



South Asian Legal Clinic of Ontario (SALCO) Clinic Staff Lawyer – One Year Contract

The South Asian Legal Clinic of Ontario is a community legal clinic funded by Legal Aid Ontario (LAO). We provide legal advice and representation to low-income South Asians in the Greater Toronto Area, including, but not limited to, clients from Bangladesh, Pakistan, India, Sri Lanka, other people of South Asian origin.

Areas of law practiced include Immigration, Human Rights, Income Maintenance (Ontario Works, Ontario Disability Support Program, Canada Pension Plan, Old Age Security, and Employment Insurance), and Tenants Rights.

The clinic has an opening for a full-time Staff Lawyer for a one year contract position, starting June 20, 2009.

Successful candidate will be paid in accordance with LAO's funding grid for a 2008 year of call (\$59 705.00).

Qualifications:

- Member in good standing of the Law Society of Upper Canada
- Experience in any of the following areas of law is an asset: Immigration, Human Rights, Ontario Works, Ontario Disability Support, and/or Tenancy law
- Strong oral and written advocacy skills
- Second language is asset

Please reply via e-mail by May 31, 2009 to:

Shalini Konanur, Executive Director
South Asian Legal Clinic of Ontario
205 – 1992 Yonge Street
Toronto, Ontario, M4S 1Z7
Tel: 416-487-6371
Email: konanurs2@lao.on.ca

***** Only successful candidates will be contacted for an interview.**