

JOB DESCRIPTION

DRT – Patent Litigator

Equivalent: Manager

Reporting to: Head of DRT

Job Summary

The position will involve working within the China Dispute Resolution Group in particular and other practice groups as well to service and expand our services to clients.

Details of Responsibility

The main responsibility should be litigation work for our clients, which may include:-

- ✓ drafting patent infringement analysis;
- ✓ representing clients to attend the patent invalidation proceedings (e.g. oral hearing proceeding);
- ✓ representing clients to attend court hearings for patent litigations;
- ✓ advising clients in respect of patent infringement;
- ✓ representing clients to attend patent administrative actions;

In addition to the patent litigation work, the position may be required to assist in or manage civil litigation by requests of your line manager or other client managers.

On a general note, the attributes of a Manager as set out in Rouse & Co. International's title structure are as follows:

The position needs the skill of handling the day to day conduct of individual cases and components of larger cases, under the direction and supervision of senior staff. This will include:

- ✓ taking responsibility for direct communications with clients and third parties.
- ✓ supervising and supporting the work of junior staff and colleagues;
- ✓ contributing individually, or in a team, to strategic planning and implementation of client casework and business development initiatives;
- ✓ quickly demonstrating a command of relevant law and procedure.

Requirements to the Job

- ✓ Bachelor degree in Law or a dual degree in English & Law;
- ✓ Have a good working knowledge of relevant law and practice. A minimum of 3 years' experience in IP field;
- ✓ Good at spoken and written English (equal or above TEM 8 level)
- ✓ Excellent computer skills (Word, Excel, PowerPoint, etc.)
- ✓ Good communication skills with different departments
- ✓ Patient, detail-minded, initiative & self-disciplined
- ✓ Can work under pressure, a team player
- ✓ Independent research/analysis and problem solving;