



Sr. Underwriter
Chicago, IL



CORE
SPECIALTY

THE CORE SPECIALTY ADVANTAGE

Core Specialty offers a diversified range of property and casualty insurance products for small to mid-sized businesses. From underwriting offices spanning the U.S., the Company focuses on niche markets, local distribution, and superior underwriting knowledge, offering traditional as well as innovative insurance solutions to meet the needs of its customers and brokers. Core Specialty is an insurance holding company operating through StarStone Specialty Insurance Company, a U.S. excess and surplus lines insurer, and StarStone National Insurance Company, a U.S. admitted markets insurer. The Company is rated A- (Excellent) by AM Best.

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Essential Duties and Responsibilities:

(Position based in Chicago, IL)

Examination & analyzing of submissions forwarded to Core Specialty by broker partners to determine if the risk is a targeted class of business and subsequently to determine appropriate limits, pricing & terms that will provide Core Specialty with adequate underwriting profit on each risk.

Key Accountabilities/Deliverables:

- Execution of Miscellaneous E&O (primarily Lawyers' E&O) business plans and objectives including:
 - Build Core Specialty's reputation and presence in the product liability market
 - Provide prompt and accurate customer service on policy transactions
 - Ensure all risks considered and bound are within delegated authority, underwriting standards, risk selection, peer review and pricing methodologies
 - Provide documented evidence of underwriting activities and decisions in files as required
 - Support Company and Department goals and objectives
 - Build Core Specialty's relationships with our broker partners
- In addition to the above key responsibilities, you may be required to undertake other duties from time to time as the Company may reasonably require.
- Carry out duties within our internal policies and procedures in accordance with applicable law, rules, regulation, good governance and Core Specialty's shared values, including putting clients at the heart of our business.

Technical Knowledge and Understanding:

- Strong knowledge of Misc. E&O (primarily non-standard Lawyers' E&O) underwriting industry
- Knowledge of Miscellaneous E&O (primarily Lawyers' E &O) underwriting practices, coverage & pricing/rating methodologies
- Strong knowledge of producer & competitor marketplace
- Strong knowledge of targeted industries
- Strong knowledge of insurance company operations
- Solid understanding of policy wordings and clauses
- Up-to-date knowledge of the insurance market environment

Experience:

- Bachelor's degree or equivalent relevant experience
- Industry designation such as RPLU or similar is a plus
- Ability to travel monthly within the region to meet assigned brokers in the region

At Core Specialty we believe that our employees are our most important asset. Helping our employees and their families achieve and maintain good health – physical, emotional, and financial – is the reason Core Specialty offers extremely rich and affordable benefits including, but not limited to medical, dental, vision, and life insurances; short and long-term disability; a Company-match of 100% of a 6% contribution 401(k) plan; an Employee Assistance Plan; Health Savings Account, Flexible Spending Account, Health Reimbursement Account, and gym reimbursement.