The Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law of Yeshiva University invites applications for a full-time clinical professor to direct its Indie Film Clinic. The successful candidate will join a robust clinical program, with a faculty dedicated to experiential learning and public service.

Now in its fourth year of operation, Cardozo’s Indie Film Clinic is the first law school clinic in New York to provide pro bono legal and business services to emerging and independent filmmakers. The clinic offers assistance in drafting and negotiating formation, acquisition, chain of title, and sales documents and agreements for filmmakers and offers advice on licensing and fair use. Students take part in every aspect of the representation, gaining critical transactional, analytic, and client service skills. Its client films have screened theatrically in New York and Los Angeles and in leading US and international film festivals including Cannes, Berlin, South by Southwest, and Tribeca. Several have achieved critical acclaim: “She’s Lost Control,” a narrative film, won the CICAE Art Cinema Award at the Berlin International Film Festival, and “La Camioneta,” a documentary, was selected as a Critics’ Pick by The New York Times. More information about the clinic can be found at: http://www.cardozo.yu.edu/indiefilmclinic.

The Clinic Director will be responsible for designing and overseeing all aspects of the clinic’s teaching and client-service missions. This will include working with partner organizations throughout the New York City region, supervising students in all aspects of representing a business client, and preparing and teaching a seminar component of the clinic. The Clinic Director is expected to take an active part in faculty governance and committee work within the law school.

Applicants should have a JD degree, at least five years of relevant experience, particularly in a transactional setting, and strong interest or experience in clinical teaching. New York State bar admission is preferred. Review of candidates will begin immediately and will continue until the position is filled.

Interested applicants should submit a cover letter, resume, and list of references to Kathy Horton, the Director of the Office of the Dean, via email at khorton@yu.edu.

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