

**University of Colorado Law School**  
**Silicon Flatirons Fellow**  
**Research Associate Specializing in Transactional Law**

Colorado Law's Silicon Flatirons Program ("Silicon Flatirons") is seeking an individual to work as a Research Associate (the "Silicon Flatirons' Research Fellow") for a one-year term beginning in January 2008. Applications are being accepted now. Applicants are encouraged to apply by November 30, 2007; however, applications will be accepted until the position is filled.

This Silicon Flatirons' Research Fellow position will specialize in transactional law, with emphases in entrepreneurship and community development. An ideal candidate will have a *Juris Doctorate* degree and at least two years of experience in transactional legal work. Experience assisting start-up businesses and/or assisting community development work is a bonus. Candidates should be interested in helping support classes via research (including Colorado Law's Entrepreneurial Law Clinic and a course in Venture Capital), help lead entrepreneurship outreach efforts across the university community, and conduct original research in the area of transactional law. This position is best suited to an individual who desires the opportunity to research in the area(s) of entrepreneurial law, community development, and/or private companies.

**SPECIFICS OF POSITION**

- One year term (with possibility of renewal for second year)
- Applicants should be prepared to begin no later than the start of the Spring 2008 semester (on or around January 10, 2008).
- Primary responsibilities. It is expected that the Silicon Flatirons Fellow will:
  - lead and support Silicon Flatirons' cross-campus initiatives concerning entrepreneurship, including working with stakeholders in other disciplines and campus departments as well as in the surrounding community;
  - conduct research to support teaching efforts and assist student work in Colorado Law's Entrepreneurial Law Clinic and a Venture Capital course;
  - research and write articles or reports of publishable quality on entrepreneurship, community development and/or high technology issues;
  - promote community development efforts in the Front Range (Boulder/Denver) area;
  - support grants and/or contracts in connection with Silicon Flatirons' projects, including grant-writing efforts to help secure funding for relevant initiatives;
  - assist CU Law faculty and staff to organize conferences, talks, and meetings with lawyers, and policymakers, including support for the Institute for Regulatory Law & Economics;
  - help coach law school moot court teams in intellectual property law; and
  - support outreach to area attorneys and industry representatives.
- Compensation: Estimated \$50,000 plus University of Colorado benefits (salary to be adjusted commensurate with experience)

## BACKGROUND AND EXPERIENCE

An ideal candidate for this position would have the following characteristics:

- J.D. degree (MBA or CPA is a bonus);
- at least two years experience in transactional legal practice (experience assisting start-up businesses and/or assisting community development work is a bonus);
- excellent communication, analytical and writing skills;
- subject matter knowledge of entrepreneurial law, community development, Reg D offerings, and/or corporate tax.

## APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

Applicants are encouraged to apply by November 30, 2007; however, applications will be accepted until the position is filled. To apply, please submit the following materials:

- cover letter with a detailed statement of interest;
- resume;
- relevant transcript(s);
- writing sample; and
- (upon request by Silicon Flatirons) two letters of recommendation should be provided.

Materials should be directed via electronic or U.S. Mail to:

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***About Silicon Flatirons, Colorado Law, and the University of Colorado-Boulder:*** Silicon Flatirons resides within the University of Colorado Law School. The Law School created Silicon Flatirons to bring to campus individuals from legal, technical, regulatory and business backgrounds to discuss issues at the intersection of technology, law, and entrepreneurship. The program pursues three basic goals: (1) to elevate the debate around technology policy and entrepreneurship issues; (2) to facilitate networking and the development of "human capital" in the Colorado technology community; and (3) to inspire student interest in technology law and entrepreneurship. Since its inception in 2000, Silicon Flatirons has cultivated a reputation as one of the nation's leaders in telecommunications law and policy. For more information about Silicon Flatirons, please visit our website at < <http://www.silicon-flatirons.org/sftp.html> >. The University of Colorado is an AA/EEO employer. Minority, female, disabled and GLBT applicants are encouraged to apply.