



Career Opportunity

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Sebalu & Lule is seeking to recruit an experienced advocate in an associate role for the firm's corporate and commercial practice area. The role description and ideal candidate profile can be viewed at www.sebalulule.co.ug.

Applications should be addressed and delivered to the following address by 17 May 2019:

**The Managing Partner
Sebalu & Lule Advocates
S&L Chambers
14 MacKinnon Road
Nakasero Kampala**

Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.

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Role Description

Position: Associate (1)

Department: Corporate and Commercial Law Practice

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Role description

Sebalu & Lule is seeking to recruit an experienced advocate in an associate role for the firm's corporate and commercial practice area. The position entails:

- a. providing legal advisory services to clients across several bases of law and in the following key categories:
 - company law and corporate finance;
 - mergers, acquisitions (including private equity) and business re-organisation;
 - legal and regulatory compliance;
 - due diligence investigations;
 - telecommunications and technology;
 - capital markets (regulation and transactions);
 - commercial contracts;
 - intellectual property;
 - company secretarial support; and
 - solicitor-related support for litigation mandates arising out of the corporate and commercial practice.
- b. regular interaction with governmental regulators and agencies to assist clients achieve desired results;
- c. participating in the firm's marketing and business development initiatives; and
- d. contributing to and participating in the firm's knowledge management initiatives.

Ideal candidate profile

The ideal candidate should possess the following requirements:

Experience and skills:

- a. minimum post-qualification experience of at least three years in a busy business law firm or in-house corporate environment;
- b. strong technical skills with respect to cross-cutting appreciation and application of law, drafting / writing, review ability and business communication;
- c. the ability to work under minimal supervision and produce high-quality first-draft work product;
- d. demonstrated ability to take a leadership responsibility in both technical and non-technical roles;
- e. relative exposure to high-level commercial transactions;
- f. ability to apply a commercial approach to legal issues; and
- g. strong interpersonal skills and a commitment to excellence.

Educational requirements:

- a. Bachelor of Laws degree; and
- b. Post-Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice from the Law Development Centre.

Submission

All applications should be addressed to the following address by **17 May 2019**:

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Attention: Mrs. Gertrude Wamala Karugaba

The submission pack should include a cover / motivation letter, curriculum vitae, tertiary-level academic documents and a copy of the advocate practising certificate. Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.