

# FUNDING YOUR PUBLIC SERVICE SUMMER WORK

# Financial Aid Options

## Federal Direct Loan Option

- If you did not borrow the entire amount of your 2021-2022 loans, you may use the funds for summer expenses. Check your award letter at [MyAwards](#).
- Request by April 29, 2022

## Federal Work-Study Option

- 2022-2023 FAFSA application by March 2
- Request by April 29, 2022
- Summer work-study allotments are part of your Spring and Fall 2021 academic year financial aid awards and will decrease the amount of financial aid loans available to you during the academic year. Please review the [work-study section](#) of website for more detailed information.

# King Hall Public Service Fellowships



The King Hall Legal Foundation  
(KHLF) Fellowships



The University of California  
Presidential (UCOP) Summer  
Public Service Law Fellowships

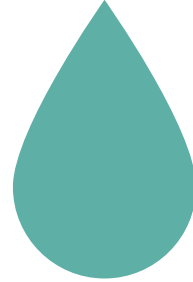


The John Paul Stevens Public  
Interest Fellowships

# King Hall Public Service Fellowships



Underserved Communities



Water Resources

# King Hall Legal Foundation Funding

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## About

KHLF is an independent, student-directed non-profit organization. A selection committee reviews applications and awards are granted based on a selection criteria developed in accordance with its mission.

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## Eligibility

member of KHLF (sign-ups last semester)

complete volunteer hours

secure work for an eligible non-profit or government agency

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## Amount

Depends on funding availability. Can receive other funding with a cap of \$10,000. Part-time work can be funded on a pro-rated basis.

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# UCOP Summer Public Service Fellowship

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## About

King Hall administers funds from the UC Office of the President Public Service Law Fellowship program. Number of fellowships offered each year is dependent on funding

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## Eligibility

Secure full-time position at non-profit organization or government agency (excludes judicial externship) prior to deadline

Perform at least 10 hours of volunteer public service work (or 5 KHLF auction hours)

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## Award

Maximum Possible \$4,000 for 1L students and \$4,500 for 2L students

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## Selection

Summer Fellowships will be awarded based on cumulative scores in turn until fellowship funds are exhausted.

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# John Paul Stevens Public Interest Fellowship

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## About

In partnership with the John Paul Stevens Foundation, the law school offers 6 Stevens Fellowships to law students working in unpaid public interest summer law positions.

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## Eligibility

Same eligibility requirements as UCOP

Position must be unpaid

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## Award

\$6,000

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## Selection

Awarded to the six highest cumulative scores

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# Underserved Communities Fellowship

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## About

We have a donor this year who has offered to fund a summer intern working in legal services, public defense, or any work that serves low-income and underserved communities.

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## Eligibility

Same eligibility requirements as UCOP

Working with low-income or underserved communities

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## Award

\$5,000

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## Selection

Awarded after John Paul Stevens to the next highest cumulative score that is doing eligible work

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# Water Resources Fellowship

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## About

We have a donor this year who has offered to fund summer interns working work on water resources issues – such as water sheds, water law, river protection, etc.

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## Eligibility

Same eligibility requirements as UCOP

Working in water law

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## Award

\$6,000

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## Selection

Awarded after John Paul Stevens to the next highest cumulative scores that are eligible

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# Selection Process

A committee reviews and scores the applications

The 6 highest cumulative scorers will receive Stevens Fellowships

UCOP Fellowships awarded to the next highest scorers, in turn, until fellowship funds are exhausted

## Scored Criteria:

Demonstrated  
commitment to  
public service

Strength of  
application  
materials

Impact of  
proposed work  
on vulnerable  
communities

Qualifications to  
perform work

Level of  
demonstrated  
need for  
fellowship

# Award Amount

John Paul Stevens Fellowship: \$6000

- cannot receive any funding from employer

UCOP: \$4000 (1L)/\$4500 (2L), reduced based other funding

- Any other funding received for the same work will be discounted .50 on the dollar
- While additional funding will reduce your UCOP award, your overall summer funding will never be less than the full UCOP Award
  - Ex: You get a \$2000 grant, your UCOP award will be \$3000/3500 (reduced by \$1000); your total for the summer will be \$5000/5500
- Any amount you receive for other work performed does not count against UCOP (e.g. research assistant or ride-share driver, etc.)

# Award Amount

KHLF: Depends on fundraising and number of applicants

- Must be a member of KHLF

Underserved Communities Fellowship: \$5000

- 1 fellowship available

Water Law Fellowship: \$6000

- Up to 3 fellowships available

# Application

Opens Feb 9 – April  
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Cover Sheet

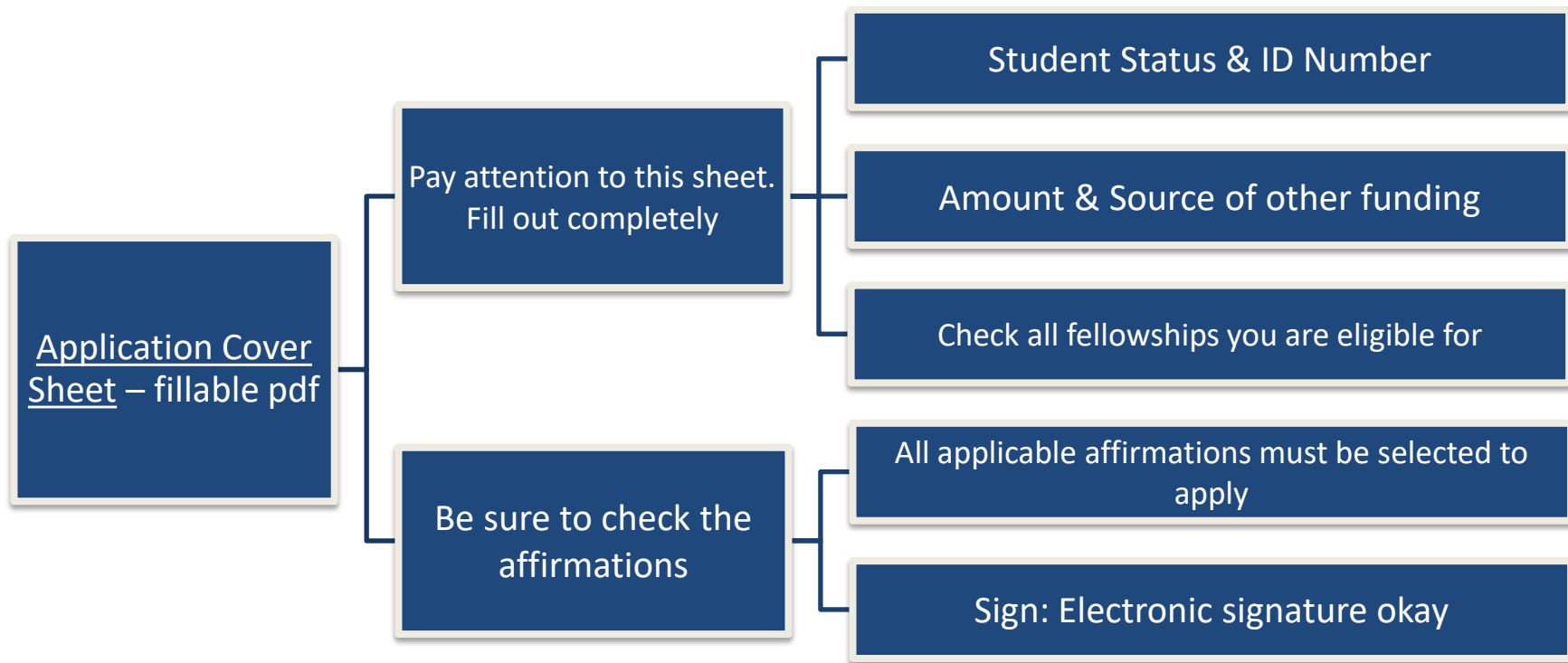
Resume

Statement of  
Purpose

Financial Need  
Paragraph

Confirmation of  
qualifying  
employment by  
employer

# Application



## Application Cover Sheet

Name \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Student Status  1L  2L Student ID # \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsoring Organization \_\_\_\_\_

City, State \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

**Application-Materials:** 1. Cover Sheet (this page) 2. Resume 3. Statement of Purpose  
4. Paragraph re funds 5. Confirmation from Host Organization

**If you are receiving any other funding for this position, either from the employer or another source, please indicate the amount: \$\_\_\_\_\_ and source: \_\_\_\_\_**

**I am applying for the following fellowship(s) – please check all that apply:**

- John Paul Stevens  UCOP  KHLF

**Fellowship Affirmations:<sup>1</sup> - please check all that apply to the fellowships you selected above**

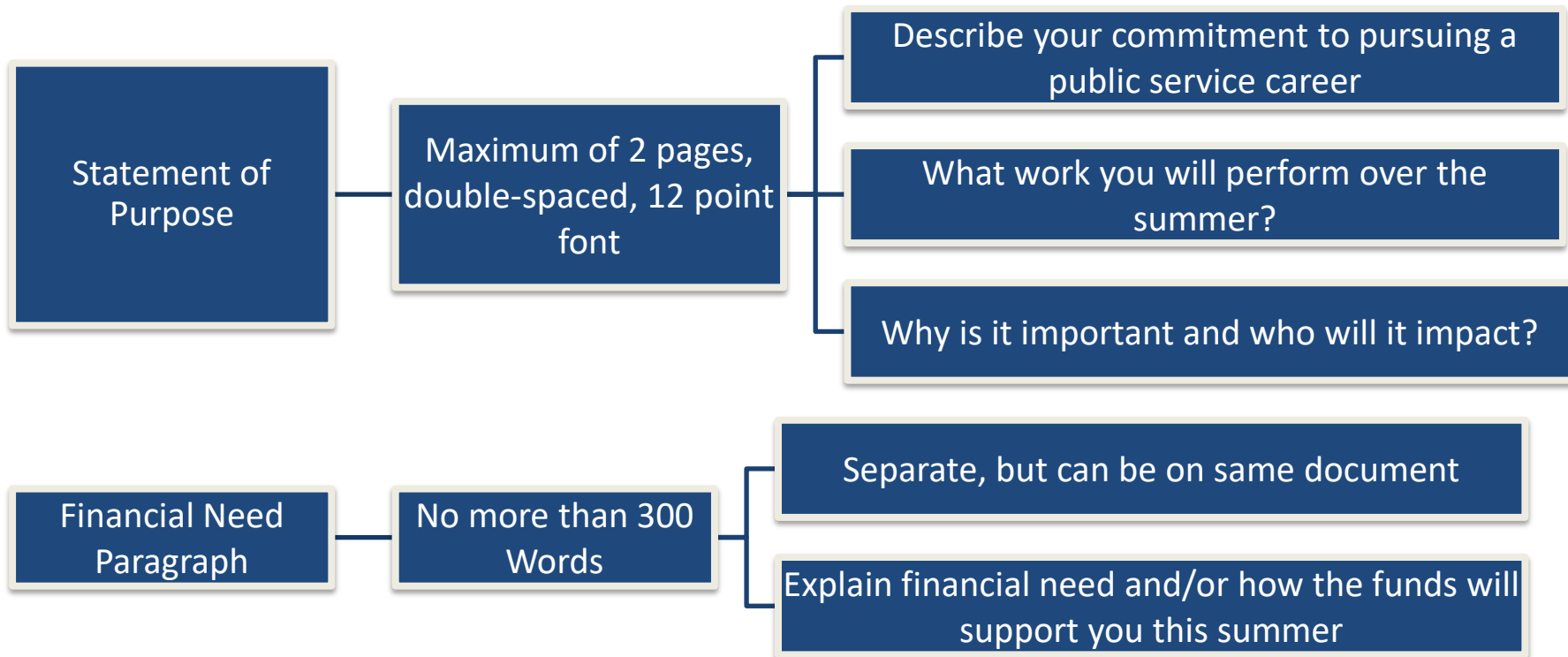
- I understand that fundamental changes to accepted proposals (e.g., different research topic, new partner organization, alternate location) are not permitted. **(required for all)**
- I certify that I will work full time for the host organization between the end of spring term and the start of the fall semester. **(required for JPS & UCOP)**
- I certify that I have performed at least 10 hours of public service/volunteer work OR at least five hours of volunteer work on behalf of KHLF. **(required for JPS & UCOP)**
- I certify that I am not receiving financial compensation from my host organization. **(required for JPS)**
- I certify that I am a KHLF member, that I have volunteered at least 10 hours of KHLF auction solicitation AND additional five hours volunteering at the KHLF auction, and that I am not seeking funding for prosecutorial work. **(required for KHLF)**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

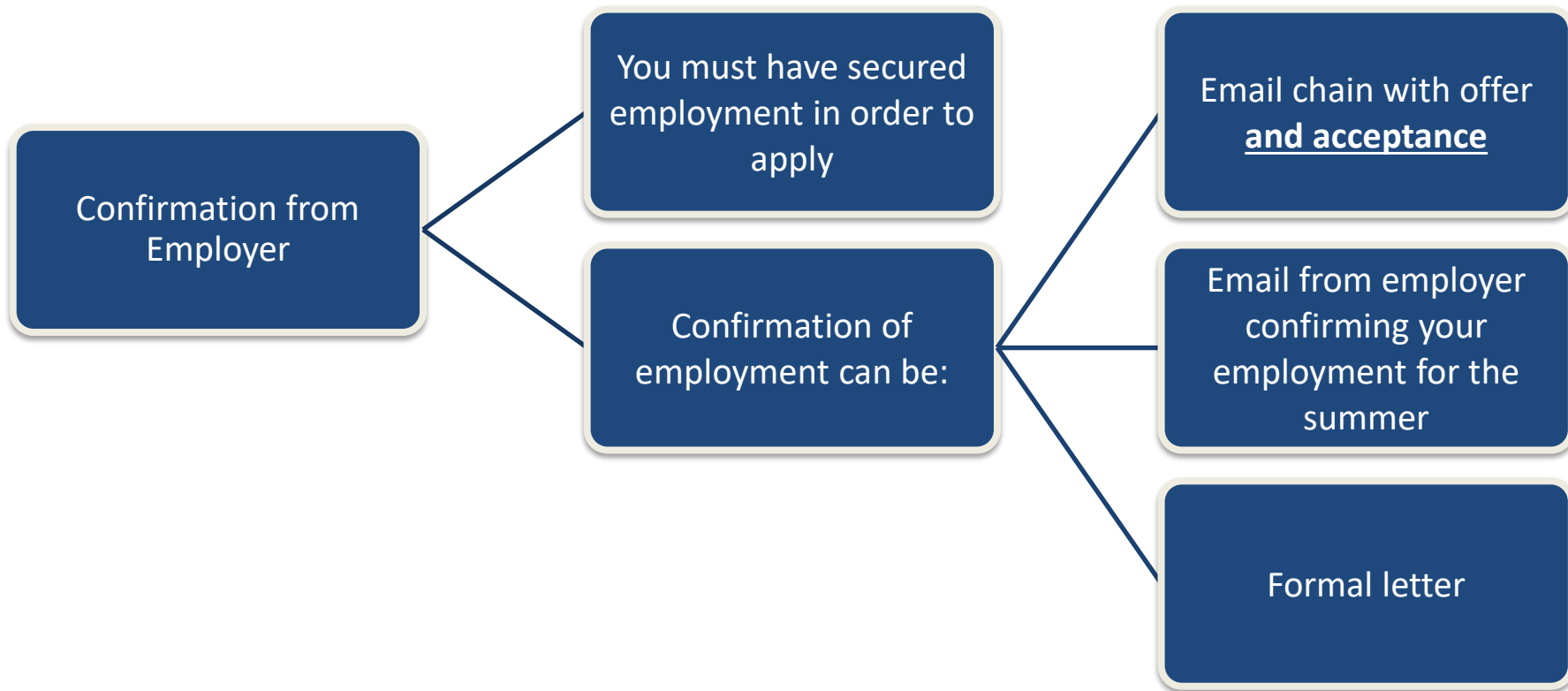
<sup>1</sup> Subject to verification. False affirmations may be subject to student discipline.

# Application





# Application



# Submitting Your Application

## Apply via Symplicity

- Upload all portions of the application to Symplicity as directed:
  - Cover sheet – upload as Document Type: Cover Letter
  - Statement of Purpose/Financial Paragraph – upload as Document Type: Writing Sample
  - Employer Verification – upload as Document Type: Other Documents
- Apply through the OCI & Resume Collections section
  - Session: Spring 2022 (Public Service Summer Funding Application)
- Applications can be submitted today through April 1 at 11pm
- All applications are reviewed after the deadline, does not matter when you apply during the open period, but late applications will not be accepted.

# Submitting Your Application

## Apply via Symplicity

> Submit

✕ Cancel

\* indicates a required field

### STUDENT DOCUMENT

Label \*

Document Type

- Resume
- Cover Letter **← Application Cover Sheet**
- Writing Sample **← Statement of Purpose w/ Financial Need Paragraph**
- Other Documents **← Employer Verification**

Maximum file size: 4 MB

File \*

Please select your document to upload.

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- OCI & Resume Collections**
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### Session

#### Spring 2022 (SMUD Resume Collection)

- Fall 2021 (Orange Co. District Attorney Resume Collection)
- Fall 2021 (PricewaterhouseCoopers Resume Collection)
- Fall 2021 (ON24 Resume Collection)
- Fall 2021 (San Diego City Attorney Resume Collection)
- Fall 2021 (Alston & Bird Resume Collection)
- Fall 2021 (Weinberg Rogers Rosenfeld Resume Collection)
- Fall OCI 2021 (Liebert Cassidy Whitmore)
- Fall 2021 (Small and Midsize Firm Fair Resume Collection)
- Fall 2021 (Public Interest & Government Fair Resume Collection)
- Fall 2021 (Eden Enterprises Resume Collection)
- Spring 2022 (SMUD Resume Collection)
- Spring 2022 (ON24 Resume Collection)
- Spring 2022 (Silicon Legal Strategy Resume Collection)
- Spring 2022 (UCOP Fellowships Resume Collection)
- Virtual Spring OCI 2022 (Jan 20 - Law In Technology)
- Spring 2022 (January Resume Collection)
- Spring 2022 (Saber Law Group Resume Collection)
- Virtual Spring OCI 2022 (Jan 31 - Feb 4)
- Spring 2022 (Campus Counsel Resume Collection)
- Spring 2022 (Public Interest Summer Funding Application)**

# Frequently Asked Questions

CHECK THE FAQs!:  
<https://law.ucdavis.edu/career-services/public-service-fellowships/summer-faq.html>

- Is my job eligible?
- What if I don't have a job by the deadline or want to accept another job after the deadline?
- What about the Workers' Rights Clinic? How do I submit/verify my hours? Is there a list of places to volunteer?
- When will I find out if I received the award?

# Other funding sources



**Local bar associations, affinity groups**

[Fellowships Page](#) has a small list of other summer funding sources



[PSJD.org](https://www.psjd.org)

Resource center – [summer funding primer](#)



**Some paid public service internships**



**Research Assistant**



**Non-legal job (ride-share, barrista, server, etc.)**

**QUESTIONS???**