

Articling Opportunities The Regional Municipality of Halton Greater Toronto Area

The Legal Services Division of The Regional Municipality of Halton (Halton Region), in co-operation with the Town of Oakville (Town) and the Halton Regional Police Service (Police), is seeking three (3) articling students for the 2022-2023 Joint Articling Student Program. Each articling student will rotate between Halton Region, the Town, and the Police for a combined twelve (12) month articling term. This unique articling experience will appeal to those articling students interested in gaining a wide variety of legal experience in the area of municipal law.

Halton Region is an upper-tier municipality located at the western end of the Greater Toronto Area. It is comprised of four local municipalities, being the City of Burlington and the Towns of Halton Hills, Milton and Oakville and is one of the fastest growing areas in Canada. Placements during the articling term will be located at the Halton Regional Centre, Oakville Town Hall and Halton Police Services Headquarters, which are all located in Oakville, Ontario. Halton Region's Legal Services Division boasts a strong legal team headed by the Commissioner of Legislative & Planning Services and Corporate Counsel. The Town's Legal Department is under the direction of the Town Solicitor, while the Director of Legal Services leads the Police Legal Services Department.

Your articling experience will provide practical legal training in barrister and solicitor tasks in many areas of law including municipal, employment and labour, planning, real estate, civil litigation, provincial prosecutions, privacy and administrative. You will have the opportunity to work with a wide variety of clients as you experience the challenges and rewards of practicing law in the public sector.

Halton Region offers a competitive salary and a collegial, professional work environment. Interested candidates are requested to forward their resume, transcripts and a brief cover letter to the attention of Steven Dykstra, Senior Legal Counsel, to be received before 5 p.m. on September 13, 2021. Applications may be sent via email to <u>articling@halton.ca</u>.

We thank applicants for their submission however only those applicants offered an interview will be contacted.