



Senior Counsel – Business Finance and Innovation Office of General Counsel

The University of California, Office of the President invites qualified candidates to apply for an exciting senior level opportunity: Senior Counsel – Business Finance and Innovation. The University of California is the state’s premier public research university and one of its largest employers. Our campuses are routinely ranked among the best in the world. The Office of the President is the system-wide headquarters of the University of California, managing its fiscal and business operations, supporting the academic and research missions across its ten campuses, labs and five medical centers.

This position reports to the Deputy General Counsel, Business Finance and Innovation. A successful candidate will be:

- **A trusted strategic partner** to the University of California Office of the Chief Financial Officer providing practical advice on a broad range of legal matters affecting the University’s external finance programs.
- **An extraordinary communicator** who can advise officers and senior managers of corporate legal responsibilities.
- **A skilled negotiator** who can negotiate on behalf of The Regents and provide legal counsel for complex transactions.
- **A successful collaborator** who coordinates with individual UC campuses on matters such as higher education municipal bond financing as well as other forms of debt and hedging instruments and third-party financing for university developments.

Minimum Qualifications for an ideal candidate include:

- Must possess a J.D. from an accredited law school and be a member in good standing of the California Bar.
- Minimum of eight years of corporate transactional and finance experience; must have proven public finance experience. Exceptional candidates with less experience will be considered.
- Expert in external finance programs and other third-party financing.
- Experience handling a broad range of corporate transactions including municipal finance, particularly with respect to higher education municipal bond financing
- Experience with other forms of debt and hedging instruments and third-party financing for developments
- Knowledge of the laws governing municipal financing, as well as significant experience executing tax-exempt and taxable municipal finance transactions for capital projects and a general working knowledge of real estate concepts.

The University offers a competitive salary and benefits program. To learn more, click here: [Working at UC](#). Qualified candidates - please view the full job description and apply with a resume and cover letter online at [Senior Counsel – Business Finance and Innovation](#) or website: <https://jobs.ucop.edu/applicants/jsp/shared/frameset/Frameset.jsp?time=1502833817687>

For more information please contact [Sally Gelini](#), Senior Recruiter - Talent Acquisition.

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