# Philadelphia Recruiting & Professional Development Survey

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# Eva's Bio



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**Eva Wisnik** founded **Wisnik Career Enterprises, Inc.** in 1996 after serving as Director of Recruitment and Training for Schulte Roth & Zabel and Cadwalader, Wickersham & Taft. Over the past 20 years, she has worked with over 100 law firms, including 74 of the AmLaw 100. Wisnik has placed more than 500 Recruiting and PD professionals into law firms nationwide. Eva has conducted over 600 training programs for attorneys on topics that include Business Development Skills, Time Management and Myers Briggs. In addition, **Wisnik Career Enterprises, Inc.** has conducted over 35 salary and industry snapshot surveys for law firm professionals since 1998.

Eva holds an MBA in Marketing from Fordham University and a BA in Psychology from Barnard College.

# Wisnik Recruiting & PD Industry Findings



# Who Responded?

### **Total of 53 legal professionals**

#### Title:

- Director: 13
- Manager: 20
- Sr. Coord/Specialist/ Administrator: 6
- Coordinator: 12
- Assistant: 2

#### Department:

- Recruiting: 24
- PD: 5
- Combined: Recruiting & PD and/or HR: 24

#### Office Size:

- 1-75: 3
- 76-125: 20
- 126-175: 7
- 176-225: 9
- 226-300: 12
- 301+: 2



### Respondents' Highest Level of Education by Title



# **Average Years of Experience**



## Is Your Position: Firm-Wide, Regional, or Local?



### **Department Structure**



### By Firm Size: Are Recruiting & PD Separate or Combined Departments?



## Combined Rec/PD Dept: Time (%) Spent on Recruiting & PD

How do members of Combined Recruiting & PD Departments split their time?





### Reporting Structure: Who Do the Departments Report To?\*



# In the Past Year, Has Your Department...



# Is Your Department Adequately Staffed?



# Summer Associates by Office Size







## Overall Philly Average Salaries: By Title

<u>Title</u> (# responses)	Ave. Salary	<u>Median</u>	<b>Bonus</b>	<u>Raise</u>
Directors (12):	\$151,167	\$143,500	\$12,900	4.9%
Managers (17):	\$102,000	\$100,000	\$4,564	5.9%
Sr. Coord./Spec./ Analyst (6):	\$72,630	\$71,000	\$3,750	3.2%
Coordinators (10):	\$63,798	\$60,000	\$1,129	3.7%

\* Insufficient data to analyze Assistant average salary



# Salary Trends: 2012-2016



### Did you receive a Bonus, Raise, or Both last year?



## Average Salary vs. Years of Recruiting/PD Experience



# Have You Been Promoted with a Title Change in the Last 2 Years?



### Are You Satisfied With Your Current Compensation?



## **Recruiting Responsibilities**



# In the Past 12 Months, Have Your Recruiting Responsibilities:



### Philly: Average Hours Worked Per Recruiting Season



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### Philly: Average Hours Worked Per Recruiting Season By Title



### Directors: Recruiting & PD Responsibilities



### Managers: Recruiting & PD Responsibilities



### Sr Coor./Spec./Administrators: Recruiting & PD Responsibilities



#### Sr. Coor./Spec./ Admin level statistics

- 17% hold a seat on the Hiring/ Recruiting Committee
- 33% say their responsibilities increased over the last 12 months
- 83% have Firm-wide responsibilities;17% have Regional responsibilities
- 100% say they will be in this field in 3 years
- \* Insufficient data for breakdown of PD responsibilities

### Coordinators: Recruiting & PD Responsibilities

- 36% attend the Hiring/Recruiting Committee Meetings
- 83% have Firm-wide responsibilities; 8.5% have Regional responsibilities; 8.5% have Local office (only) responsibilities
- 73% say they will be in this field in 3 years



What Has Been Keeping the PD Department Busy Since January?

### Training

- Attorney Evaluations
- Attorney Compensation
- Onboarding & Orientation
- CLE Management
- Business Development Training
- Retreat Planning
- Attorney Departures



### If You Had The Resources: What Would You Have Your Dept. Focus On?

- New training initiatives, including interviewer training
- Updating/using new technology systems to track candidates
- Better analysis of recruitment and retention data
- Attorney coaching
- Expanding diversity initiatives in recruiting
- Increased networking events to meet potential candidates
- Implementing a lateral integration program
- Revamping the associate evaluation process



## Salary Breakdown



### Philly Average Salary, Bonus, & Raise by Department and Firm Size

All Directors = 12 Average Salary = \$151,167 Bonus = \$12,900 Raise = 4.9%

Department:	Combo. Rec/PD	Firm Size:	<u>1-250</u>	<u>251-750</u>
Avg. Salary:	\$141,700	Avg. Salary:	\$115,000	\$150,300
Avg. Bonus:	\$14,667	Avg. Bonus:	\$6,833	\$10,700
Avg. Raise:	4.8%	Avg. Raise:	*	5.4%



\* Insufficient data to provide separate PD or Rec Dept Director salary data, as well as Firm Size 750+ and Raise data for Firm Size 1-250

### Philly Average Salary, Bonus, & Raise by Department and Firm Size

All Managers = 17 Average Salary = \$102,000 Bonus = \$5,464 Raise = 5.9%

Department:	Combo. Rec/PD	Recruiting	Firm Size:	<u>501-750</u>	<u>750+</u>
Avg. Salary:	\$95,911	\$112,257	Avg. Salary:	\$95,100	\$126,000
Avg. Bonus:	\$4,386	\$4,875	Avg. Bonus:	\$4,529	\$4,167
Avg. Raise:	5.1%	3.5%	Avg. Raise:	4.8	*



\* Insufficient data to provide PD Dept Manager salary data, as well as for Firm Sizes 1-500 and Raise data for Firm Size 750+

### Philly Average Salary, Bonus, & Raise by Firm Size

All Sr. Coor./Spec./Admins = 6 Average Salary = \$72,630 Bonus = \$3,750 Raise = 3.2%

Firm Size:	<u>501-1000</u>
Avg. Salary:	\$66,195
Avg. Bonus:	*
Avg. Raise:	3.3%

\* Insufficient data to provide breakdown of salary data by Department Structure, as well as for Firm Sizes 1-500 and 1000+, and Bonus data for Firm Size 500-1000



### Philly Average Salary, Bonus, & Raise by Department and Firm Size

All Coordinators = 10 *Average Salary* = \$63,798 *Bonus* = \$1,129 *Raise* = 3.7% *Average OT in 2015* = \$11,013

<b>Department:</b>	<b>Recruiting</b>	Firm Size:	<u>1-350</u>	<u>501-750</u>
Avg. Salary:	\$65,997	Avg. Salary:	\$62,666	\$55,996
Avg. Bonus:	\$300	Avg. Bonus:	*	\$1,044
Avg. Raise:	4.6%	Avg. Raise:	*	4.5%



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