



CAREER OPPORTUNITY

Job Title: Assistant Public Defender
Department: Public Defender
Reports To: Chief Public Defender
Location: 157 North Main St. Suite 397 Edwardsville, IL 62025
Starting Salary: Non Union, \$50,000-\$85,000 per year, depending on experience
Hours of Work: Monday – Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., requires some flexibility if taking a case to trial.
Closing Date:

QUALIFICATIONS

- Education: Juris Doctor from an accredited law school; licensed to practice law in Illinois AND must be in good standing with the IL state bar.
- Experience: Some experience in the practice of criminal law is preferred, but not required.
- Residency: Madison County, IL residency requirements must be met within 6 months of hire.

EXAMPLES OF DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- zealously and efficiently represent clients charged with a variety of criminal offenses;
- negotiate cases with prosecutors;
- counsel and advise each client as to plea offers;
- prepare and try cases as lead counsel or co-counsel;
- perform other duties as required or assigned which are reasonably within the scope of the duties enumerated above

Qualified individuals please submit resume and applications to:
Mary N. Copeland; mncopeland@co.madison.il.us

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