



## SUPREME COURT OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA

# SUPREME COURT ASSOCIATESHIPS

Salary: Level 2.1 (General Division Salaries) under the *Public Sector CSA Agreement 2022*

Applications are invited for a number of positions as personal staff to Judicial Officers at the Supreme Court of Western Australia.

The length of tenure is indicated in the application guidelines for each chambers. Each position commences in January 2025 (unless otherwise indicated).

Prospective applicants should possess the following attributes:

- A law degree, or nearly completed law degree;
- A high level of academic achievement (Honours or equivalent is desirable, but not essential);
- High-level research and analytical skills;
- Excellent verbal, interpersonal and written communication skills; and
- Editorial skills are an advantage.

The successful applicant will be required to undertake legal research and produce written work for a Judge. There are also requirements to carry out administrative functions in preparation for Court sittings and to attend in Court and act as a Judicial Support Officer.

Service in this position may fulfil the work experience component of Practical Legal Training courses approved by the Legal Practice Board of Western Australia. Applicants should make their own enquiries in this regard. Applicants who have already been admitted to practice as a lawyer and would welcome the experience of working as an Associate are also encouraged to apply.

**Successful applicants must be available to commence on Thursday, 2 January 2025.**

Applicants are encouraged to apply to more than one judge. Please see the Supreme Court website for information about the judges of the Supreme Court of Western Australia.

Applications should include a:

- covering letter;
- curriculum vitae; and
- current academic transcript (or a certified copy).

If your application is sent by email, please scan your academic transcript (or a certified copy). You may be required to bring the original if you are invited to attend an interview. Please send applications by email or post to the addresses outlined below.

**Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students and graduates are encouraged to apply.**

**APPLICATIONS CLOSE AT 12PM ON WEDNESDAY 24 APRIL 2024 (AWST)**

(Late applications will not be considered)

## HEAD OF JURISDICTION

### **Research Associate to the Hon Chief Justice Quinlan**

Ms Kate Thresher  
Principal Associate to the Hon Chief Justice Quinlan  
Supreme Court of Western Australia  
28 Barrack Street  
PERTH WA 6000

Email: Associate.Chief.Justice@justice.wa.gov.au  
Ph: (08) 9421 5395

**Please note:** This position is for a period of up to **24 months**. After 12 months, the successful applicant will become the Principal Associate to the Hon Chief Justice Quinlan.

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## COURT OF APPEAL

### **Associate to the Hon Justice of Appeal Vaughan**

Mr Andrew Ring  
Associate to the Hon Justice of Appeal Vaughan  
Supreme Court of Western Australia  
Stirling Gardens  
Barrack Street  
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Ph: (08) 9421 5140

**Please note:** This position is for up to **12 months**.

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### **Associate to the Hon Justice Vandongen**

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### **Research Associate to the Hon Justice Vandongen**

Ms Remy Hateley  
Associate to the Hon Justice of Appeal Vandongen  
Supreme Court of Western Australia  
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**Please note:** All applications will be treated as applications for both positions. Applicants should indicate in their covering letter whether they are interested in a position for up to **12 months** or **24 months**.

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## GENERAL DIVISION

### **Research Associate to the Hon Justice Archer**

Ms Nicole Lyttle  
Associate to the Hon Justice Archer  
Supreme Court of Western Australia  
28 Barrack Street  
PERTH WA 6000

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**Please note:** Applicants should indicate in their covering letter whether they are interested in a position of up to **12 months** or **24 months**. Where the position of up to 24 months is preferred, after 12 months the successful applicant for the position of Research Associate will become the Associate to the Hon Justice Archer.

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### **Research Associate to the Hon Justice Hill**

Ms Jana Nguyen  
Associate to the Hon Justice Hill  
Supreme Court of Western Australia  
28 Barrack Street  
PERTH WA 6000

Email: Associate.Justice.Hill@justice.wa.gov.au  
Ph: (08) 9421 5179

**Please note:** This position is for a period of up to **24 months**. After 12 months, the successful applicant will become the Associate to the Hon Justice Hill.

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### **Research Associate to the Hon Justice Strk**

Ms Siena Ellison  
Associate to the Hon Justice Strk  
Supreme Court of Western Australia  
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**Please note:** Applicants should indicate in their covering letter whether they are interested in an up to **12 month** or **24 month** position. Where the 24 month position is preferred, after 12 months the successful applicant for the position of Research Associate will become the Associate to the Hon Justice Strk.

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**Research Associate to the Hon Justice Solomon**

Ms Yasmin McCann  
Associate to the Hon Justice Solomon  
Supreme Court of Western Australia  
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**Please note:** This position is for a period of up to **12 months** but may be extended by up to 24 months by agreement.

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**Research Associate to the Hon Justice Forrester**

Ms Ashton Tognini  
Associate to the Hon Justice Forrester  
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Ph: (08) 9421 5434

**Please note:** This position is for a period of up to **12 months** but may be extended to up to 24 months by agreement.

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**Associate to the Hon Justice Seaward**

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Ms Arianna Aragona  
Associate to the Hon Justice Seaward  
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Ph: (08) 9421 5349

**Please note:** Applicants should indicate in their covering letter whether they are interested in an up to **12 month** or **24 month** position. Applicants for either position should also indicate their availability to commence on **30 September 2024**.

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**Associate to the Hon Justice Howard**

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Associate to the Hon Justice Howard  
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Ph: (08) 9421 5180

**Please note:** This position is for up to **18 months** and commences on **22 July 2024**.

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**Associate to the Hon Justice Glancy**

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28 Barrack Street  
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**Please note:** Applicants should indicate in their covering letter whether they are interested in an up to **12 month** or **24 month** position.

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