

JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

MASHANTUCKET PEQUOT TRIBAL COURT JUDGE

The Mashantucket Pequot (Western) Tribal Nation in Mashantucket, Connecticut is seeking a Judge for the trial level of its Tribal Court System. Judges at the trial court level preside over a wide variety of legal issues, including criminal, civil, family, and probate. The successful candidate will be one of three trial judges and would be assigned cases by the Chief Judge of the Tribal Court.

Pursuant to Tribal Law, 1 M.P.T.L. ch. 2 § 1, the successful candidate must have the highest moral and ethical character; be licensed to practice law in the highest court of any state of the United States; have a minimum of five years' experience as a practicing attorney and/or judge; and significant experience and knowledge of federal Indian law and tribal law. The successful candidate will also demonstrate the ability to analyze difficult and complex facts and issues and to issue clear oral and written decisions based on application of the facts and issues to the applicable law. The successful candidate should be familiar with alternative sentencing and restorative justice.

This job is a per diem, contract position. Native American preference will be given.

Application deadline is: **August 22, 2014**Qualified candidates should send a letter of interest and resume to:

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