Articling Student – Owen Sound (Defence & Prosecution)

Have you always dreamed of a criminal law job where you have work-life balance, fun colleagues, the chance to do both defence AND prosecution work, and the chance to live in beautiful Grey-Bruce? Our office is an hour from Tobermory and Collingwood, and 25 minutes to beautiful Sauble Beach. If you want to have it all, apply for our associate lawyer position at Barefoot Law!

Barefoot Law is a busy firm located in Owen Sound looking to hire an Associate Lawyer. We defend *Criminal Code* charges and prosecute *CDSA* charges in Owen Sound and Walkerton. We have 5 lawyers, 2 paralegals and 2 law clerks on our team. We value teamwork, mentorship, and work-life balance in our firm.

What we are looking for in a candidate

- A demonstrated interest in criminal law, including course work and/or clinic work
- Confident, organized, and keen

Job Specs

- Full-time, in person
- Must be willing to re-locate to Grey-Bruce
- Must drive and have access to a vehicle – free parking at office
- Working with 2 senior-partner lawyers and 3 associate lawyers who will provide **mentorship**
- Working among a great team where **work-life balance** is valued and encouraged

Compensation:

- Salary: **$60,000** plus bonuses
- The firm may pay for some membership fees for local bar associations (Grey County Law Association, Bruce County Law Association, CLA) as well as tickets for social events that are law-related or involve networking

How to Apply

- Send your resume and cover letter to info@barefootlaw.ca
- Submit your application by **October 12, 2026.**
- If you are shortlisted, we will contact you and ask for an interview and references

We look forward to hearing from you!

Check us out at www.barefootlaw.ca

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