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1Ls/2Ls/3Ls: American Bar Association Student Staff Writer Position

The American Bar Association's Criminal Justice Section has just started a new committee, the Young Lawyers Committee. This committee is seeking volunteer Student Staff Writers. If interested to learn more and/or to apply, please contact Ms. Maysa Eissa, Esq, at meissa@tjssl.edu directly by [October 5 2012](#).

1Ls/2Ls/Part-Time 3Ls: San Diego La Raza Lawyers Association Scholarship Announcement

The San Diego La Raza Lawyers Association (SDLRLA) Scholarship Fund is now accepting applications for its annual law student scholarship. The scholarships are awarded to full-time law students in their first and second year of law school and part-time students up to their third year of law school. Please note that recipients are not limited to persons of Latino/Latina background. The scholarships are awarded to law students from a variety of backgrounds who have contributed to the betterment of the Latino community and have met the criteria of community service, financial need, hardship and academic achievement. The scholarships typically range from \$1,000 to \$5,000, and recipients are honored each year at the SDLRLA Annual Awards and Gala Dinner in October.

To Apply:

Please contact Ms. Maysa Eissa, Esq, Associate Director of Career Services, at meissa@tjssl.edu for scholarship instructions and application form. [Application deadline is October 5, 2012](#).

1Ls/2Ls/3Ls: US Court of Federal Claims Bar Association Scholarship Announcement

The U.S. Court of Federal Claims Bar Association is offering a scholarship of up to \$5,000.00 to at least one law student with a demonstrated commitment to public service. The scholarship is in honor of the Court's recently-retired Chief Deputy Clerk of Administrative Services, Carole Bailey. Carole's commitment to public service was unwavering throughout her legal and professional career, and in furtherance of our mission as a 501(c)(3) organization, the Bar Association seeks to aid law students in achieving their own accomplishments in pursuit of public service.

To Apply:

Details about the scholarship and application guidelines are located on the Bar Association's website at: www.cfcbar.org/carole-bailey-scholarship. [Application Deadline is October 31, 2012 at 8:59 p.m. PST.](#)

1Ls/2Ls/3Ls: 2013 Summer Internship with U.S. Department of State

The U.S. Department of State Student Experience Program offers U.S. citizen students the opportunity to participate in 10-week, unpaid summer internships that provide intensive educational and professional experience within the environment of America's principle foreign affairs agency.

To Apply:

For more information and for complete application instructions, go to: <http://careers.state.gov/students/programs>, and click on "U.S. Department of State Student Experience". [Application deadline is November 2,](#)

1Ls/2Ls: 2013 Summer Internships with ACLU Immigrants' Rights Project in Los Angeles and in New York

The Immigrants' Rights Project, a national project of the American Civil Liberties Union Foundation with offices in New York and California, is accepting applications for Summer 2013 Legal Internships. Using targeted impact litigation, advocacy and public outreach, the Project carries on the ACLU's historic commitment to protecting the civil rights and civil liberties of immigrants.

To Apply:

For more information about this project and for full application instructions, go to: www.aclu.org/node/36468. [Applications are reviewed on a rolling basis, so interested applicants should apply ASAP.](#)

2Ls: PAID 2013 Summer Internship with Sacramento County District Attorney's Office

The Sacramento County District Attorney's Office is accepting applications for its paid ten-week summer intern program. Interns will work with deputy district attorneys doing legal research, assisting in court, and handling assignments in the misdemeanor arraignment court. Applicants should have completed or be currently enrolled in Evidence. Compensation will be at a rate of \$15.40 per hour.

To Apply:

Applicants should submit a cover letter and resume via e-mail to Ms. Cecile Velasco at velascoc@sacda.org. Cover letter should be addressed to Ms. Cynthia Besemer, Chief Deputy District Attorney, Sacramento County District Attorney's Office, 901 G Street, Sacramento, CA 95814. [Application deadline is November 16, 2012.](#)

2Ls/3Ls: 2012 Fall Internship at the San Diego City Employees' Retirement System

The San Diego City Employees' Retirement System (SDCERS) is currently seeking one law student to intern with its legal department for approximately one semester beginning immediately. SDCERS administers retirement benefits for its members, including the administration of retirement, health, disability and death benefits. The intern will be expected to work approximately 10-20 hours per week and will work closely with SDCER's in-house counsel.

To Apply:

Applicants should submit a cover letter and resume to Ms. Lourdes N. Silva at silval@sdcers.org. [Applications are reviewed on a rolling basis, so interested applicants should apply ASAP.](#)

3Ls: Post-Bar Legal Research Assistant Opportunities with the Sacramento County District Attorney's Office

The Sacramento County District Attorney's Office is accepting applications for post-bar Legal Research Assistants to begin work after taking the February 2013 or July 2013 California Bar Exam. The position is limited to those taking the first California Bar exam offered after graduation. Legal Research Assistants will work under the supervision of deputy district attorneys doing legal research, assisting in court, and handling assignments in the misdemeanor arraignment court. Upon admission to the Bar, Legal Research Assistants will be assigned Misdemeanor Trial caseloads, and they will be considered for positions as attorney vacancies occur. Candidates must be available for assignment within approximately one to two weeks after taking the California State Bar exam. Compensation will be at a rate of \$20.63 per hour.

To Apply:

Applicants should submit a cover letter and resume via e-mail to Ms. Cecile Velasco at velascoc@sacda.org. Cover letter should be addressed to Ms. Cynthia Besemer, Chief Deputy District Attorney, Sacramento County District Attorney's Office, 901 G Street, Sacramento, CA 95814. [Application deadline is November 16, 2012.](#)

3Ls: Post-Grad Fellowship/Staff Position at Legal Services of Northern California

Legal Services of Northern California (LSNC) has begun its recruitment process for third-year law students preparing to take the California Bar Examination this summer. For more than fifteen years, LSNC has hired at least one candidate, either through a fellowship or as a regular staff member, through this recruitment process. Depending upon staffing needs, LSNC may hire for any of its field offices, including its Auburn, Chico, Eureka, Redding, Sacramento, Vallejo, Woodland and Ukiah offices.

To Apply:

Submit a cover letter, resume, writing sample, transcript and three references via U.S. Mail to: Ms. Julie Aguilar Rogado, Deputy Director, Legal Services of Northern California, 517 12th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814. For more information about this organization, go to: <http://lsnc.net>. [Application deadline is December 31, 2012.](#)

3Ls/Recent Grads: Announcing California Attorney General's Honors Program

The California Attorney General's Honors Program is now accepting applications! This Honors Program is an entry-level hiring program for third year law students, LL.M.s, judicial clerks, those participating in other government or public interest fellowships and newly admitted attorneys in their first year of practice. Participants will work in the Los Angeles office of the Attorney General's Office. The Honors program is a paid, two-year program that provides formal training session to develop litigation skills and educate participants on the different legal sections, the opportunity to gain hands on experience as a Deputy Attorney General including the chance to take a lead role in cases and independently draft motions and pleadings, and the opportunity to formulate Attorney General policy initiatives and draft legislation.

To Apply:

For more information about this program and for full application instructions, go to: <http://oag.ca.gov/content/honors/introduction>. [Application deadline is 9 am PST October 3, 2012.](#)

Recent Graduate Opportunities

Recent Grads: Opportunity with Family Violence Law Center

Family Violence Law Center, based in Oakland, CA, is currently seeking a bilingual (English and Spanish) staff attorney to focus on the organization's Healing with Justice Project. The Healing with Justice Project works with sexual assault survivors, including domestic violence survivors who experience sexual assault as part of the domestic violence. The Project also assists sexual assault survivors who are college students with academic hearings and educational accommodation issues. Applicants should be licensed to practice law in California with at least two years' experience in family law. For more information about this organization, go to: <http://fvlc.org>. To apply, submit your cover letter and resume to kwhitehorse@fvlc.org. **Applications are reviewed on a rolling basis, so interested applicants should apply ASAP.**

Recent Grads: Pima Community College Office of General Counsel is hiring.

Pima Community College, Office of General Counsel, located in Tucson, AZ, is seeking an attorney to provide a high level of professional legal service and advice to Pima County Community College District administrators, faculty and staff in complying with state and federal statutes, court decisions, government regulations and policy on a broad range of issues including business law, education law, procurement law, public law, employment law, research enterprise development, and other legal matters. Applicants should have at least three years of legal experience in affirmative action, employment law or contracts, insurance, construction and real estate. Experience in the public sector is also preferred. The new hire will be expected to be in good standing with the State Bar of Arizona within 12 months of hire. For more information about this opportunity and for full application instructions, go to: <http://apptrkr.com/275621>. **Application deadline is October 8, 2012.**

Recent Grads: Contract Position with Greenpeace USA

Headquartered in Washington, DC, Greenpeace, is currently seeking a staff attorney to handle a variety of legal matters under the supervision of the Deputy General Counsel and General Counsel. Please note that this is a contract position until mid April 2013. A minimum of two years legal experience is preferred. To apply, applicants should send a cover letter (explicitly stating your interest in Greenpeace's mission and how you found out about the career opportunity) and resume to resumes@wdc.greenpeace.org. The subject line should read "Staff Attorney Contract Position—Your Name". **Application deadline is October 5, 2012.** For more information about this organization and for full application details, go to: <http://www.greenpeace.org/usa/en>, then "Jobs", then "Staff Attorney—Contract DC".

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