

Articling and Practising Law in Hamilton 2011 - 2012

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Number of Lawyers: 21 Positions available: 3
Hire back: Yes Summer positions: Yes
Areas of Law: Full service firm.

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Number of Lawyers: 8 Positions available: 1
Hire back: Yes Summer positions: No
Areas of Law: Civil litigation, insurance defence litigation, personal injury, plaintiff litigation.

Firm: Crown Attorney's Office

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Number of Lawyers: 30 Positions available: 1
Hire back: No Summer positions: Yes
Areas of Law: Criminal Prosecution

Firm: Dunlop & Associates

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Number of Lawyers: 3 Positions available: 1
Hire back: Yes Summer positions: Not at this time.
Areas of Law: Civil litigation and Commercial Litigation.

Firm: Evans, Philp LLP

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Number of Lawyers: 23 Positions available: 2
Hire back: Yes Summer positions: Yes
Areas of Law: Corporate & Commercial, Labour & Employment and Civil Litigation are the 3 main practice areas of the Firm.

Firm: Gowling Lafleur Henderson LLP

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Number of Lawyers: 29 Positions available: 3
Hire back: Yes
Summer positions: Yes, but filled for the summer of 2010.
Areas of Law: Advocacy, Corporate/Commercial, Intellectual Property and Mortgage Enforcement/Recovery Services.

Firm: Harvey Katz Professional Corp.

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Number of Lawyers: 3 Positions available: 1
Hire back: Yes Summer positions: No
Areas of Law: Civil litigation with emphasis on personal injury law and real estate.

Firm: Hughes Amys LLP

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Number of Lawyers: 8 in Hamilton
Positions available: 1 in Hamilton
Hire back: Yes Summer positions: No
Areas of Law: Insurance Litigation

Firm: Inch Hammond Professional Corporation

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Website: N/A
Number of Lawyers: 10 Positions available: 1
Hire back: Yes Summer positions: No
Areas of Law: Business Law.

Firm: Lazier Hickey LLP

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Number of Lawyers: 11 Positions available: 1
Hire back: Yes Summer positions: No
Areas of Law: Full service - no criminal.

Firm: Mackesy Smye LLP

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Number of Lawyers: 10 Positions available: 1
Hire back: Yes Summer positions: Yes
Areas of Law: Civil litigation, with an emphasis on personal injury law, real estate law and wills/estates law.

Firm: The Morris Law Group

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Number of Lawyers: 5 Positions available: 1
Hire back: Yes Summer positions: No
Areas of Law: Exclusively plaintiff personal injury.

Firm: Pavoni Patton DiVincenzo LLP

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Website: N/A
Number of Lawyers: 8 Positions available: 2 - 3
Hire back: Yes Summer positions: Yes
Areas of Law: Civil Litigation with an emphasis on insurance defence.

Firm: Pelech Otto & Powell

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Number of Lawyers: 2 Positions available: 1
Hire back: Possible
Summer positions: Yes, depending on circumstances.
Areas of Law: Real estate, civil litigation, family, wills/estates, immigration and corporate commercial.

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 Number of Lawyers: 38
 Hire back: Yes
 Areas of Law: Full service.

Positions available 2-3
 Summer positions: No

Firm: Scarfone Hawkins LLP

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Number of Lawyers: 15
 Hire back: Yes
 Areas of Law: Corporate, Commercial, Real Estate, Land Development, Intellectual Property and Technology, Secured Financing and Banking, Insolvency and Restructuring, Personal Injury, Medical Malpractice, Accident Benefits, Class Actions, Litigation, Immigration, Labour and Employment, Health, Environmental, Wills and Estates.

Positions available: 2
 Summer positions: Yes

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Number of Lawyers: 28
 Hire back: Yes - one
 Areas of Law: Corporate, commercial, financing, real estate, wills/estates, immigration, labour, civil and commercial litigation, bankruptcy and insolvency, tax, construction, land development, condominium, environmental, technology.

Positions available: 2
 Summer positions: No

Firm: Sullivan Festeryga LLP

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Number of Lawyers: 17
 Hire back: Yes
 Areas of Law: General practice with an emphasis on insurance defense litigation.

Positions available: 2
 Summer positions: No

Articling Guidelines

The Procedures Governing the Recruitment of Articling Students are binding on all students and lawyers who participate in the articling recruitment program in Ontario. Participants are reminded that compliance with the procedures is required under Rule 5.02(1) of the Society's Rules of Professional Conduct. Deliberate circumvention of the procedures may result in a charge of Professional Misconduct against the lawyer who participates in or authorizes the circumvention. Pressuring students to commit themselves, in the period during which offers shall remain open, violates the procedures and may result in a complaint that would be investigated by the Law Society.

The complete and final version of Law Society of Upper Canada 2011 – 2012 Articling Recruitment Procedures can be found at <http://rc.lsuc.on.ca/jsp/licensingprocesslawyer/articlingRecruit.jsp>

PROCEDURES GOVERNING THE RECRUITMENT OF ARTICLING STUDENTS FOR THE 2011 - 2012 ARTICLING TERM

- B.7. ADDITIONAL PROCEDURES GOVERNING ALL ARTICLING RECRUITMENT BY FIRMS LOCATED IN THE CITY OF HAMILTON
Commentary: The following procedures, for firms located in the City of Hamilton, are in addition to B.1, B.2, B.3, and B.4 and the general procedures in Section C.
- B.7. (1) Employers shall not set application deadlines earlier than Friday, May 7, 2010.
Commentary: In considering whether or not an interview will be granted and the time and date of such interview, the date of receipt of an application shall not be a factor if the application is received by May 7, 2010.
- B.7. (2) Interviews for 2011-2012 positions shall be held the week of May 31, 2010.
- B.7. (3) No communication of offers of employment shall be made prior to 8:00 a.m. Monday, June 7, 2010.
Commentary: Firms may communicate their intentions to make offers in accordance with these procedures to summer students employed with their firm in the summer months of 2010 at any time prior to this date. Students receiving such communications may voluntarily communicate their own intentions.
- B.7. (4) Out of province candidates may be interviewed prior to the week of May 31, 2010; however, no offer may be extended to them prior to 8:00 a.m. Monday, June 7, 2010.
- B.7. (5) All offers made on Monday, June 7, 2010 shall remain open until 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, June 8, 2010.
- B.7. (6) All offers made on Tuesday, June 8, 2010 shall remain open for a period of 24 hours.
- B.7. (7) All offers made after Tuesday, June 8, 2010 shall be left open for a reasonable period of time.
- B.7. (8) Students shall deal with offers received as expeditiously as possible regardless of the stipulated time that an offer shall remain open.
- B.7. (9) Students who accept an offer shall immediately notify firms from whom they have an outstanding offer or with whom they have scheduled interviews.
- B.7. (10) Firms extending offers and students who are in receipt of offers may agree to extend any of the times upon mutual consent.



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