

WOODWARD CHRISP

Law Clerk/Graduate Solicitor (Litigation)

Woodward Chrisp is a well-established firm of 35+ working in spacious offices, with modern technology and excellent support staff. While we value hard work, we also make sure all staff have time to enjoy the relaxed Gisborne lifestyle with its sun, surf, and social life in the heart of our wine country. The position and environment are ideally suited to a person who appreciates all that living in a small city has to offer. There are no traffic jams, just a walk, ride or drive to work in a beautiful climate. This is an ideal opportunity for someone looking to move to Gisborne to experience the lifestyle on offer.

We require a Law Clerk with determination and drive to begin their career in a full-service legal firm, joining our litigation team. You will be joining a highly experienced team who will provide mentoring and training. To begin with, you will assist our existing solicitors with their files and will then become directly involved with your own clients as you become more experienced.

What we expect from the ideal candidate

- A friendly enthusiastic attitude
- Ability to get on with a wide range of people, team focused
- Must be proactive and work well under pressure
- Ability to work independently and excellent time management skills
- A desire to develop skills in all aspects of law
- A sense of humour
- Exceptional communication skills, both written and verbal

What we offer

- An experienced, friendly team
- Emphasis on work life balance
- Ongoing training
- Great mentoring
- Competitive salary based on experience

Applicants for this position must have completed their law degree, and ideally have completed the Professional Legal Studies Course but it is not essential. You must have NZ residency or a valid NZ work permit. We would like the successful applicant to start working with us as soon as possible.

Please forward your letter and CV to Cherie Mirko (cherie.m@wwclaw.co.nz)