GENERAL COUNSEL

POSITION OVERVIEW

NAPABA seeks to engage a General Counsel to oversee the organization’s legal function and manage its legal affairs. This is a volunteer leadership position reporting directly to NAPABA’s President and Board of Governors. The General Counsel serves as the primary legal advisor to NAPABA’s Board of Governors and its national headquarters staff and provides such advice and counsel as situations may dictate from time to time.

DESIRED EXPERIENCE

Top candidates will be senior attorneys of high character, integrity, and reputation who have previously served in meaningful leadership roles. She/He will be skilled in corporate governance matters and capable of effectively supporting and advising the organization’s Board of Governors and staff leadership. Generalist-level background in the wide range of matters that typically confront in-house law departments, including but not limited to, corporate governance, employment law, intellectual property, commercial transactions, and litigation is highly desirable. The General Counsel will be expected to effectively oversee both in-house legal personnel and outside counsel and the matters each is handling.

Candidates must understand and support NAPABA’s stated mission and purposes, and work to ensure proper adherence to the organization’s bylaws and other applicable governing documents.

APPLY

Please submit a biography and CV to Priya Purandare, NAPABA Executive Director

About NAPABA

The National Asian Pacific American Bar Association (NAPABA) represents the interests of over 60,000 Asian Pacific American (APA) legal professionals and nearly 90 national, state, and local APA bar associations. NAPABA is a leader in addressing civil rights issues confronting APA communities. Through its national network, NAPABA provides a strong voice for increased diversity of the federal and state judiciaries, advocates for equal opportunity in the workplace, works to eliminate hate crimes and anti-immigrant sentiment, and promotes the professional development of people of all backgrounds in the legal profession.