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2012-2013 Government Honors and Internship Handbook Released!

The 2012-13 Government Honors & Internship Handbook is now live! This handbook, produced by University of Arizona, contains an extensive listing of government internships and post graduate government fellowship opportunities, along with detailed application instructions and deadlines.

To access it, go to the Symplicity homepage for the handbook's username and password, then go to: www.law.arizona.edu/career/honorshandbook.cfm.

Important Changes to PSLawNet!

PSLawNet, the online resource for public interest legal internships, jobs and fellowships is now PSJD - Public Service Jobs Directory!

To access this new site, go to: www.psjd.org. The new and improved online resource and jobs database includes an enhanced search functionality, redesigned career resources, and more! We urge students and graduates interested in pursuing a career in public interest to become familiar with this valuable resource. Please do not hesitate to contact a member of career services for an appointment to review the benefits and capabilities of this site.

1Ls/2Ls: Summer 2013 Internship in Environmental Law

The Center for Ocean Solutions (COS), a collaboration of Stanford University, the Monterey Bay Aquarium, and the Monterey Bay Aquarium Research Institute, is seeking Legal Interns for Summer 2013. Located in Monterey, CA, the Center's mission is to develop new tools to solve major problems facing the oceans, including climate change, land -sea interactions, eco-system health, and to prepare the leaders who take on these challenges.

To Apply:

For more information about this opportunity and for full application instructions, go to: www.centerforoceansolutions.org, then "About Us", then "Jobs", then "Summer 2013 Legal Internship". Application deadline is October 15, 2012.

Follow Career Services on Twitter or Facebook for the latest job postings and event information.

1Ls/2Ls: Summer 2013 Internship with Office of Legislative Counsel

The Office of Legislative Counsel, located in Sacramento, CA, is seeking summer interns to work in their legal division next summer. Interns will be assigned a mentor and given the opportunity to draft legislation, work on legal opinions, attend committee hearings and floor sessions of the Legislature, and otherwise gain exposure to the legal work of the office and the legislative environment. For more information about this organization, go to: www.lc.ca.gov.

To Apply:

Log onto Symplicity: https://law-tjsl-csm.symplicity.com/students/ and do a keyword search for the name of the organization in the Jobs tab. The deadline to apply in Symplicity is September 3.

2Ls/3Ls: Fall 2012 Internships with American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU) of San Diego and Imperial Counties

The ACLU of San Diego & Imperial Counties is currently seeking multiple part-time interns for two of its projects, the Voting Rights Project and the Immigration Detention project. The Voting Rights project intern will work with the voting rights attorney to organize a voter protection field operation for the November 2012 election, while the Immigration Detention intern will conduct intake interviews for Spanish-speaking detainees at the Immigration Detention facility. Spanish language fluency is required for the Immigration Detention project internship. For more information about this organization, go to: www.aclusandiego.org.

To Apply:

Submit a cover letter, resume, unofficial transcript, writing sample, and list of two references to Ms. Justine d'Auteuil, Legal Program Manager, P.O. Box 87131 San Diego, California 92138, via e-mail at jdauteuil@aclusandiego.org. Indicate in your cover letter and in the subject line of your e-mail whether you are applying for the Voting Rights Project internship and/or the Immigration Detention Project Internship. Also, please take note of their different application deadlines. The Voting Rights Project internship application deadline is August 31, 2012. The Immigration Detention project internship application deadline is September 28, 2012.

2Ls/3Ls: Summer 2013 Internship with San Diego Coastkeeper

San Diego Coastkeeper aims to protect and restore fishable, swimmable and drinkable waters in San Diego County. The organization currently seeks motivated students with a demonstrated interest in environmental law for its Summer 2013 program. Interns will learn to become independent environmental problem solvers. Projects may include meeting with stakeholder groups or regulators, organizing volunteer training or outreach events related to key issues, traditional legal research and writing, blogging, and obtaining and reviewing public documents to build a case. Completion of evidence and environmental law is required upon entry into the summer program. For more information about this organization, go to: www.sdcoastkeeper.org.

To Apply:

Submit a resume, cover letter, transcript and brief writing sample to Ms. Jill Witkowski, Esq. at jill@sdcoastkeeper.org with subject line "Student Attorney Summer 2013". Application deadline is September 30, 2012.

3Ls: Two-Year Litigation Fellowship Opportunity in Sacramento, CA

Pacific Legal Foundation's College of Public Interest Law offers two-year litigation fellowships to graduates interested in rapidly gaining experience in the litigation of major constitutional cases. Fellows will work in the Sacramento, California headquarters of Pacific Legal Foundation, the largest and oldest national public interest law foundation litigating in support of private property rights, environmental balance, individual liberties, limited government, and the free enterprise system. Guided by experienced attorneys, each Fellow will participate in hands-on litigation, write publishable legal scholarship, and attend on-site training for MCLE credit.

To Apply:

For more information about this opportunity and for full application instructions, go to: www.pacificlegal.org, then "About PLF", then "College of Public Interest Law". The application will open early September 2013 with an October 15, 2012 application deadline.

3Ls/Recent Grads: Women's Law and Public Policy Fellowship Program

The Women's Law and Public Policy Fellowship Program (WLPPFP) at the Georgetown University Law Center offers one year fellowships for public interest lawyers who are committed to advancing women's rights throughout their careers. For the 2013-2014 Fellowship year, the potential work placements in Washington, DC include the National Partnership for Women and Families, the National Women's Law Center, organizations working on Women and HIV/AIDS, and a two-year fellowship at Georgetown Law as a Domestic Violence Teaching Fellow. Fellows who are not members of the D.C. Bar must apply for admission by waiver upon accepting the fellowship offer.

To Apply:

For more information about this opportunity and for full application instructions, go to: www.law.georgetown.edu/wlppfp/. Application deadline is Friday, November 16, 2012.

3Ls/Recent Grads: Equal Justice Work's AmeriCorps Fellowship DEADLINE APPROACHING!

Equal Justice Works' AmeriCorps Fellowship Program addresses gaps in legal services through direct client services to low income individuals. Currently, there are 16 opportunities ranging from veterans assistance, foreclosure prevention, medical-legal partnerships and other civil legal assistance programs. The fellowships are 11-12 months in duration, with the option to renew for an additional year, and begin August or September of 2012 and conclude in October of 2013. Selected fellows will attend a leadership training October 23rd-25th in Arlington, VA, immediately prior to the Equal Justice Works Annual Conference and Career Fair October 26th—27th.

To Apply:

For more information about this opportunity and for full application instructions, go the Equal Justice Works website at www.equaljusticeworks.org, then "Post-Grad Fellowships and Career Development", then AmeriCorps Legal Fellows". Once at site, you can click on "Application Center" to review list of opportunities, instructions for each organization and deadlines. If you have any questions or would like a review of your materials, please contact Maysa Eissa at meissa@tjsl.edu. Application deadline is-September 13, 2012.

Recent Graduates: Attorney/Law Clerk Positions

Recent Grads: Opportunity with the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)

The EPA Region I Office of Regional Counsel is recruiting a staff attorney in its General Law practice. The attorney filling this position will be assigned work primarily on matters concerning employment and labor relations, but would also be expected to work in other areas such as ethics, procurement, or information law. Experience in employment law is preferred, but is not required. For more information about this opportunity and full application instructions, go to: http://www.epa.gov/region1/jobs/attorney.html. Application deadline is September 14, 2012.

Recent Grads: Legal Services of North Florida, Inc. is hiring

Legal Services of Northern Florida, Inc. has an opening for a full time Staff Attorney in its Pensacola Office. The organization's priority areas of practice include Family Law, Housing, Public Benefits, Employment, Education, and Health Care issues. To learn more about this opportunity and to obtain an application, go to: www.lsnf.org. Applicants should send resume and application with cover letter to the Human Resources Department, Attn: Ms. Karen Church, Legal Services of North Florida, 2119 Delta Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida, 32303 or via facsimile to (850) 205-6540. Please note that resumes received without the application will not be considered. Applications are reviewed on a rolling basis, so interested applicants should apply ASAP.

Recent Grads: Opportunity in Public Defense

The Albuquerque Felony Division of the New Mexico Public Defender Department is currently recruiting for the position of Public Defender Attorney 3. The Public Defender Attorney 3 position requires a minimum of one year of experience as a practicing attorney. To apply, go to: www.spo.state.nm.us/State_Employment.aspx, then search for Position # 73222. All applicants must submit their application online. Please note also that applicants need only enter their bar license number and state into the license section. Applications are reviewed on a rolling basis, so interested applicants should apply ASAP.

Recent Grads: Research Associate Opportunity with People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals (PETA)

People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals (PETA) is the largest animal rights organization in the world, with more than 3 million members and supporters. The organization's Norfolk, VA office is currently seeking two research associates to research and interpret a variety of animal protection issues in order to further investigations. Research associates will also draft complaints, perform a variety of tasks to prepare for the public release of investigations, work with the PETA Foundation's Legal Department to assess evidence for violations of laws and regulations, analyze technical papers, and conduct media interviews. For more information about this organization, go to: www.peta.org. To apply for this opportunity, go to: www.appone.com/MainInfoReq.asp?R_ID=555118. Applications are reviewed on a rolling basis, so interested applicants should apply ASAP.

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