November 24, 2015

Summer Judicial Externship Opportunities for Diverse Students

Are you a diverse student interested in judicial externships this summer? The American Bar Association Section of Litigation will begin accepting applications for its Summer 2016 Judicial Intern Opportunity Program on **Tuesday, December 1, 2015**. The deadline for applications is **January 4, 2016**. Please note that screening interviews will begin in December and will continue through the application process. The first 500 applicants will be guaranteed at least one interview. Additional applicants will be interviewed on an as needed basis. The program is a full-time (32 hours per week), six-week minimum, summer internship program open to all first- or second-year diverse law students. The mission of the Judicial Intern Opportunity Program is to provide opportunities to students who are members of racial and ethnic groups that are traditionally underrepresented in the profession. The program also provides opportunities to students with disabilities, students who are economically disadvantaged, and students who identify themselves as LGBT. **Interns will receive an award of $2,000.** Please review [detailed program information](#) or [frequently asked questions](#) prior to applying to the program.

In addition, Just The Beginning - A Pipeline Organization is pleased to announce the sixth annual Summer Judicial Internship Diversity Project for Summer 2016. The Project's goal is to provide summer judicial internships for highly-qualified minority, underrepresented, and economically disadvantaged law students. Operating nationally since 2011, the JRC-JTB Project has placed nearly 300 law students in successful internships to date. Over 100 judges have participated in such efforts and look to the JRC-JTB Project for summer internship candidates. See the [website](#) for more information. Applications are due by **January 11, 2016 at 5:00 pm EST**.

U.S. Department of Justice Volunteer Program

Every year over 1,800 volunteer legal interns serve in DOJ components and U.S. Attorneys' Offices throughout the country. If you are interested in a DOJ volunteer internship, please review the many opportunities featured at [www.justice.gov/careers/legal/volunteer-intern.html](http://www.justice.gov/careers/legal/volunteer-intern.html).

SCBA Delegation Annual Holiday Friend Raiser -- Free Event

**Who:** All Sacramento-region attorneys and law students interested in changing the law, and improving the Code

**What:** Learning about and joining the Sacramento County Bar Association Delegation to the Conference of California Bar Associations
**When:**  Wednesday, December 9, 2015 from 6:00pm to 8:00pm

**Where:**  Downey Brand  
621 Capitol Mall, 18th floor  
Sacramento, CA 95814

**Why:**  Sacramento region attorneys and law students who want to make changes in the law, who want to improve the code, who want to meet area colleagues as well as work with some of the state's most respected and experienced professionals

**Details:**  Nibbles, treats and drinks a-plenty, brief presentation by SCBA Delegation Chair Andi Liebenbaum and CCBA Lobbyist Larry Doyle, no cost event

**RSVP:**  mallory.lass@gmail.com

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**SCBA Diversity Fellowship Application - Now Available**

The Sacramento County Bar Association Diversity Fellowship Application for Summer of 2016 is now available in the Symplicity document library. Career Services counselors can review your personal statement and conduct mock interviews. If you would like CSO to review your personal statement, please email to Natalie Butcher at the latest by **5:00 PM January 8, 2016.** You are of course welcome to submit your personal statement earlier for review and feedback. **DEADLINE:** Submit two hardcopies of your application and resume to the UC Davis Career Services Office no later than **5:00 PM, Friday, January 15, 2016.** Late applications will not be accepted.

This is a fantastic opportunity for King Hall 1Ls to work in a law firm their first summer and gain exposure to law firm culture as well as develop skills and make professional contacts for the future. These are PAID positions. If you missed the presentation by the SCBA committee members, the video recording is available on the intranet dated November 12, 2015. We strongly encourage all eligible 1Ls to apply. For any questions about the fellowship or application process, please contact Natalie Butcher, (530) 752-6574. We can also connect you with some of last year's fellows to discuss the application and program.

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**Upcoming Government Honors Deadlines**

Attention Members of the Class of 2016 -- Government Honors Programs (aka "New Attorney Programs," "Honors Fellowships," etc.) offer a rare and prestigious path to public sector work immediately upon graduation (or at the end of a judicial clerkship). Many deadlines are fast approaching! Here's a sample of what's out there (there are many others, too):

**Local**

City of Portland, Oregon Honors Attorney Program  
[https://www.portlandoregon.gov/attorney/article/498264](https://www.portlandoregon.gov/attorney/article/498264)  
Deadline to Apply: Nov. 25, 2015

For still further opportunities, see the Arizona Handbook at [http://arizonahandbooks.com/u/ucdlaw](http://arizonahandbooks.com/u/ucdlaw). For individualized counseling and/or review of application materials, see Timothy Griffiths (tgriffiths@ucdavis.edu) in the Career Services Office.

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**Yolo Conflict Resolution Center -- Conflict Resolution and Mediation Certificate Training**

The Conflict Resolution and Mediation Certificate Training, January 6, 15-17, and 22-24, is the first step in becoming a YCRC volunteer mediator. The training is also beneficial for individuals looking to learn skills for effective communication and dealing with conflicts.

The 40-hour training program includes lectures, discussions, communication skills exercises, and mediation process role-play. Topics and skills covered in the training program include:

- Introduction to the nature of conflict
- Differences in conflict engagement styles and preferences
Introduction to dispute resolution
Introduction to community mediation
The role of the mediator in the community mediation model
Effective communication and conflict resolution skills and techniques for the community mediator
Ensuring safe expression

Additional Information, training application, as well as volunteer information and application, are available on our website at www.yolocrc.org. Applications are due December 1, 2015. Scholarships are available.

1Ls and 2Ls - Winter Cocktail Reception in Hawaii

We invite 1L and 2L students to attend our cocktail reception if they are in the islands on December 29th. Business Casual and Aloha Attire. No resumes please.

December 29, 2015 from 5:30-8:30 pm
Roy's - Hawaii Kai
6600 Kalanianaoele Highway
Honolulu, Hawaii 96825

Sponsored by the following Small and Mid-Size Law Firms in Honolulu
Chun Kerr LLP
Imanaka Asato LLC
Marr Jones & Wang LLP
Schlack Ito, LLC
Sullivan Meheula Lee, LLP
Yamamoto & Caliboso, LLC

Please RSVP by December 15 to ochawaii@gmail.com

Knobbe Martens Home for the Holidays Reception

Knobbe Martens cordially invites 1L, 2L, and 3L students with technical backgrounds or a demonstrated interest in trademark prosecution to join them for their Home for the Holidays cocktail reception.

December 21st from 6:00 p.m.- 8:00 p.m.
Knobbe Martens
2040 Main Street
Irvine, CA 92614

RSVP by December 16th to: Carol Stanton at Carol.Stanton@knobbe.com. Please include a resume with your RSVP.

Judicial Clerkship Opportunities

If you are interested in judicial clerkships, please set up an appointment with Natalie Butcher in Career Services to discuss your individual clerkship application strategy.

OSCAR - Please remember to set up clerkship alerts in your OSCAR account for up-to-date notifications when a judge in your preferred grouping of states has created a new position: http://oscar.uscourts.gov. Some judges who are hiring for the 2017 term:

U.S. Court of Appeals Judge Ferdinand Fernandez (Pasadena, CA)
U.S. District Court Judge Robert Brack (Las Cruces, NM)
U.S. District Court Judge John Coughenour (Seattle, WA)
U.S. District Court Judge John Mendez (Sacramento, CA)* This judge has hired King Hall law clerks!
U.S. District Court Judge David Campbell (Phoenix, AZ)
U.S. District Court Judge Michael Fitzgerald (Los Angeles, CA)
U.S. District Court Judge John Tuchi (Phoenix, AZ)
U.S. Court of Appeals Judge Morgan Christen (Anchorage, AK)
U.S. District Court Judge Andrew Guilford (Santa Ana, CA)
U.S. District Court Judge Lynn Hughes (Houston, TX)
U.S. Court of Appeals Judge Carlos Lucero (Denver, CO)
U.S. Court of Appeals Judge Ronald Gould (Seattle, WA)
U.S. District Court Judge Jesus Bernal (Riverside, CA)
U.S. Court of Appeals Judge Susan Graber (Portland, OR)
U.S. Court of Appeals Judge Raymond Fisher (Pasadena, CA)

**Symplicity** - Judges' chambers around the country occasionally post clerkship openings on Symplicity. Please check the website often, as positions are sometimes open only for a short period of time.

**Vermont Guide**: Information on state judicial clerkships can be found in the Vermont Guide: [http://forms.vermontlaw.edu/career/guides](http://forms.vermontlaw.edu/career/guides). Please contact the Career Services Office at (530) 752-6574 for login information.

The following is a sampling of state and other judicial clerkship opportunities for students and alumni. To see many additional clerkship opportunities, please refer to the resources above.

**U.S. Magistrate Judge Richard Puglisi** (Honolulu, HI): Deadline December 20, 2015, (for Class of 2016 and 2015)

**New York Supreme Court, 9th Judicial District, Westchester Supreme & County Court** (White Plains, NY): Deadline November 25, 2015, (for Class of 2015)

**U.S. Court of Appeals, Eleventh Circuit, Staff Attorneys' Office** (Atlanta, GA): Deadline December 31, 2015, (for Class of 2015)


**U.S. Magistrate Judge Lourdes Martinez** (Las Cruces, NM): Deadline November 30, 2016, (for Class of 2016 and 2015)

**U.S. District Court Judge Gloria Navarro** (Las Vegas, CA): Deadline March 31, 2016, (for Class of 2015)

**U.S. District Court Judge Howard Lloyd** (San Jose, CA): Deadline May 1, 2016, (for Class of 2016 and 2015)

**U.S. Bankruptcy Court Judge M. Hammond** (San Jose, CA): Deadline January 30, 2016, (for Class of 2016 and 2015)

**U.S. District Court Judge Larry Hicks** (Reno, NV): Deadline December 31, 2015, (for Class of 2016 and 2015)

**U.S. Bankruptcy Judge Scott Yun** (Riverside, CA): Deadline December 31, 2015, (for Class of 2016 and 2015)

**U.S. District Court Judge Vijay Gandhi** (Santa Ana, CA): Deadline February 1, 2016, (for Class of 2015)

**U.S. Magistrate Judge Ignacio Torteya, III** (Southern District of Texas): Deadline January 1, 2016, (for Class of 2016 and 2015)

**Supreme Court, Appellate Court, and Superior Courts of New Jersey** are accepting applications starting June 15, 2015 on a rolling basis. Applicants are encouraged to apply early and both directly to individual judges and through the centralized electronic application. See [here](http://forms.vermontlaw.edu/career/guides).

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**DIVERSITY OPPORTUNITIES**
Below is a sampling of diversity opportunities for students. To see additional opportunities please see our Diversity Opportunities webpage. Additionally, diversity opportunities are also posted on Symplicity. Please contact Career Services if you have any questions regarding diversity opportunities.

Leadership Institute for Women of Color Attorneys, INC. Scholarships
Deadline: December 4, 2015

Dinsmore & Shohl Diversity Scholarship Program - 1L
Deadline: December 31, 2015

ABA Section of Litigation Judicial Intern Opportunity Program
Deadline: January 4, 2016

Justice Hollis G. Best Scholarship
Deadline: December 31, 2015

Latham & Watkins 1L Fellowship Program
Deadline: January 11, 2016

**A Sampling of Symplicity**

Below is a sampling of career opportunities for students. To see many additional career opportunities, as well as full descriptions of the job openings, please visit Symplicity.

University of California, Davis Office of the Campus Counsel Student Extern -- Spring 2016 (Davis, CA): Deadline November 30, 2015, Symplicity ID # 349654 (for Class of 2017 and 2016)

American Federation of Labor and Congress of Industrial Organizations (Washington, DC): Deadline December 1, 2015, but rolling application process, Symplicity ID # 349566 (for Class of 2016 and 2015)

State Water Resources Control Board Graduate Legal Assistant (Sacramento, CA): Deadline ASAP, Symplicity ID # 349603 (for Class of 2015)

Calaveras County District Attorney's Office (San Andreas, CA): Deadline November 30, 2015, Symplicity ID # 349596 (for Class of 2015)

Sacramento County District Attorney's Office (Sacramento, CA): Deadline February 25, 2016, Symplicity ID # 349567 (for Class of 2018)

Rooney Law Firm (Chico, CA): Deadline December 16, 2015, Symplicity ID # 349564 (for Class of 2015)


Laughlin, Falbo, Levy & Moresi LLP (Sacramento, CA): Deadline November 24, 2015, Symplicity ID # 349516 (for Class of 2015, Class of 2016, Class of 2017)

California Civil Rights Law Group (San Anselmo, CA): Deadline January 31, 2016, Symplicity ID # 349515 (for Class of 2018, Class of 2017)

Brownstein Hyatt Farber Schreck LLP (Santa Barbara, CA): Deadline December 16, 2015, Symplicity ID # 349560 (for Class of 2017)

US Environmental Protection Agency, Office of General Counsel Honors Fellowship (Washington, DC): Deadline February 1, 2016, Symplicity ID # 349558 (for Class of 2016, Class of 2015)

Beeson Tayer & Bodine (Oakland, CA): Deadline December 8, 2015, Symplicity ID # 349445 (for Class of 2017)

Santa Clara County Bar Association Summer Bay Area Minority Clerkship (San Jose, CA): Deadline January 5, 2016 at 3:00 pm, Symplicity ID # 349476 (for Class of 2018)
Klarquist Sparkman, LLP (Portland, OR): Deadline January 31, 2016, Symplicity ID # 349301 (for Class of 2017)

Hanson Bridgett LLP (San Francisco, CA): Deadline ASAP, Symplicity ID # 349502 (for Class of 2015)

Hartford Financial Services Group (Los Angeles, CA): Deadline ASAP, Symplicity ID # 349505 (for Class of 2015)

Dowling Aaron Incorporated (Fresno, CA): Deadline January 28, 2016, Symplicity ID # 348613 (for Class of 2017)

Clayson, Mann, Yaeger & Hansen (Corona, CA): Deadline ASAP, Symplicity ID # 349444 (for Class of 2015)

Santa Clara County District Attorney’s Office (San Jose, CA): Deadline December 4, 2015, Symplicity ID # 349276 (for Class of 2016 and 2015)

Pacific Legal Foundation Libertarian Public Interest Litigation Fellowship (Sacramento, CA): Deadline December 31, 2015, Symplicity ID # 347693 (for Class of 2016 and 2015)

Seyfarth Shaw LLP (Los Angeles, CA): Deadline January 1, 2016, Symplicity ID # 349218 (for Class of 2017)

Van Der Hout, Brigagliano & Nightingale (San Francisco, CA): Deadline May 1, 2016, Symplicity ID # 349157 (for Class of 2016)

Contra Costa County Public Defender's Office (Martinez, CA): Deadline February 1, 2016, Symplicity ID # 349186 (for Class of 2017)

Pride Law Fund Tom Steel Post-Graduate Fellowship (San Francisco, CA): Deadline January 15, 2016, Symplicity ID # 349193 (for Class of 2016 and 2015)

The Law Offices of Deon R. Stein (Sacramento, CA): Deadline November 30, 2015, Symplicity ID # 349148 (for Class of 2015)

Timothy M. Cary and Associates (Cameron Park, CA): Deadline May 2, 2016, Symplicity ID # 348999 (for Class of 2017, 2016, and 2015)

City of Portland, Office of the City Attorney (Portland, OR): Deadline November 25, 2015, Symplicity ID # 348671 (for Class of 2016 and 2015)

Career Services Presentations -- Video Recordings Available

Did you miss a Career Services presentation? Video recordings of presentations are available on the intranet in the Mediasite Videos section. Please contact Career Services with any questions.

Questions? Contact the Career Services Office at careerservices@law.ucdavis.edu or call 530.752.6574