

Posting Title
ART STUD - Summer Articling Student

Position Classification
Articling Student

Union
PEA

Work Options
On-Site

Location
Victoria

Salary Range
Maximum \$70,968.90 annually

Job Type
Full Time Auxiliary

Organization/Ministry
BC Public Service/Attorney General

Ministry Branch/Division
Legal Services Branch/Articling Student Program

Job Summary

The British Columbia Ministry of Attorney General offers interesting and varied articling experiences at its offices in Victoria. The Ministry will be interviewing soon for summer articling student positions starting in May 2027. Further information about the Articling Student Program is available at [Summer Articles - Province of British Columbia](#).

Students who complete their summer with the Legal Services Branch will work with the Small Claims Program on their own files. These files enable students to build skills in litigation, practice management, client service, and effective communication. Students are supported by supervising lawyers, who provide advice and guidance with issue spotting, legal drafting, courtroom and file preparation, and any questions that arise along the way.

The three summer student positions will lead to articles for 2028/29:

- subject to satisfactory performance;
- any budget/hiring freeze constraints during the summer 2027 temporary articles;
- subject to budgetary approval; and
- successful completion of a short in-program competition.

Applications for articles not linked to summer positions are expected to be accepted from mid-February until late March 2027. Details on how to apply for those positions will be available through the home page of our website starting in February 2027.

We are 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

11:00pm Pacific Standard Time, Friday, July 31, 2026. Late applications will not be considered.

Who can apply

Those enrolled in 2L at a Canadian law school and will finish by May 2027, with 3L to complete. Applicants are also eligible to apply if you are enrolled in a 3L of a 4-year program (e.g. JD/JID, etc.) and have one year remaining left to complete.

How to apply

Email your completed application (list of requirements below) to agarticling@gov.bc.ca to Sheri Li's attention.

- The application form, together with:
- A cover letter (not to exceed two pages);
- Your resume (not to exceed three pages); and
- A copy of your law school (LLB/JD) transcript(s).

Incomplete applications may not be considered.

Who to contact with questions:

Sheri Li (Legal Services Branch and/or Application Process Questions)

Phone: (778) 405-3430

Email: agarticling@gov.bc.ca

Estimated Schedule

Applications Open: July 3, 2026

Applications Close: July 31, 2026

Written Interviews: September 7 – 11, 2026

Oral Interviews: September 21 – 25, 2026

Reference Checks: September 28 – October 2, 2026

Offers Sent: October 5 – 9, 2026

Regrets Sent: October 12 – 16, 2026

Please note that these timelines are estimates to help you schedule in advance; however, they are subject to change.

How many Positions:

Up to three. These positions will be located in Victoria.

Indigenous Students:

The Ministry of Attorney General is particularly interested in receiving applications for positions 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 [Indigenous Applicant Advisory Service - Province of British Columbia](#) or contact indigenouapplicants@gov.bc.ca.

Preliminary shortlisting may be done based on law school transcripts and the clarity, accuracy, and completeness of application materials. Applicants selected for an interview may be asked to provide further documentation at that time, including confirmation of law school grades and references. All applicants will be contacted by email. Successful applicants will be required to undergo criminal record checks.

Job Category
Court and Judicial Services, Students