for Innovation Law at the University of California Hastings College of the Law seeks a Research Fellow to support the Institute's research and work directly with Professor Robin Feldman. The research work will include statistical analysis, gathering and analyzing of data, and drafting of academic papers. The writing will relate to startups, pharmaceutical antitrust, patent licensing, intellectual property, and regulatory reform.

The ideal applicant will be a recent college graduate hoping to gain 1-2 years of work experience before graduate school.

This is a temporary contract appointment.

RESPONSIBILITIES

Typical duties and responsibilities consist of, but are not limited to, the following:

- Research;
- Data gathering and data analysis;
- Writing sections of reports and papers;
- Editing papers and corresponding with law reviews;
- Preparing press releases.

REQUIREMENTS

EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE

- College graduate with 0-2 years experience and a BA or BS from a top-tier school. The position is well-suited for a recent college graduate looking to enter law or graduate school. Recent college or graduate school coursework that includes statistical analysis is required, as well as the experience described below.

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS & ABILITIES.

- Experience with or ability to learn databases such as Westlaw and Lexis; as well as data gathering and analysis programs such as Microsoft Excel and Qualtrix;

- Experience with or ability to learn empirical research protocols;
- Experience with or ability to learn the law review submission and editing process, as well as competence in law review blue book citation form;
- College level coursework encompassing statistics and econometrics;
- Must have excellent oral and written communication skills, including grammar, spelling and punctuation;
- Must be energetic, articulate, detail-oriented with excellent organizational skills and able to thrive in a fast-paced environment;
- As with many startups, the Institute offices are set up as an open, cooperative workspace, rather than individual offices. The Research Fellow must be comfortable with that working environment.

BENEFITS

Health and Welfare Benefits

- Comprehensive medical, dental and vision insurance coverage
- Flexible Spending Accounts for transportation-related, healthcare and dependent care expenses
- Employee Assistance Program

For your Financial Future

- Life Insurance
- Disability Insurance
- Legal Insurance
- University of California Retirement Plan (defined benefit)
- Deferred Compensation Plans/Pre-tax Retirement Savings Programs

For your Work/Life Balance

- Fourteen paid holidays per year
- Generous vacation and sick leave
- Commuter Benefits Program

THE HIRING PROCESS

To apply, go to:

<http://hrnetlogin.net/uchastings/app/app.cgi?positionsdesiredtext=Research%20Fellow%20-%20Innovation%20Law%20Apr2017>

Failure to provide the information as required on the application form including attaching a cover letter and a resume shall immediately disqualify an applicant from employment consideration.

Federal law requires employers to provide reasonable accommodation to qualified individuals with disabilities. Please contact Human Resources if you require a reasonable accommodation to apply for a job. Examples of reasonable accommodation include making a change to the application process, providing documents in an alternate format, using a sign language interpreter, or using specialized equipment.

WHAT TO EXPECT

Applicants who meet the position requirements will be competitively evaluated to identify the individuals whose breadth and depth of experience and education most closely relate to the stated requirements and the needs of the College. Depending on the quality and number of the applications received, only the better qualified applicants may be contacted for an interview. **The position is open until filled.**

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