



**2026/27 ARTICLES
PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
MINISTRY OF ATTORNEY GENERAL
BC PROSECUTION SERVICE
NOTICE OF ARTICLES**

The British Columbia Ministry of Attorney General, BC Prosecution Service, offers interesting and varied articles in Crown Counsel offices around the province. The BC Prosecution Service will soon be interviewing for articulated student positions that start in 2026. Further information about the Articled Student Program is available at: <http://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/justice/for-legal-professionals/articled-student-program>. Under the guidance of Crown Counsel, students who complete their articles with the BC Prosecution Service work on files relating to criminal prosecutions.

The BC Prosecution Service is committed to creating a diverse workplace to represent the population we serve and to better meet the needs of our citizens per the Public Service Act. We welcome and encourage applications from women, visible minorities, Indigenous Peoples, persons with disabilities, persons of diverse sexual orientation, gender identity or expression (LGBTQ2S+), and others who may contribute to diversity in the BC Public Service.

Application Deadline: 11:00 p.m. Pacific Standard Time, Friday, March 14, 2025
Late applications will not be considered.

Who Can Apply: Anyone who is entitled to work in Canada as of May 1, 2026, and is eligible and required by the Law Society of British Columbia to complete articles in order to practice law in BC.

How to Apply: Complete the application form available from February 3, 2025, to March 14, 2025:

- at <https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/justice/for-legal-professionals/articled-student-program/summer-articles>; or
- at your law school; or
- from Sheri Li at agarticling@gov.bc.ca

Deliver to the location listed on the application instruction sheet the following:

- the application form;
- a cover letter (not to exceed two pages);
- your résumé (not to exceed three pages);
- a copy of your law school (LLB/JD) transcript(s); and,
- If you completed law school outside of Canada, you must also provide documentation showing either that you are pursuing a Certificate of Qualification from the National Committee on Accreditation (NCA) or have been granted the certificate. You will need to have been granted that certificate by May 1, 2026.

NOTE: Application materials must clearly indicate the applicant has successfully completed, or will enroll in and complete prior to May 1, 2026, a Canadian Evidence course and a Canadian Criminal Law course or has related experience in Canadian criminal law. If you completed law school outside of Canada, NCA accreditation for these specific requirements will not suffice.

Preliminary shortlisting may be done based on law school transcripts and the clarity, accuracy, and completeness of application materials.

Incomplete applications may not be considered.

Who to Contact with Questions: **Sheri Li** (Application Process Questions)
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Interviews – When Written assessments April 7 to 11, 2025
Oral interviews April 28 to May 16, 2025

Interviews - Where Written assessments & oral interviews will be held virtually. Oral interviews will be held by MS Teams.

How Many Positions: Up to fifteen positions at Crown Counsel offices throughout BC. Up to two positions have been reserved for Indigenous students and one position has been reserved for a bilingual (French and English) student.

Indigenous Students: The Ministry of Attorney General is particularly interested in receiving applications from Indigenous (First Nations, Inuit, Metis) law students. Applicants who self-identify as Indigenous may make use of the BC Public Service's Indigenous Applicant Advisory Service. To learn more about this service please visit the [Indigenous Applicant Advisory Service page](#) or contact indigenouapplicants@gov.bc.ca.

LSB Rotation: Students will have the opportunity for a rotation of six to eight weeks with the Legal Services Branch of the Ministry of Attorney General, where they may gain experience in practice areas such as: Indigenous Legal Relations; Finance, Commercial and Transportation Law; Office of the Assistant Deputy Attorney General; Civil litigation; Office of Legislative Counsel; Revenue and Taxation Law; Justice and Education Law; Health and Social Services Law; and, Resource, Environmental and Land Law.

Applicants selected for an interview may be asked to provide further documentation at that time, including confirmation of law school grades and references. Applicants interested in the bilingual (French and English) articling student position must have the ability to speak and write fluently in both French and English.

All applicants will be contacted by mail or email. Offers to successful candidates, including choice of office, will be made in the order the applicants have ranked on the oral interview. Preference may be given to bilingual (English-French) candidates. Students should be prepared to live in or near the community where they have accepted an articling position for the articling term. Successful applicants will be required to undergo criminal record checks and will be subject to Enhanced Security Screening.

Articling students with the BC Prosecution Service must be ready, willing, and able to routinely:

- deal with disturbing cases, including images of child sexual assault and child sexual abuse;
- deal with victims and witnesses who have been subjected to or witnessed traumatic events, including sexual abuse, catastrophic injuries, and death, or have suffered other forms of extreme personal loss;
- deal with traumatic violence or death scenes including images of and evidence about deceased persons with catastrophic injuries;
- manage sensitive, graphic, and highly confidential information; and,
- be the object of negative public or media comment or criticism with limited ability to respond.