

**APPLICATION FOR KING COUNTY SUPERIOR  
COURT ATTORNEY, GUARDIAN AD LITEM AND  
VISITOR REGISTRIES JANUARY 1, 2022-  
DECEMBER 31, 2022**

**This application is for Guardians ad Litem currently serving or applying to serve on the King County Superior Court Guardian ad Litem Registries** NOTE: Only this application may be utilized. All questions **must** be answered in the order in which they are given. Answers that only refer to a resume or vitae are **not** acceptable although a resume/curriculum vitae is required and you may attach supporting materials. Unless directed otherwise, please return completed application, resume and any materials by **December 24, 2021** TO: [SCGAL@KINGCOUNTY.GOV](mailto:SCGAL@KINGCOUNTY.GOV). **PLEASE DO NOT MAIL YOUR MATERIALS.**

**PLEASE RETURN THE APPLICATION FORM AND ATTACHMENTS AS ONE DOCUMENT AND THE CONFIDENTIAL RELEASE OF INFORMATION FORM SEPARATELY.**

**THIS IS PUBLIC INFORMATION**

This is ☐ NEW ☐ RENEWAL application to serve as a Guardian ad Litem, Visitor, or Attorney as required pursuant to the King County Guardian ad Litem Policy.

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

WSBA # and Year admitted to practice law: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**I request that this application be used for placement on the following registries (Check all that apply.)**

- ☐ Title 11 Adult Guardianship/Conservatorship Visitor
- ☐ Title 11 Adult Guardianship/Conservatorship Attorney
- ☐ Title 11 Minor Guardianship/Conservatorship Visitor
- ☐ Title 11 Minor Guardianship/Conservatorship Attorney for Parent/Party
- ☐ Title 11 Minor Guardianship/Conservatorship Attorney for Minor
- ☐ Title 26 Family Law Guardian ad Litem
- ☐ Adoption Guardian ad Litem
- ☐ SPR 98.16 Minor Settlement Guardian ad Litem

I also request that the court list my name on the non-rotational availability lists for:

☐ Probate Guardian ad Litem   ☐ Title 4 Litigation GAL/Attorney   ☐ GR 33 Attorney

I have attended the following (most recent required training(s) relevant to this application) training(s) approved by the King County Superior Court (required for all new applicants and for renewal applicants for the Title 11 Adult & Minor Guardianship and SPR 98.16 Minor Settlement registries). \*Please contact the training provider if you cannot locate a copy of your training certificate.

1. DATE OF TRAINING \_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY/SPONSOR \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ A copy of the certificate from the training provider evidencing successful completion of the current training is attached. (REQUIRED).

Please include the dates and sponsor of the **initial training** that you completed:

DATE OF TRAINING \_\_\_\_\_

COUNTY/SPONSOR \_\_\_\_\_

IF YOU ARE APPLYING FOR MULTIPLE REGISTRIES PLEASE FILL IN THE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION BELOW

2. DATE OF TRAINING \_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY/SPONSOR \_\_\_\_\_

☐ A copy of the certificate from the training provider evidencing successful completion of the most recent training is attached.

Please include the dates and sponsor of the **initial training** that you completed:

DATE OF TRAINING \_\_\_\_\_

COUNTY/SPONSOR \_\_\_\_\_

3. DATE OF TRAINING \_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY/SPONSOR \_\_\_\_\_

☐ A copy of the certificate from the training provider evidencing successful completion of the most recent training is attached.

Please include the dates and sponsor of the **initial training** that you completed:

DATE OF TRAINING \_\_\_\_\_

COUNTY/SPONSOR \_\_\_\_\_

**A.** Please report your formal education and any relevant specialties. This information may be used for out of rotation appointments requiring special expertise.

**B.** Number of appointments you have received and all counties of appointment if served on any other county Guardian ad Litem Registry. If you are applying for more than one registry please check this box and include an attachment ☐

- Appointments in **KING County**:
- Appointments in \_\_\_\_\_ County:
- Appointments in \_\_\_\_\_ County:

**C.** Have you been named as a defendant or respondent in any case involving allegations of domestic violence or anti-harassment? Yes ☐ No ☐

If yes, state the date, name of the court, court cause number, summary of the allegations, and the disposition of the case.

**D.** Have you been named as a petitioner or witness in any civil or criminal proceedings involving domestic violence or anti-harassment?

Yes ☐ No ☐

If yes, state the date, name of the court, court cause number, summary of the allegations and disposition of the case.

- E.** Description of the nature, status and outcome of any professional complaints, investigations or disciplinary actions, lawsuits or professional liability claims, and any order for removal of the Guardian ad Litem prior to completion of the Guardian ad Litem duties is required.

☐ Description attached.

AND/OR

☐ I affirm that there have been no professional complaints, investigations or disciplinary actions, lawsuits or professional liability claims and any order for removal of the GAL prior to completion of the GAL duties.

☐ I affirm there have been no claims or litigation involving allegations of improper fee charges, charges of fraud, theft or other forms of dishonesty or professional malpractice.

**I also certify the following:**

- F. TITLE 11 GUARDIANSHIP/CONSERVATORSHIP APPLICANTS ONLY:** I understand that by submitting my application I agree to accept appointment in both public pay and private pay cases unless I have previously notified the Guardian ad Litem Registry Manager of my unavailability, have a conflict, or other unforeseen circumstances. I further understand that Guardian ad Litem fees are set by the Order Appointing Guardian ad Litem pursuant to LGALR 4 and are customarily limited to \$70 per hour for public pay cases and \$275 per hour for private pay cases.

AGREE ☐ DISAGREE ☐ NOT APPLICABLE ☐

- G. TITLE 26 APPLICANTS ONLY.** RETAINER \_\_\_\_\_ HOURLY RATE \_\_\_\_\_.

- H.** I am presently not serving, nor have I recently applied to serve, as a Judge or Commissioner pro tempore in King County Superior Court. I understand that I am not permitted to serve as a Title 11 Guardian ad Litem and pro tempore judicial officer at the same time.

AGREE ☐ DISAGREE ☐

- I.** I have no criminal history or license suspension or revocation.

AGREE ☐ DISAGREE ☐

- J.** I am not the subject of any pending investigation or action by a government agency, professional organization or one that would result in either a criminal conviction or a license revocation or suspension. AGREE ☐ DISAGREE ☐

**K.** Each application shall be accompanied by the following documentation **(please check each box to confirm information is attached or incorporated herein):**

☐ Copy of the certificate from the training provider evidencing successful completion of the current training required for the area of practice;

☐ Washington State Patrol criminal history (30 days old or less);

You may obtain the record here: <https://fortress.wa.gov/wsp/watch/>

☐ Curriculum vitae, showing work and professional or personal experience in or related to the field that would assist in the performance and completion of Guardian ad Litem duties;

☐ Signed release of information directed to all professional regulatory bodies, which have licensed or supervised the applicant within the last ten years;

☐ Description of the nature, status, and outcome of any professional complaints, investigations or disciplinary actions, lawsuits or professional liability claims, and any order for removal of the Guardian ad Litem prior to completion of the duties assigned to the Guardian ad Litem.

☐ Description of any claims made, or litigation commenced, involving allegations of improper fee charges, fraud, theft or other forms of dishonesty or professional malpractice or misconduct.

**I certify that I have thoroughly studied the provisions and requirements of the relevant RCW and believe I am and/or continue to be fully qualified to be appointed in the requested capacity for cases in King County, Washington.**

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Signature

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Date of Signing

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Print Name

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Place of Signing

**DIGITAL SIGNATURE PERMITTED.**

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## Addendum to Application

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