Bracewell LLP

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Basic Information

711 Louisiana, Suite 2300 South Tower Pennzoil Place Houston, TX 77002-2770 Organization Size: 350 Office Size: 149 **Hiring Attorney:** Mr. Dewey Gonsoulin **Hiring Attorney #2:** Ms. Kate McGregor Recruiting Contact: Ms. Brette Tucker Manager, Recruiting 711 Louisiana Street Suite 2300 Houston, Texas (TX) 77002-2770 United States Phone: 713-221-1528 brette.tucker@bracewell.com

Compensation & Benefits 333

2024 compensation for entry-level lawyers (\$/year)	225,000		
Summer Compensation			
2024 compensation for Post-3Ls (\$/week)	4,327		
2024 compensation for 2Ls (\$/week)	4,327		
2024 compensation for 1Ls(\$/week)	4,327		

Partnership & Advancement

Does the firm have two or more tiers of partner? Yes How many years is the non-equity track? How many years is the equity track?

Lawyer Demographics

		Partner/Member	Associates	Counsel	Non-traditional Track/Staff Attorneys	Summer Associates
	Men	45	26	7	0	14
	Women	12	25	9	2	12
	Non- binary	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	57	51	16	2	26
Latinx	Men	3	1	0	0	2
	Women	1	0	0	0	3
	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
White	Men	40	0	7	0	9
	Women	10	0	8	2	8
	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
Black or African American	Men	2	1	0	0	2
	Women	0	1	0	0	1
	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific	Men	0	0	0	0	0
slander	Women	0	0	0	0	0
	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
Asian	Men	0	0	0	0	1
	Women	1	1	1	0	0
	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
Native American or Alaska Native	Men	0	0	0	0	0
	Women	1	0	0	0	0
	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
2 or More Races	Men	0	1	0	0	0
	Women	0	1	0	0	0
	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
Persons with Disabilities	Men	0	0	0	0	0
	Women	0	0	0	0	0
	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
LGBTQ	Men	1	1	1	0	0
	Women	0	1	0	0	1
	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
Veteran	Men	2	0	0	0	0
	Women	0	0	0	0	0
	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0

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Pro Bono/Public Interest

Richard Whiteley Partner 713-221-1123 Richard.Whiteley@bracewell.com	
Is the pro bono information indicated here firm-wide or specific to one office?	Firm-wide
% Firm Billable Hours last year	
Average Hours per Attorney last year	18.83
Percent of associates participating last year	
Percent of partners participating last year	
Percent of other lawyers participating last year	
Professional Development	
Evaluations	Annual
Does your organization use upward reviews to evaluate and provide feedback to supervising lawyers?	No
Rotation for junior associates between departments/practice groups?	Case-by-case
Is rotation mandatory?	No
Does your organization have a dedicated professional development staff?	Yes
Does your organization have a coaching/mentoring program	Yes

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Does your organization give billable hours credit for training time?

HIRING & RECRUITMENT

	Began Work In					
LAWYERS	2022	Prior Summer Associates	2023	Prior Summer Associates	2024	
Entry-level	10	9	11	11	11	
Entry-level (non-traditional track)	0	0	0	0	0	
Lateral Partners	1	0	1	0	1-2	
Lateral Associates	1	0	5	0	TBD	
All Other Laterals (non-traditional track)	3	0	1	0	TBD	
Post-Clerkship	1	1	3	3	3	
LL.M.s (U.S.)	0	0	0	0	0	
LL.M.s (non-U.S.)	0	0	0	0	0	
SUMMER						
Post-3Ls	0	0	0	0	0	
2Ls	14	12	13	6	10	
1Ls	16	0	13	0	16	

considered for associate offers	
Number of offers made to summer	14
2L associates	
General Hiring Criteria	Th

he firm considers law school achievement, extracurricular activities, leadership opportunities and prior work experience when assessing individuals for our summer associate program or lateral associate positions.

General Practice Areas

GENERAL PRACTICE AREAS	EMPLOYER'S PRACTICE GROUP NAME	NO. OF PARTNERS/MEMBERS	NO. OF COUNSEL	NO. OF ASSOCIATES	NO. OF ENTRY-LEVEL PLACEMENTS IN THIS PRACTICE AREA LAST YEAR	NO. OF NON-TRADITIONAL TRACK/STAFF ATTORNEYS
Banking, Finance Business, Corporate Energy Real Estate, Land Use Tax Public, Municipal Environmental	Business & Regulatory	34	7	35	6	2

Appellate Arbitration, Dispute Resolution, Mediation Energy Intellectual Property Labor and Employment Litigation Bankruptcy E-discovery Environmental Antitrust	Litigation	20	6	15	2	0	
Intellectual Property	Technology	2	3	1	0	0	

Diversity & Inclusion

Diversity Contact: Ms. Pamela Brantley

Diversity Website/URL: http://www.bracewell.com/about/inclusion

Organization Narrative

INTRODUCTION. Bracewell LLP is a leading law and government relations firm that primarily serves the energy, infrastructure, finance and technology industries throughout the world. Our industry focus results in comprehensive state-of-the-art knowledge of the commercial, legal and governmental challenges faced by our clients and enables us to provide innovative solutions to facilitate transactions and resolve disputes. Bracewell is recognized throughout the world for its commitment to excellence and innovative approaches to matters that are redefining the future of energy, infrastructure, finance, technology and other sectors.

PRACTICES. Antitrust/Competition, Carbon Capture Utilization & Storage, Corporate & Securities, Cryptocurrency & Blockchain, Data Security & Privacy, Employment Benefits/ERISA, Energy Regulatory, Energy Transition, Environment, Land & Resources, ESG, Financial Restructuring, Finance, Government Contracts, Government Enforcement & Investigations, Government Relations, Healthcare & Life Sciences, Incident Prevention & Response, Infrastructure Development, Insurance Recovery, Intellectual Property, International Arbitration, Labor & Employment, Litigation, Oil & Gas, Outsourcing, Power, Private Equity, Public Finance, Real Estate & Finance, Strategic Communications, Tax, Tax-Exempt Organizations.

SUMMER ASSOCIATE PROGRAM. The firm offers summer associate programs in several of its US offices, though the size of the programs varies year to year based on demand. Program lengths vary depending on location, but they typically run 9 to 10 weeks. During this time, summer associates have the opportunity to explore different areas of the law by working on actual matters. Summer associates attend hearings, depositions, trials, negotiations and client meetings. They also hone legal writing skills by helping research and draft agreements, briefs, articles, blogs and podcasts. In addition, summer associates are encouraged to explore the local community and attend attorney dinners, summer associate lunches, social events and a firm-wide summer associate retreat.

WELL-BEING PROGRAM. BWell is a firm-wide program promoting healthy work-life integration among Bracewell lawyers and staff. The program focuses on four key areas: (1) mental well-being, (2) physical well-being, (3) financial well-being and (4) community. Each quarter, programming is developed that explores one of these topics in greater detail. This includes guest speakers, group discussions and goal setting. Each office also hosts "talk into action" activities to keep the conversation going and provide additional resources and training.

ASSOCIATE SELECTION. The firm looks for candidates who have distinguished themselves academically and actively participate in law school and in their local communities. Successful candidates possess a strong work ethic and are self-motivated. Given Bracewell's collaborative culture, we also look for individuals who are team players.

Those interested in pursuing employment discussions with the firm are encouraged to visit the firm's website, <u>https://www.bracewell.com/careers</u>, for current career opportunities.

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