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## **1Ls/2Ls: Summer Internship with the Department of Justice—Executive Office of Immigration Review**

The Imperial Immigration Court in Imperial, CA is seeking summer interns. Summer interns, working directly under the Judicial Law Clerk hired through the Attorney General's Honors Program, will be provided an excellent opportunity to develop research, writing, and analytical skills, while gaining exposure to immigration court proceedings. Applicants must be United States citizens who are first or second year law students with strong research and writing skills. Application deadline is Tuesday, February 28, 2012. However, applications are reviewed on a rolling basis, so interested applicants are encouraged to apply asap.

### **To Apply:**

Submit a cover letter, resume, 4-8 page writing sample, law school transcript and list of three references to: Ms. Kristin Heinrich at [Kristin.Heinrich@usdoj.gov](mailto:Kristin.Heinrich@usdoj.gov). Cover letter should be addressed to Attn: Ms. Kristin Heinrich, Judicial Law Clerk, United States Department of Justice, Imperial Immigration Court, 2409 La Brucherie Road, Imperial, CA 92251.

## **1Ls/2Ls: D.C. Opportunities through the Legal Studies Institute**

The Legal Studies Institute, sponsored by The Fund for American Studies, provides the opportunity for first and second year law students to gain a first-hand look at the American legal system through legal internships, a 3-credit constitutional law course, guest speaker briefings, and professional development activities. Seventy-five percent of students receive scholarship awards based on financial need and merit to participate in this program. Early Application deadline to receive priority admission consideration and a 5% discount on tuition balance is February 10, 2012. Full details on the program and the online application may be found at [www.legalstudiesDC.org](http://www.legalstudiesDC.org).

### **\*\*\* MARK YOUR CALENDARS!\*\*\***

Public Interest Law Foundation's 10<sup>th</sup> annual Public Interest Career Fair will take place on campus on Thursday, February 16, 2012 from 4—6 pm. This event is a convenient opportunity to meet public interest lawyers in the area of criminal law, protection of civil liberties, immigration, education policy, environmental conservation and more! More details to follow!



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for the latest job postings and  
event information.



## 1Ls/2Ls: Summer Law Clerk Program with City of Chicago Department of Law

The City of Chicago Department of Law invites law students to apply for its 2012 Summer Law Clerk Program. The Law Department serves the Mayor, the City Departments, Boards and Commissioners and the City Council as they establish and administer policies and programs to benefit Chicago residents, as well as the City's more than forty Departments. [Application deadline is March 2, 2012.](#)

### To Apply:

Submit a cover letter indicating to which division you wish to be assigned, resume, list of two references, law school transcript and a writing sample to Legal Recruiter, City of Chicago, Department of Law, 30 N. LaSalle—1640, Chicago, IL 60602. For full program description and application instructions, go to:

[http://www.cityofchicago.org/content/city/en/depts/dol/supp\\_info/dol\\_volunteer\\_program.html](http://www.cityofchicago.org/content/city/en/depts/dol/supp_info/dol_volunteer_program.html).

## 1Ls/2Ls: Summer Internship in Immigration Law

The Florence Immigrant and Refugee Rights Project, Inc. is seeking summer interns to support its work at its Arizona offices in Florence, Eloy, and Phoenix. Summer interns will work directly with detained adults or unaccompanied minors in immigration proceedings under the supervision of a staff attorney and/or the legal director. [Applicants will be interviewed by telephone and positions will be filled on a rolling basis so interested applicants should apply ASAP.](#)

### To Apply:

Submit a cover letter, resume and two references to Ms. Kara Hartzler, Legal Director, at [khartzler@firrp.org](mailto:khartzler@firrp.org). For more information, please go to: [www.firrp.org](http://www.firrp.org).

## 1Ls/2Ls: Summer Internship with the U.S. Department of Agriculture

The U.S. Department of Agriculture, Office of Ethics, based in Washington, DC with a satellite office in Arlington, VA, is seeking interns for Summer 2012. The internship will provide students with a unique first-hand view of the Executive Branch Ethics program and includes opportunities to network with other ethics professionals and to develop professionally through the research and drafting of ethics opinions. [Application deadline is April 15, 2012.](#)

### To Apply:

Interested applicants should submit a resume and a list of references to Mr. Jack Fisher, Government Ethics Specialist/Attorney (a TJSL alum) via email at [Jack.Fisher@DA.USDA.gov](mailto:Jack.Fisher@DA.USDA.gov).

## 1Ls/2Ls/3Ls: ABA Scholarship Opportunity to Attend Equal Justice Conference

The Annual Equal Justice Conference brings together the legal community to discuss equal justice issues as they relate to the delivery of legal services to the poor and low-income individuals in need of legal assistance. Through plenary sessions, workshops, networking opportunities and special programming, the Conference provides a wide range of learning and networking opportunities for all attendees. The 2012 Conference is scheduled for May 17-19, 2012, in Jacksonville, Florida. The American Bar Association Standing Committee on Pro Bono and Public Service and the National Legal Aid & Defender Association is offering a number of scholarships to help defray the costs associated with the Conference. [Scholarship Application Deadline is 5:00 p.m. \(CST\), Wednesday, February 22, 2012.](#) For complete application instructions, go to:

[http://www.americanbar.org/calendar/2012/05/equal\\_justice\\_conference/scholarships.html](http://www.americanbar.org/calendar/2012/05/equal_justice_conference/scholarships.html).

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## 3Ls/Recent Graduates: Attorney Positions

### **3Ls and Recent Grads: Opportunities for Spanish Speakers with the State Department**

The U.S. Department of State needs American citizens, with proficiency in Spanish, to work as limited non-career appointment (LNA) Consular Adjudicators in high-volume posts in Spanish speaking countries throughout the world. Initially, these appointments are for a period of 13 months, and then renewable for up to five years, based on satisfactory performance and the needs of the Foreign Service. For specific requirements, and to apply, please visit [careers.state.gov/CALNASP](http://careers.state.gov/CALNASP). **Applications are reviewed on a rolling basis, so interested applicants should apply asap.**

### **Recent Grads: National Center for Youth Law is seeking a staff attorney.**

The National Center for Youth Law (NCYL), based in Oakland, CA, is a national advocacy office which uses the law to improve the lives of children in need. NCYL seeks an attorney who has experience in juvenile justice. The Center is currently working to reform the juvenile justice systems in several states, focusing on the over-incarceration of youth and the need for community-based alternatives to secure detention. **Applications are being reviewed on a rolling basis, so interested applicants should apply asap.** Interested applicants should email a cover letter, resume, three professional references, and a writing sample to Mr. Larry Nguyen, Assistant Administrator, at [Inguyen@youthlaw.org](mailto:Inguyen@youthlaw.org). For more information about this organization and complete application instructions, go to: [www.youthlaw.org](http://www.youthlaw.org).

### **Recent Grads: Fellowship Opportunity in the Bay Area**

The Public Interest Law Project (PILP), based in Oakland, CA, is seeking an attorney with at least three years of litigation experience and an interest in prosecuting impact litigation in the public interest, to be PILP's first Public Interest Law Project Fellow (two year term). The Fellow will gain experience in litigation involving a wide variety of issues affecting the rights of poor and low-income people to essential public benefits and fair and affordable housing. **Application deadline is February 26, 2012.** Interested applicants should email a resume, cover letter, writing sample and list of references to the Hiring Committee at [opportunities@pilpca.org](mailto:opportunities@pilpca.org). For more information, go to: <http://pilpca.org>, then employment opportunities tab.

### **Recent Grads: The U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ) has numerous vacancies.**

The DOJ website currently lists numerous openings for Assistant U.S. Attorney positions in their district offices throughout the country, including Texas, California, Florida, and Washington, D.C. For information on all open positions and complete application instructions for each opportunity, go to <http://www.justice.gov/careers/legal>.

### **Recent Grads: Over a Dozen Assistant Attorney General Openings at the Illinois Attorney General's Office**

The Illinois Attorney General's Office currently has over a dozen open positions for assistant attorney general positions in both its Springfield and Chicago offices, including openings in its the Sexually Violent Persons Bureau, Worker's Compensation division, Disability division, Tobacco Enforcement, and Child Support Enforcement. For more information and complete application instructions for each of these opportunities, go to <http://www.ag.state.il.us>, then "About Us" tab, then "Job Opportunities" tab.

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