

### **APPLICATION FORM FOR POSITION OF SOLICITOR WITH A FOCUS ON CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE’S RIGHTS**

**Information note: Please read the job description before submitting this application**. The application form must be typed and should be accompanied by your CV. All completed applications should be emailed, as one document, to Jane O’Sullivan ([josullivan@communitylawandmediation.ie](mailto:josullivan@communitylawandmediation.ie)) and Ruth Barry ([rbarry@communitylawandmediation.ie](mailto:rbarry@communitylawandmediation.ie)). The closing date for receipt of applications is **5pm, Wednesday 3rd September 2025**. Interviews will be held on **Wednesday 24th September 2025** and will include a short presentation on an area relevant to the role.

**I have read the** [**fair processing notice**](http://communitylawandmediation.ie/wp-content/uploads/2020/08/FAIR-PROCESSING-NOTICE-for-Job-Applicants.pdf) **on CLM’s website and wish to proceed with my application**

1. **PERSONAL DETAILS**

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| **Name:** |  |
| **Address:** |  |
| **Telephone:** |  |
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1. **RELEVANT THIRD LEVEL AND PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS**

**Please set out your qualifications below**

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| **Year Awarded Qualification** | |
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1. **EXPERIENCE (please refer to the job description when completing this section)**

**Please provide further information in relation to the following (max 200 words for each)**

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| **Experience in litigation and children and young people’s rights** |
| **Experience in the additional areas of law referred to (employment law, equality law, social welfare and social housing law)** |
| **Proven ability to effectively manage, coordinate and take ownership of a busy caseload (delegating & project managing where necessary)** |
| **Research experience relevant to the policy and law reform advocacy work of CLM** |
| **Demonstrated ability to think strategically and identify opportunities** |
| **Experience relevant to the community engagement aspect of the role** |
| **Experience relevant to the community education and training aspect of the role** |

1. **PERSONAL STATEMENT**

**Please provide a personal statement indicating your motivation for the application (max 400 words)**

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