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Explore or launch your career in reproductive justice through hands-on experience you can only get from a legal internship or post-graduate fellowship. This guide will help you find these key professional training and employment opportunities at 75 organizations working for reproductive health, rights, and justice across the United States. Their areas of focus range from health care provision to direct services to impact litigation and from shadow reporting to movement building.

Each entry in the guide includes information about the organization's mission, contact person and application process, as well as details about positions, projects, and eligibility. The guide is updated annually with the assistance of participating organizations. If you discover inaccuracies in existing entries or opportunities we have not included, please notify the LSRJ National Office at info@lsrj.org, and we will update the next version accordingly.

Contact the National Office for additional information or assistance in finding an internship or fellowship in the exciting field of reproductive rights and justice law. Expanding professional training for aspiring reproductive justice experts is one of our top organizational priorities. We look forward to assisting you in your quest.

Best of luck,



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ACLU Reproductive Freedom Project

Organization: Since its inception in 1920, the ACLU has recognized that personal privacy and reproductive rights are among the most important constitutional liberties. For over twenty years, the ACLU's Reproductive Freedom Project (RFP) has fought to expand reproductive rights and to protect those rights against government assaults.

Through litigation and advocacy, RFP lawyers work to challenge bans on safe abortion procedures; to strike prison policies that restrict reproductive rights, including by permitting shackling during labor or denying transportation for abortions; to restore Medicaid coverage for abortions to ensure real choice for low-income women; to defend the rights of pregnant women to make decisions about their health care and those who continue their pregnancies despite a drug dependency or other health condition; to promote teens' access to confidential reproductive health care; and to ensure that young people receive comprehensive sex education. The RFP is also the nation's leading expert on the intersection between reproductive rights and the religion and free speech clauses of the First Amendment.

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Internship Information

Details: The Fall Legal Interns will have the opportunity to gain valuable experience by working alongside the Reproductive Freedom Project team. Interns will assist in all aspects of litigation. The RFP Fall 2011 Legal Internship requires a 12 to 16 week commitment. The internship is part-time, with weekly hours negotiable. Interns are highly encouraged to obtain funding from outside sources, as the internship is unpaid. Arrangements can be made for work/study or course credit.

Application: Applicants should send a letter of interest, résumé, the names and telephone numbers of three references, an unofficial transcript, and a legal writing sample of no more than ten pages to hrjobs@aclu.org, referencing RFP Fall 2011 Legal Internship in subject line. Candidates are strongly encouraged to apply by **September 9, 2011**, but applications will be accepted until the internships are filled.

Details: The RFP Summer interns work on active litigation. Working closely with RFP staff, interns assist in all aspects of litigation including legal research, factual investigation, and drafting of memoranda, affidavits, and briefs. Knowledge of reproductive rights law is not required, but an interest in reproductive rights, civil liberties, racial and social justice, and issues affecting low income women is essential. Interns should pursue fellowships or other funding sources. For those without alternative funding, the RFP may provide a modest stipend.

Application: Applicants should send a letter of interest, résumé, the names and telephone numbers of two references, and a legal writing sample of five to ten pages to hrjobs@aclu.org, referencing RFP Summer 2012 Legal Internship in subject line. Candidates are strongly encouraged to apply by January 1st, but applications will be accepted until the positions are filled.

Legal Fellowship Information

Details: The ACLU Reproductive Freedom Project may sponsor at least one fellow annually. If the RFP is able to hire a fellow, an announcement will be on the ACLU's website. The Fellow functions as an integral part of the RFP's litigation teams. The Fellow provides legal research and analysis and may interview clients; draft pleadings, affidavits, and briefs; and participate in discovery. The Fellow may also do some public speaking and attend relevant conferences. The Fellowship is unique among reproductive rights positions in that it involves working with the ACLU's nationwide network of affiliates and attorneys in the organization who specialize in other civil liberties areas, including free speech, race and poverty issues, and lesbian and gay rights. The Fellowship is for one year. The salary will be according to the ACLU salary scale; salaries begin in the \$50,000s. Excellent health, medical, and dental benefits are provided. The Fellow works out of the ACLU's offices in Manhattan.

Application: Applicants should send a résumé, letter of interest, three references, and legal writing sample to hrjobs@aclu.org, attention of the RFP Fellowship Coordinator. Fellowship applications are usually due at the end of November. For more information, visit: <http://www.aclu.org/careers/3>.

Advocates for Informed Choice

Organization: AIC is dedicated to protecting the civil rights of children with intersex conditions. These children are born with internal or external sex organs that do not fit typical definitions of male and female. The routine practice of surgically "normalizing" the genital appearance of these children before they are able to consent has lately come under scrutiny, raising important legal, ethical, medical, and social questions. AIC's mission is to use innovative legal strategies to advocate for the civil rights of children born with variations of reproductive or sexual anatomy. The project engages intersex activists in strategy discussions, stimulates legal dialogue about the fundamental rights of children born with intersex conditions, and employs traditional and non-traditional legal tools to ensure justice for children born with intersex conditions. These activities are grounded in a sense of respect and compassion for the children, parents, doctors, and intersex adults involved. AIC uses a unique model of community lawyering, in which the agency serves as a bridge between legal strategists and grassroots activists to secure legal rights for a newly-forming community.

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Details: The internship will primarily involve research and writing on a range of topics, potentially including medical malpractice, informed consent, medical experimentation, parents' rights, children's rights, sex and gender, disability law, family law, bioethics, administrative law, medical risk management, and medical decision-making. This is a new and rapidly evolving area of law, and there is great potential here for a student interested in working on a writing project or publishable article. AIC is a small organization, and the intern will work closely with the Executive Director. The position is flexible and assignments will take the intern's interests and background into account. Summer interns are encouraged to seek outside sources of funding. AIC can assist students in obtaining outside funding or course credit. The project offices are located about 1 hour north of the SF Bay Area. Telecommuting and flexible scheduling may be possible for a motivated intern.

Application: Must be enrolled in accredited law school; have strong research and writing skills; be self-motivated and able to work with minimal supervision; and have familiarity with issues affecting the intersex community. Send or email cover letter, résumé, and transcript. Briefly address these questions:

- 1) What is your interest in working with the intersex community?
- 2) Do you have any experience with this population?
- 3) What research directions interest you?
- 4) What amount of time are you interested in devoting to this internship?

Candidates may email with questions about the project or the structure and scheduling of the internship. However, please first review the website at www.aiclegal.org. If intersex issues are new to you, please do some basic background reading as well.

The Alliance for Children's Rights

Organization: The Alliance for Children's Rights provides free legal services and advocacy to protect the rights of impoverished and abused children and youth so that they have safe, stable homes, health care and the education they need to thrive. The Alliance staff and extensive network of *pro bono* attorneys advocate directly for individual children, in addition to working for broader policy reform to serve over 6,500 children and youth each year. The Alliance cuts through the bureaucracy of the courts, medical offices, school districts, and government agencies to ensure the safety and future of Los Angeles' children.

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Details: The Alliance for Children's Rights offers continuous intern and extern opportunities for law students, social work students, and undergraduates. Interns and externs work with Alliance staff to advocate for impoverished and abused children and youth. A legal externship or internship with The Alliance for Children's Rights offers a broad range of legal and advocacy experiences for law students. It provides hands-on client contact and direct provision of legal services to people who might not otherwise have access to legal representation. The atmosphere is collegial, cooperative, and supportive. Interns/externs will:

- Prepare paperwork for a variety of legal matters.
- Attend court proceedings such as fair hearings, mediations, trials and the like.
- Attend meetings relating to children's issues.
- Attend and participate in legal and community trainings.
- Tour facilities for children, such as the Children's Court.
- Assist in the development of informational materials for clients.
- Conduct legal research and prepare pleadings and memoranda.
- Analyze and assess individual clients' needs.
- Participate in direct communication with clients.
- Review each case with a staff attorney to determine what assistance is needed.

Application: Please send résumé and cover letter to Diego Cartagena, Esq. at d.cartagena@kids-alliance.org or Fax: 213-368-6010.

Alliance for Justice

Organization: Alliance for Justice is a national association of public interest organizations spanning a range of issues, including civil rights, social justice, and consumer and environmental protection. Representing this broad constituency, Alliance for Justice is dedicated to leading progressive advocacy and strengthening the progressive movement.

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Details: Alliance for Justice in Washington, DC is seeking a Fall intern for its Advocacy Program. Over the course of the semester, the intern will gain experience working with grassroots organizations, researching nonprofit legal issues, knowledge of the legal framework governing nonprofit lobbying, and insight into the current political environment and its effect on nonprofit advocacy work in the United States. This is an unpaid internship.

Qualifications:

- Motivated, hardworking, and energetic
- Flexible and willing to take on a variety of assignments
- Experience with Microsoft Office 2010
- A strong interest in learning about nonprofit lobbying, public policy, and communications
- Available to work a minimum of 2 to 3 days per week

Duties:

- Research legal and political issues surrounding nonprofits
- Help prepare resources and training materials
- Attend meetings and events relevant to nonprofit lobbying and advocacy
- Filing, assisting with registration for trainings, and other administrative tasks as needed

Application: To apply, please submit cover letter, resume and writing sample to Carol Ott at carol@afj.org.

Judicial Selection Project Volunteer

Through its Judicial Selection Project, Alliance for Justice monitors nominees to the federal bench at all levels, maintaining a database and other information on the prospective and current judges. The Project also engages in substantial education of the public and of senators to ensure that only fair, qualified, individuals committed to social justice are confirmed.

Details: Each year, the Judicial Selection Project works with numerous volunteer law students who assist in the research for reports on nominees to the Circuit and Supreme Courts. The primary task assigned to most law student volunteers is reading and summarizing decisions that nominees have written as state or lower federal court judges. The purpose of the summaries is twofold: to identify whether the nominee fairly applied the law, without taking into account his or her political agenda, and to flag any potential controversy surrounding the case. These summaries will often go directly into the comprehensive report AFJ puts out on each nominee.

Application: Volunteering at AFJ is very flexible. Law student volunteers may pick up cases anytime during business hours, and they may work either at the office or from home. Volunteers choose the number of cases they take according to their available time, and they may email summaries back when they finish. Optimally, we would like to have summaries within about a week of the pick up date, but we recognize the rigors of law school and will be understanding if more time is needed. Volunteers will be supervised by Danielle Franco-Malone. For questions, email Danielle@afj.org.

American Civil Liberties Union of Alaska

Organization: The ACLU of Alaska is dedicated to protecting and preserving the civil liberties guaranteed by the Constitution.

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Details: The ACLU of Alaska has two annual unpaid summer clerkships for law students, and will arrange internships during the school year for those schools with a work-study format. Travel expenses up to \$750 will be reimbursed. While they are not solely focused on the issue of reproductive rights, such issues do comprise a significant portion of their legal caseload. The internships involve case intake work, interviewing prospective clients, and legal research. It is most likely that the reproductive rights element would arise in the last category. Please contact the office for more information.

Application: Send a résumé, cover letter, and legal writing sample.

American Civil Liberties Union of Northern California

Organization: The ACLU of Northern California is devoted to the protection of civil liberties, using a combination of litigation, negotiation, lobbying and grassroots organizing to achieve its goals. Legal work is done by the ACLU Foundation of Northern California, Inc. All legal interns work with the ACLU Foundation.

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Details: The ACLU of Northern California invites second- and third-year law students to apply for internships in the Legal Department of the San Francisco office. Internships are available during the school year and during the summer. Virtually all intern work involves civil liberties and constitutional law. The ACLU-NC's priorities include: Police Practices, Race Discrimination/Racial Justice, Student Rights, Lesbian & Gay Rights, Surveillance, Reproductive Rights, Immigrant Rights, Language Rights, Cyber Liberties, Criminal Justice, and First Amendment Rights.

Legal interns work with all attorneys, including the attorney who handles reproductive rights issues. Student interns perform legal research and writing, and occasionally draft portions of court papers. When possible, interns attend appellate arguments, trial proceedings and depositions. There is also a limited amount of fact investigation and individual complaint resolution. Student interns also participate in legal staff meetings. Student interns work with one or more of our staff attorneys.

The full-time internship is 40 hours per week. The part-time internship is 16 hours per week minimum. Part-time internships are not available during the summer. "Split" summers are not allowed. During the school year, most students work for credit only. Some work-study funding is available; grant matches are considered. For summer internships, students are encouraged to seek independent funding through their law school if available. If funding is not available, the ACLU-NC will provide a rate of \$12.00 per hour.

Application: Students should send one copy of their cover letter, résumé, writing sample and a list of references to Nigar Shaikh, ACLU of Northern California, 39 Drumm Street, San Francisco, CA 9411. Applicants are encouraged to submit information as early as possible as decisions are made on a rolling basis.

American Civil Liberties Union of Southern California

Organization: The ACLU of Southern California is the oldest and one of the largest ACLU affiliates in the nation. The Bill of Rights lays out the guiding principles of our democratic government: freedom and equality for all. It has served as the ACLU's blueprint for action since our inception. In 1983, the ACLU of Southern California became the first ACLU affiliate in the nation to recognize that liberty and equality are shaped by economic realities as well as by legal realities. Our Economic Bill of Rights articulates a vision of freedom that includes such rights as employment, adequate healthcare, housing, and more.

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Details: The ACLU Foundation of Southern California is accepting applications for spring and summer law clerks. Externships and summer law clerk positions are open to all law students. Students should be able to commit to a minimum of 20 hours each week during the school year. We are currently seeking law interns interested in working on national security and immigrant rights issues for the summer of 2010.

ACLU externs and law clerks gain hands-on experience in the full range of civil liberties and constitutional rights cases. Students are involved in research and preparation of legal memoranda, fact investigations, clients and witness interviews, discovery, pre-trial motions, handling of expert witnesses, as well as accompanying lawyers at court appearances.

The ACLU of Southern California has limited resources and will be able to pay small stipends to only a few of its summer law clerks and externs. Students are encouraged to apply for Public Interest Law Foundation Grants or other grants and to investigate work-study options as alternative sources of compensation.

Students should submit their applications for summer position beginning in November. Please note that due to the large number of resumes, ACLU of SC is unable to answer each student personally or return submitted writing samples. Those selected for interviews will be contacted; interviews may be conducted on the telephone for students living outside the Southern California area. Summer hiring decisions are made on a rolling basis. Most offers are made by January, though some may be made later in the Spring.

People of color, women, people with disabilities, people over 55, and people who are lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, or intersex are particularly encouraged to apply.

Application: Applications will not be considered without a cover letter and writing sample. Email application to acluscinternship@gmail.com or mail.

American Civil Liberties Union of Georgia

Organization: The mission of the ACLU of Georgia is to advance the cause of civil liberties in Georgia, with emphasis on the rights of free speech, free press, free assembly, freedom of religion, and due process of law, and to take all legitimate action in the furtherance of such purposes without political partisanship. ACLU of Georgia priorities include Reproductive Justice, Immigrants' Rights, Racial Justice, and the School to Prison Pipeline.

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Details: General Reproductive Justice Internships are unpaid and available year-round with a minimum of 10 hours weekly. Project specific interns are needed to commit 15-20 hours per week to focus on anti-shackling legislation, building relationships around reproductive justice with faith-based communities, and lobbying during the 2012 session of the Georgia General Assembly.

Application: Please contact info@acluga.org for more information.

American Civil Liberties Union of Illinois

Organization: The Reproductive Rights Project challenges numerous restrictive abortion laws enacted by the Illinois General Assembly. It mounts successful court challenges to these laws and fights at every level of the courts. As the legal advocate of reproductive freedom in Illinois, the Project provides free legal services to people whose reproductive rights are jeopardized, and serves as the legal advisor to pro-choice organizations statewide.

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Details: Legal interns assist senior staff counsel in litigation and other advocacy. Qualifications include self-motivation, commitment to civil liberties and reproductive rights, and excellent research and writing skills.

Application: Send a résumé, letter of interest, list of three references, law school transcript, and a legal writing sample. There is a rolling deadline.

American Civil Liberties Union of Kansas and Western Missouri

Organization: The job of the ACLU of Kansas and Western Missouri is to advocate on behalf of the rights guaranteed by the Bill of Rights. At any given time we are working on a wide range of civil liberties issues all across the region, including freedom of speech, reproductive freedom, separation of church and state, and the rights of the LGBT community. Reproductive freedom is one of our key issues.

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Details: Legal internships focus on civil liberties areas but are not necessarily specific to reproductive rights. Interns may or may not be working on reproductive issues, depending on what the office is doing at the moment. The legal internship is designed to expose interns to the legal aspects of public interest work. Projects will mostly involve factual and legal research into constitutional issues such as students' rights, privacy, due process, religious freedom, gay and lesbian rights, and free speech. Interns will have an opportunity to work with the Legal Director, who will assign projects and research. These internships are unpaid, but you will gain valuable information and experience you can use. Hours and days are flexible and negotiable. Interns are expected to work a minimum of 8 hours a week.

Application: Interested individuals should submit a résumé and letter of interest. No phone calls. Deadlines: winter internships, December 1; summer internships, March 1; fall internships, August 1. Applications are accepted on a rolling basis; early applications are encouraged.

Maine Civil Liberties Union

Organization: The Maine Civil Liberties Union advances and preserves the civil liberties of Maine residents through litigation, advocacy, public education and lobbying. The MCLU follows these basic principles: the right of free expression; the right to dissent; the right to religious freedom; the right to equal treatment for all people; the right to fair play in encounters with government; and the right to be let alone, to be secure from interference in private matters.

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Details: The MCLU welcomes the opportunity to work with a legal intern interested in reproductive rights. The position would be unpaid, but the intern would have a chance to work in one of the most pro-choice states in the country.

Application: Send a résumé, cover letter, and transcript.

American Civil Liberties Union of Maryland

Organization: The Maryland ACLU's mission is to ensure that all people in the State of Maryland are free to think and speak as they choose and can lead their lives free from discrimination and unwarranted government intrusion. Guided in its work by the Bill of Rights and the Maryland Declaration of Rights, the Maryland ACLU acts without partisanship to achieve these goals.

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Details: Interns participate in all aspects of the ACLU's legal program. Depending on their interests and the organization's needs, they may be assigned to a particular case (such as the housing desegregation case), or may be asked to assist volunteer or staff counsel working on potential or pending litigation. Interns can expect to conduct legal and factual research, interview potential plaintiffs and witnesses, draft correspondence and legal memos, and, where possible, draft briefs or motions in pending cases. Whatever the task, interns gain valuable skills and experience, and an appreciation for the practice of public interest law. Applicants should have excellent research and writing skills, a demonstrated commitment to public interest work, and a healthy sense of humor. They should also be comfortable working with clients from a variety of socio-economic backgrounds with a wide range of needs.

Yolanda Gregory Scott Interns work with the legal staff to help process requests for legal assistance by fielding phone calls, helping with general case investigation and research, and providing general office support. Interns work on reproductive rights issues, but the Maryland ACLU cannot guarantee that an intern would be able to work solely on that issue. Start and end dates and hours are flexible. They prefer a commitment of at least 8 hours per week for at least 10 weeks during the school year. Summer interns are expected to work at least 2 or 3 days a week; full-time interns are preferred. The Maryland ACLU offers internships for credit only; all internships are unpaid. The Yolanda Gregory Scott Internship is typically for undergraduate students.

Application: Interested students should send a cover letter, résumé, legal writing sample, official or unofficial transcript, and the name of at least two references to Amy Cruice at cruice@aclu-md.org. Applications will be evaluated on a rolling basis until all positions are filled, but students should apply before the end of February 2012 to ensure consideration. Students who have completed their first year of law school will be considered, but preference will be given to students who have completed their second year, or who have taken constitutional law. Summer interns are expected to work 40 hours per week for ten weeks. The ACLU-MD has no funding for summer interns, but can assist students in applying for grants from other sources.

American Civil Liberties Union of Massachusetts

Organization: The ACLU Foundation of Massachusetts provides legal representation for individuals and groups whose civil rights and civil liberties, including reproductive rights, have been threatened or denied. Its work covers a range of constitutional rights, such as freedom of speech, separation of church and state, privacy, equality, and freedom from governmental abuse. In addition to litigation, the ACLU of Massachusetts also submits friend-of-the-court briefs in appropriate cases. A separate internship may also be available with our related (not tax exempt) organization, the ACLU of Massachusetts, assisting our legislative staff who work to support or oppose legislation at the state house, including bills on reproductive rights and sex education issues.

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Details: Legal interns perform a wide range of tasks, from legal research and writing, to help with discovery, fact investigations, and on occasion, trial. Internships are available full-time in the summer and part-time in the school year. Summer interns generally are able to obtain public interest funding from their schools; we have at times participated in the work-study program for eligible students.

Application: The deadline to apply for summer internships is December 31. Applications for the school year are accepted on a rolling basis. Applicants should submit a cover letter and résumé.

American Civil Liberties Union of Michigan

Organization: The ACLU of Michigan defends the Bill of Rights – litigating, legislating, and educating the public on a broad array of issues affecting freedom in the United States.

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Details: A legal internship with the American Civil Liberties Union of Michigan provides students with a unique opportunity to work on cutting edge civil liberties and civil rights cases. The ACLU litigates impact cases addressing a wide range of constitutional issues such as free speech, religious freedom, reproductive rights, right to privacy, right to due process and equal protection, voting rights, and the rights of people of color, women, gay men and lesbians, and prisoners. Law students may be asked to work on many aspects of potential and ongoing cases such as: drafting memoranda addressing the merits of a case, meeting with and interviewing plaintiffs and witnesses, and drafting complaints and briefs. Students may also be asked to analyze the constitutionality of pending legislation or help with discovery. Legal interns will be supervised by the legal director. They will sometimes be asked to assist a cooperating attorney on a pending case or to work with the executive director, legislative director, Racial Justice Project staff attorney, LGBT Project staff attorney and/or general staff attorney. The ACLU of Michigan usually has at least one reproductive rights case on its docket; however, interns work on a broad range of civil liberties issues. Applicants must have finished their first year of law school, have strong research and writing skills, and have a commitment to civil liberties and civil rights. Students who have studied constitutional law are preferred. Most law schools will give students credit for an ACLU internship during the school year or the summer. Some law schools offer student-funded fellowships or other grants to ACLU summer interns. Unfortunately, the ACLU cannot pay its interns.

Application: Please send or email a cover letter, résumé, and legal writing sample.

American Civil Liberties Union of Minnesota

Organization: The ACLU-MN fights to protect the civil liberties of Minnesotans through litigation, public education, and lobbying related to legislation that impacts civil liberties and civil rights.

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Details: Legal interns work on a broad range of civil liberties issues, including reproductive rights. Interns investigate complaints to the ACLU-MN; interview complainants; contact government agencies; use the Data Practices Act to obtain information; write summaries of investigation findings; assist legal staff in preparing reports to the ACLU-MN Board of Directors; respond to requests for information from the public; assist in monitoring civil liberties issues in the legislature; gather information for lobbying, research and writing related to legislation that impacts civil liberties; maintain contact with allied organizations; and conduct legal research on potential civil liberties violations. Applicants should be law students with experience in legal research and writing; have an interest in and commitment to the preservation of civil liberties; have experience with online legal research, Microsoft Word, Access and Excel; have the ability to work with a diverse population in a professional manner; have good problem solving and information gathering skills, have knowledge of how government and bureaucracies work; and have knowledge of basic information resources. Spring and summer interns must commit a minimum of 15 hours per week. Starting date is flexible, and schedule is flexible as to number of hours per day and which days are worked each week. This is an unpaid internship.

Application: Send a cover letter and résumé.

American Civil Liberties Union of Eastern Missouri

Organization: The ACLU of Eastern Missouri (ACLU-EM) is dedicated to the preservation and promotion of civil liberties in eastern Missouri. The ACLU-EM defends civil liberties and the principles of equality and justice in eastern Missouri through its litigation, legislative, and public education programs.

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Details: A legal clerkship for first, second or third-year law students is available year-round. While

the job description is not project-specific, reproductive rights is a central aspect of ACLU-EM's work protecting civil liberties, and law clerks often sign up to focus on specific subject areas like reproductive rights. Interns will gain hands-on experience working on real cases; improve legal research and writing skills; get extensive feedback on written product; learn how to manage case files and develop strong client communication skills; work on complex, cutting-edge constitutional law and civil liberties issues; work on a wide variety of legal matters; if Rule 13 certified, have the opportunity to participate in court hearings and other legal procedures; meet and work with a wide variety of attorneys; work in a relaxed environment with flexible hours; and may qualify for work-study or public interest stipends. Duties include assisting the Legal Director in developing cases for litigation; conducting legal research on civil liberties matters; preparing legal memoranda analyzing Constitutional Law and Civil Liberties issues; drafting demand letters, pleadings, and briefs in cases; interviewing clients and engaging in client counseling; attending meetings of the ACLU-EM Legal Steering Committee; attending court hearings on cases; participating in other special intern activities; organizing and managing case files; and meeting with lawyers and clients as needed in cases. A legal clerkship for first, second or third-year law students is available year-round. Applicants should have basic legal research and writing skills, be familiar with Lexis or Westlaw, and have an interest in constitutional law and civil liberties, though coursework in these areas is not necessary.

Application: Send a cover letter, résumé, and legal writing sample.

American Civil Liberties Union of Nebraska

Organization: ACLU Nebraska is devoted exclusively to the defense and promotion of the individual rights secured by the U.S. and Nebraska constitutions.

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Details: Although the internships are unpaid, ACLU of Nebraska will accommodate students who would like to receive credit for their program.

Application: Please send a résumé, cover letter, and legal writing sample.

American Civil Liberties Union of New Jersey

Organization: The ACLU of New Jersey works to defend liberty throughout our state. The ACLU-NJ is involved in litigation and advocacy on behalf of individuals, and it lobbies on scores of bills in the New Jersey State legislature and local councils. In addition, the ACLU-NJ is active in many public education and community organizing projects. The ACLU of New Jersey is located in Newark. The ACLU-NJ implements legal, legislative, public education programs in conjunction with large numbers of volunteers to advance the ACLU-NJ's goals of liberty and justice for all. A statewide Board of Trustees sets policy, raises funds, and provides legal and fiduciary oversight.

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Post Office Box 32159

Newark, New Jersey 07102
(973) 642-2084
<http://www.aclu-nj.org/>

Details: The ACLU-NJ seeks highly motivated law students for unpaid summer internships. Legal internships are full-time during the summer and last a minimum of ten weeks and during the rest of the year are part-time and run the length of the students' school semester or quarter. Law students gain exposure to a broad range of civil liberties and civil rights issues. Students work closely with the Legal Director and Staff Attorney conducting legal research, writing legal memoranda, and drafting correspondence to government agencies in response to documented complaints of civil liberties and civil rights violations.

Educational benefits include obtaining hands-on experience in applying constitutional theories and case law to legal problems, and learning how to conduct factual investigation of complaints. Students become familiar with administrative regulations and agency protocols, while developing a practical understanding of constitutional law. Academic credit can be arranged.

Application: Applicants must submit an Internship Application Form. During the online application process, all applicants will be required to submit a cover letter, résumé, and a writing sample. If the candidate is selected for an interview, references and unofficial transcripts may be requested. Internship Application available at <http://www.aclu-nj.org/takeaction/internships/applicationform/>

New York Civil Liberties Union – Reproductive Rights Project

Organization: The Reproductive Rights Project (RRP) is a program of the New York Civil Liberties Union, the New York State affiliate of the ACLU. The RRP engages in complex and pro-active litigation, public education, and advocacy to ensure access to reproductive health care for individuals in New York, particularly those most vulnerable to the anti-choice agenda: low income women, women of color, and young people. The RRP broadly defines reproductive rights to include not only defense of abortion rights but also care related to sexual health, equal treatment of pregnant women in employment, accurate and uncensored sex and HIV/AIDS education in the schools, and equal educational opportunity for pregnant and parenting teenagers.

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New York, NY 10004
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<http://www.nyclu.org/>

Details: The RRP is seeking law student applicants for fall and spring internships. Interns will participate in litigation, legal analysis, legislative analysis, public education, and advocacy regarding a broad range of issues including: abortion, family planning, reproductive health care coverage in public and private insurance, confidentiality in health care, HIV/AIDS and sex education, pregnancy discrimination, defending clinics against anti-choice efforts, contraceptive equity, childcare and reproductive technology.

NYCLU is proud to be an affirmative action employer. All people of color, women, persons with disabilities and persons who are lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgendered or intersex are encouraged to apply.

Application: Applications are accepted on a rolling basis. Applicants should send a cover letter, résumé, and writing sample.

American Civil Liberties Union of North Carolina

Organization: ACLU of North Carolina's mission is to secure, protect and defend the freedoms and civil liberties of all North Carolinians through litigation, legislation and public education; and to educate the people of North Carolina about their legal and civil rights, and freedoms through empowerment and outreach and open forums.

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Details: Legal interns may have the chance to work on reproductive rights, but the focus of the internship will depend upon what the office is working on at the time of the internship. Legal interns assist staff with legal research and writing projects. These projects usually involve writing detailed legal memorandum involving the First, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Eighth or Fourteenth Amendments to the U.S. Constitution and analogous state constitutional provisions. Legal interns may also have the opportunity to attend court proceedings and other career development opportunities. All internship positions have project responsibilities as well as administrative duties. Although our internships are unpaid, we will accommodate students who would like to receive credit for their program. All legal interns must currently be attending law school.

Application: Send a cover letter, résumé, transcripts, and writing sample.

American Civil Liberties Union of Tennessee

Organization: The ACLU of Tennessee is dedicated to translating the guarantees of the Bill of Rights into realities for all Tennesseans. The principles ACLU-TN fights for include: the right to free speech and expression; the right to freely practice any religion or no religion; the right to equal treatment, regardless of race, ethnicity, gender, age, religion, disability, or sexual orientation; the right to reproductive freedom; and the right to privacy. Underlying these principles is the most fundamental freedom of all: the right to be left alone and conduct one's life free from government input or intrusion.

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Details: The ACLU of Tennessee offers two to three clerkships per summer. Academic year internships are available as well. For more information, please contact the office or check the website.

Application: Please send a cover letter, résumé, and legal writing sample.

American Civil Liberties Union of Texas

Organization: The ACLU of Texas advocates, lobbies, and litigates to protect everyone's right to make informed decisions free from government interference about whether and when to become a parent. We work on issues including access to adequate reproductive health care; consent and notification laws affecting minors; and other matters which affect reproductive freedom and other civil liberties issues.

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Details: The ACLU of Texas does not have designated funding for an internship or fellowship which focuses on reproductive rights. We would welcome any proposal for an internship or fellowship focusing on reproductive rights issues in Texas. They do not have a designated pool of funding to offer, but they would be happy to assist in obtaining funding.

Application: Email or send a résumé, cover letter and a brief writing sample (5 pages or less). No phone calls, please.

American Civil Liberties Union of Utah

Organization: The Constitution grants the government its power and the Bill of Rights restricts that power and guarantees individual rights and liberties. The ACLU of Utah works to ensure that our government respects these limits. For more information, visit <http://www.acluutah.org>.

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Salt Lake City, UT 84103
Phone: (801) 521-9862 ext. 108
Fax: (801) 532-2850
aclu@acluutah.org

Details: As a general rule, the ACLU of Utah cannot offer work specific to one area. Legal interns

focus on First Amendment freedoms of speech, assembly, and religion, and also privacy, due process, and equal protection found in the Bill of Rights. One law clerk position is available in the fall, spring, and summer. Sometimes more than one intern can be accepted at a time, depending on staffing and work needs.

Application: Please send a résumé, cover letter, list of three references, and legal writing sample.

American Civil Liberties Union of Virginia

Organization: The ACLU of Virginia uses lobbying, litigation, and public education to promote civil rights and civil liberties in the state. The principal mission of the ACLU of Virginia is to protect the constitutional rights that government tends to erode – the right of free speech, the right to reproductive freedom, the right not to be unreasonably searched, the right to religious freedom and our civil rights. The ACLU of Virginia also works to advance rights clearly intended by our Constitution, but never fully implemented in our society. These rights, such as the right of privacy and right of equal treatment for racial minorities, women, gay men and lesbians, and disabled persons, remain unrealized in Virginia.

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Details: The ACLU of Virginia offers one unpaid summer internship every year. It does not focus on reproductive rights, though the intern might deal with such subjects if they arise during the course of the summer. A student intern at the ACLU of Virginia will work closely with the Legal Director, who will supervise the intern. In addition to his or her interactions with the supervising attorney, the intern will have the opportunity to consult with cooperating attorneys and attorneys from the ACLU national office, each of whom has deep and varied experience to offer.

The intern will be an integral part of the legal program, and will contribute as much and in as many ways as his or her ability allows. The intern will assist in the development of ACLU cases from initial intake, through interviews, factual investigation, and legal research, to litigation. Cases that do present such issues are considered for presentation to the legal panel, a lawyers' committee of the Virginia ACLU Board that meets regularly to discuss cases in depth. The intern may assist in written and oral presentations to the Legal Panel, and take part in case discussions. The student may help develop board-approved cases into actual lawsuits. Many matters are disposed of informally by negotiation or other means, and the student's role can extend into these functions as well. When the ACLU does end up litigating a case, the intern will be encouraged to attend court and depositions with the supervising attorney and/or cooperating attorney, and will participate in researching and writing pleadings. Because ACLU litigation often involves imminent threats, or harms already occurring, to the exercise of constitutional rights, suits to enforce those rights must often be handled quickly. Tough legal issues can arise that call for virtually instant response, often in unsympathetic forums, testing the skill, commitment, and dedication of all who participate.

Application: Send a cover letter, résumé, and legal writing sample to acluva@acluva.org.

American Civil Liberties Union of Washington Foundation

Organization: The ACLU of Washington works to defend liberty throughout our state. We are involved in litigation and advocacy on behalf of individuals, and we lobby on scores of bills in the state legislature and local councils. In addition, the ACLU of Washington is active in many public education and community organizing projects.

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ACLU of Washington Foundation
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Details: Open to 1st and 2nd year law students. The American Civil Liberties Union of Washington (ACLU-WA) is pleased to offer unpaid summer and school-year intern/externships to interested law school students. A minimum commitment of 12 hours per week is required during the school year. Summer positions are full-time and last a minimum of seven weeks. At the ACLU, law students gain exposure to a broad range of civil liberties and civil rights issues and an opportunity to improve legal writing and research skills. Students work closely with staff attorneys conducting legal research, writing legal memoranda, and drafting correspondence to government agencies in response to documented complaints of civil liberties and civil rights violations. Students also assist ACLU attorneys in the development of cases for litigation, preparation of cases for trial and submission of amicus curiae briefs in courts of appeal.

Educational benefits include obtaining hands-on experience in applying constitutional theories and case law to legal problems, and learning how to conduct factual investigation of complaints. Students become familiar with administrative regulations and agency protocols, while developing a practical understanding of constitutional law. Academic credit can be arranged. Prerequisites include academic standing as a 1st or 2nd year law student, an interest in civil liberties and civil rights, good interpersonal and analytical skills, and the ability to write in a clear and concise manner.

Women, people of color, LGBT people, and people with disabilities are especially encouraged to apply.

Application: Interested students should submit a cover letter, résumé and legal writing sample.

American Civil Liberties Union of West Virginia

Organization: ACLU-WV is a nonpartisan, nonprofit membership organization whose mission is to fulfill the promise of the Bill of Rights for all West Virginians and expand the reach of its guarantees to new areas.

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Charleston, WV 25339-3952
Phone: (304) 345-9246
mail@acluwv.org
<http://acluwv.org/>

Details: The ACLU of West Virginia does not currently have an internship in reproductive rights, but would be willing to work with interested law students to create an internship.

Application: Please contact the office for more details.

American Civil Liberties Union of Wisconsin Foundation

Organization: Through a program of public education, informal advocacy, and targeted impact litigation, the ACLU of Wisconsin Foundation seeks to maintain and advance civil liberties, including freedoms of association, press, religion, and speech, as well as core civil rights, including voting rights, due process and privacy rights, and the right to equal protection, for all people in Wisconsin.

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<http://www.acluwi.org/>

Details: The ACLU of Wisconsin Foundation does not have a specific legal internship in reproductive health, but typically has two or three full-time law student interns each summer and may have an additional undergraduate intern or two each summer. The ACLU-WIF does not pay volunteers any salary or other compensation or provide any insurance or other benefits. The ACLU-WIF does complete any paperwork a volunteer may need in order to obtain funding from another source for work done in connection with the internship. Summer student interns are generally assigned to work on between one and three cases in active litigation being handled by the ACLU-WIF. Interns are supervised directly by the ACLU-WIF legal director and staff attorneys working on these cases, but may also work with cooperating pro bono counsel from the private bar and attorneys from the ACLU national office. Students conduct legal research and draft internal memoranda, maintain contact with clients and may draft pleadings and briefs, participate in litigation strategy meetings, respond to discovery demands, prepare witnesses and accompany attorneys to court appearances. Student interns are exposed to both the procedural and substantive aspects of public interest impact litigation through work on the cases to which they are assigned. Although the student interns will focus on the specific cases to which they are assigned, there may be opportunities to do some work on other cases or projects on which the office is working. The ACLU-WIF may also have part-time internship positions during the school year.

Application: Contact the office for more information.

California Latinas for Reproductive Justice (CLRJ)

Organization: CLRJ is a statewide policy and advocacy organization whose mission is to advance California Latinas' reproductive health and rights within a social justice and human rights framework. CLRJ works to ensure that policy developments reflect Latinas' priority needs, as well as those of their families and their communities. Visit their website: <http://www.californialatinas.org/>

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Details: CLRJ seeks a Policy Research Intern to work directly with the Senior Research Director. The individual must be motivated and demonstrate a commitment to advance reproductive health as a human right and support reproductive justice for all people. The internship will allow the student to develop her/his own skills in public policy, advocacy and public health research to advance Latinas' reproductive justice. The Policy Research Intern will work in a friendly environment and learn with/from a wide variety of experiences in the CLRJ staff. Commitment entails approximately 6 - 16 hours per week and length of project will be arranged depending on the Intern's availability. This internship is unpaid. The internship is located in downtown Los Angeles and working from a remote location can be considered as part of the overall project. The Policy Research Intern is an integral part of the CLRJ team, working to support CLRJ's Program Team and Senior Research Director to advance its core policy priorities. The Policy Research Intern will dedicate a significant percentage of time working on CLRJ's Justice for Young Families (J4YF) Initiative to promote the health, equity and dignity of young families. Spanish language proficiency (oral and written), preferred.

Application: please send a resume and two writing samples to Ena Valladares at Ena.clrj@gmail.com.

California Women's Law Center

Organization: The California Women's Law Center (CWLC) works to ensure, through systemic change, that life opportunities for women and girls are free from unjust social, economic, and political constraints. CWLC forges novel approaches to the problems that confront women and girls, proposes unique strategies to implement those approaches, and recasts relevant issues in new and thought-provoking terms. Issue priorities include: gender discrimination, women's health, violence against women, and reproductive justice.

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Details: CWLC seeks law students interested in internships. Each student will assist on a variety of projects, which will include researching, writing legal memoranda, analyzing legislation, and working with various coalitions and community groups on outreach, public education and advocacy. Interns are assigned to an attorney working within a specific issue area. Thus, students interested in reproductive rights may be able to work solely in this area, although CWLC cannot guarantee that a student will be assigned to their first choice. CWLC cannot provide funding for interns.

Application: Mail, email, or fax a cover letter, résumé, and short writing sample to the CWLC. Applications for fall, winter, and spring are accepted on a rolling basis. Applications for summer are accepted until March 1.

Center for Reproductive Rights

Organization: The Center for Reproductive Rights uses the law to advance reproductive freedom as a fundamental right that all governments are obligated to protect, respect and fulfill. Reproductive freedom lies at the heart of the promise of human dignity, self-determination, and equality embodied in both the U.S. Constitution and the Universal Declaration of Human Rights. The power of law, in turn, ensures that this promise will not ring hollow. Laws and legal norms will, in the end, determine whether women will be free to decide whether and when to have children; whether they will have access to contraception, abortion, healthcare information, and safe pregnancy care; and whether they will make reproductive healthcare choices without coercion. Changing laws and legal norms does not immediately change the reality of women's lives, of course, but, when integrated with other strategies, the law is a catalyst for fundamental social change.

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www.reproductiverights.org

Details: The Summer Intern Program is ten weeks long. Applicants are encouraged to obtain funding from law schools or other sources; limited funding is available from the Center. Applicants are expected to have strong legal research and writing skills and a demonstrated interest in gender/women's issues and reproductive rights. Applications are accepted from 1Ls, 2Ls, 3Ls and LL.M. candidates.

United States Legal Program (USLP)

The United States Legal Program represents women, physicians, and reproductive healthcare facilities throughout the country in litigation designed to preserve and improve access to a full range of reproductive health services, including abortion, contraception, and reproductive technologies. Their active litigation docket includes challenges to restrictions and bans on abortion, discriminatory and restrictive abortion funding policies, and the defense of pregnant women being prosecuted for their behavior during pregnancy. Approximately four positions are available in New York City. Direct inquiries to the USLP Intern Committee at the address above or email applications to resumes@reprorights.org with "United States Legal Program Intern, the applicant's last name and specific code number" in the subject line. Please visit our website for specific information at www.reproductiverights.org.

International Legal Program (ILP)

The International Legal Program collaborates with women's advocates around the world to promote and defend internationally recognized reproductive rights. Their activities include: working to enforce reproductive rights norms in national, regional and United Nations fora; developing advocacy tools to support the work of reproductive rights lawyers worldwide; and monitoring, analyzing, and making accessible international and national legal and policy developments relating to reproductive rights. Approximately four positions are available in New York City. Direct inquiries to the International

Legal Program Intern Committee at the address above or email applications to resumes@reprorights.org with “International Legal Program Intern, the applicant’s last name and specific code number” in the subject line. Please visit our website for specific information at www.reproductiverights.org.

Government Relations Program

To leverage our work to accomplish federal advocacy goals, the Center has opened an office in Washington, DC. Led by the Government Relations Director, the office integrates advocacy into the current portfolio at the Center, and represents our unique views on Capitol Hill, in the State Department, and before executive branch agencies. The Center is committed to advocating boldly for the centrality of abortion rights and women’s access to abortion services in the pro-choice agenda, and our human rights mandate and expertise in constitutional, comparative and international law give the Center a unique policy perspective. Approximately 1-2 internship positions are available in the D.C. office. Direct inquiries to the Government Relations Program Committee at the address above or email applications to resumes@reprorights.org with “Government Relations Program, the applicant’s last name, and specific code number” in the subject line. Please visit our website for specific information at www.reproductiverights.org.

Application: Application should include a cover letter (stating the program of interest), résumé, at least one legal writing sample, and contact information for two references. Interviews will be conducted after receipt and review of applications.

Different Avenues

Organization: Different Avenues is a reproductive justice organization that provides harm reduction, direct services, and leadership development to women of color and transgender people involved in alternative economies and activities in the Washington, D.C. Metropolitan area. Different Avenues strives to protect the health, rights and safety of girls and women of color who are affected by systemic and interpersonal violence and health disparities. By developing leaders and providing harm reduction services, Different Avenues seeks to strengthen and support girls and women of color who engage in survival strategies and build their power within the reproductive justice movement. In 2011, Different Avenues will be one of the lead US-based organizers in preparation for the International AIDS Conference in 2012, working to ensure the representation of sex workers’ concerns and strategies in that space.

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Details: Different Avenues performs outreach to women and transgender people of color who are engaged in alternative economies and activities, providing safer sex and drug using supplies and referrals to health and social services. Different Avenues organizes locally and nationally for the rights of people engaged in sexual exchange, like sex work. Different Avenues engages in leadership development with women and transgender people of color by holding workshops such as anti-oppression, internalized oppression, history, organizing skills.

Application: Contact Kelli Dorsey for details and information.

East Bay Community Law Center at Berkeley Law School

Organization: The East Bay Community Law Center (EBCLC) is a nationally-recognized poverty law clinic founded by Berkeley Law School (University of California, Boalt Hall) students in 1988 with the dual mission of providing high quality legal services to low-income clients and first-rate clinical education to law students.

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Attn: Summer Hiring Committee
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Berkeley, CA 94703
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www.ebclc.org

Details: EBCLC is seeking full-time interns for its Summer Program. EBCLC is the community-based clinical for Berkeley Law School during the academic year. EBCLC provides free civil legal services to low-income clients of Alameda County, California. *During the summer session EBCLC welcomes students from all law schools.* Relevant internship programs include:

Health: HIV/AIDS Project and Medical-Legal Partnership (multidisciplinary):
Students in the Health practice focus on providing holistic legal services to either low-income HIV-positive clients or low-income families being seen at Oakland's Children's Hospital.

Health: Immigration (administrative/litigation):
Students in the Health & Immigration Project provide legal services to low-income immigrants living with HIV and children with chronic health problems seen through the Medical-Legal Partnership. Students carry their own caseload of immigration cases, but are exposed to a broad range of immigration issues by conducting intake and participating in case rounds. A large number of clients come from Spanish-speaking countries.

Income and Employment Support (administrative and regulatory/policy and community):
The Income Support practice advocates for people receiving General Assistance and CalWORKs, the two welfare programs for those who would otherwise have nothing at all. Income Support students help families get all of the support services available through the CalWORKs program, such as child care, education, job training, transportation, etc. The practice specializes in problems that deny people benefits entirely: time limits, sanctions, and child exclusion. Students in the practice will be responsible for their cases including interviewing clients, performing discovery, conducting research, drafting briefs, preparing cross and direct examination questions, negotiating with the Social Services Agency, and representing clients at administrative hearings. In addition to individual case representation, the practice conducts legislative and administrative advocacy in those areas of specialization.

The summer session is ten weeks long, running from the beginning of June through the beginning of August. Interns are expected to work 40 hours per week, Monday through Friday. Workloads in any given week may vary due to the nature of a live client practice, but you will not regularly be required to work more hours than anticipated.

No specific previous training or coursework is required, however, a demonstrated commitment to

serving low-income, minority and underrepresented individuals and groups, and/or previous experience in one of our practice areas or in public interest law is highly desirable, as is second language ability in Spanish, Cantonese, Vietnamese, Cambodian, or Farsi. EBCLC staff will work with students to secure funding through fellowships from law schools and other public interest sources; however, we are unable to offer compensation for summer internship positions.

Application: Interested law students should submit a resume, 3 references (at least one of which is employment-related; please include current email addresses), a short writing sample (5-10 pages), practice group preference, and a cover letter describing their experiences and interests to: summerintern@ebclc.org. Candidates also may email their materials and/or questions to webinquiry@ebclc.org. Hiring decisions will be made on a rolling basis until positions are filled.

Equality Now

Organization: Equality Now is an international human rights organization that works in collaboration with grassroots groups for the protection and promotion of the rights of women and girls around the globe. The reproductive rights of women, including action against laws criminalizing abortion in various countries throughout the world, are focuses of Equality Now's advocacy.

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info@equalitynow.org

Details: Equality Now deals with many issues of violence and discrimination against women and does not guarantee that interns will be working on a reproductive rights issue. Equality Now has research and campaign internships and media and outreach internships. Research and campaign interns generally conduct legal and fact-finding research and draft Women's Action and campaign correspondence as the work requires. Media and outreach interns help out with media outreach, including assisting with drafting columns for newspapers and targeting other local media outlets. Interns may also attend meetings at the United Nations and participate in other advocacy efforts to further Equality Now's work. Summer interns spend 8-10 weeks full-time with Equality Now and semester interns spend approximately 10 hours a week with Equality Now. Please note that internships are unpaid and no arrangements can be made for housing or visas.

Application: Interested applicants should email a résumé; a cover letter specifying which internship they are applying for, which office they would like to work in (New York, London or Nairobi), and noting any foreign language skills; and a writing sample. Equality Now will begin reviewing applications for summer internships January 1 and will start making decisions by February 15. Semester applications are considered on a rolling basis.

Global Justice Center

Organization: The mission of the Global Justice Center (GJC) is to work with women leaders on the strategic and timely legal enforcement of international equality guarantees.

Contact: Global Justice Center
25 East 21st Street, Level 10
New York, NY 10010
Phone: (212) 725-6530
Fax: (212) 725-6536
info@globaljusticecenter.net

Details: The GJC offers internships for undergraduates and law students for the summer. The internship is unpaid, but the Global Justice Center will assist in any way necessary to ensure that students who are eligible to receive school credit for this activity will or to assist the student in obtaining outside funding. Applications accepted on a rolling basis.

Interns must be willing to work at least 12-16 hrs/week for a minimum of 10 weeks. Global Justice Center interns will be involved in current projects as well as have the opportunity to develop their own areas of research as it fits within the mission of the organization. Students should be self-starters who can take projects and ideas and expand on them. Interns work closely with the organization's President, Janet Benshoof and the GJC Legal Fellow. In working closely with the GJC leadership and staff (as well as the international women's groups we collaborate with), the intern will learn directly from experts in the field. This internship is a very exciting position for anyone interested in human rights and international law, international affairs, and particularly the Middle-East, South and South-East Asia. It will involve exposure to current trends and issues in international human rights law and gender equality globally. Qualifications include: interest in and knowledge of women's rights, international relations, law, public policy, transitional justice, or nation-building preferred.

Application: Please send a résumé, cover letter, and references to Gina Cohen at gcohen@globaljusticecenter.net with "law intern" in the subject line of the email.

Ipas

Organization: Ipas is an international reproductive health agency that works to improve women's health with a special emphasis on preventing unsafe abortion, dealing with the consequences of unsafe abortion, and making legal elective abortion available and safe.

Contact: Patty Skuster
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Chapel Hill, NC 27514
Phone: (919) 967-7052
Fax: (919) 929-0258
skusterp@ipas.org

Details: Ipas is occasionally able to place interns/fellows in the North Carolina and International Offices. Internships at Ipas are mentored, skills-building experiences that should benefit both interns and Ipas as an organization. To ensure that internship experiences are rewarding and productive, Ipas carefully matches the learning objectives, skills, and experience of potential interns with projects that support the realization of our current programming needs. In addition, every effort is made to place interns with preceptors who are available to provide regular guidance and supervision.

Application: If interested please visit the website for application information or email skusterp@ipas.org.

Jane's Due Process

Organization: The mission of Jane's Due Process is to ensure legal representation for pregnant minors in Texas. Jane's Due Process was founded in 2001, shortly after the Texas Legislature first passed a parental involvement law for minors seeking an abortion. Over the years we have helped thousands of young women make safe and informed choices about how and when to become a parent, guiding them through the obstacle course known as the "judicial bypass." In Texas, a minor qualifies for a judicial bypass if she would face physical, sexual, or emotional abuse if her parents were notified of her pregnancy or of her decision to have an abortion, if it would not be in her best interests to notify her parents or get their consent, or if she is mature enough and well enough informed about all her pregnancy options to make the decision for herself. Jane's Due Process also provides legal information, representation, and referrals for minors who wish to carry to term and for any other issue related to a client's pregnancy, such as emancipation, dating violence, and enforcement of the Title IX right to an equal education.

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Austin, Texas, 78768-5137
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jdprocess@gmail.com
www.janesdueprocess.org

Details: Interns may work on a range of reproductive rights issues affecting Texas minors. Past interns have conducted research projects on issues such as emancipation, mandatory child abuse reporting, pregnant minors' rights in school, venue, and teen dating violence. Interns also help answer our legal hotline and conduct intake screenings for potential clients. Jane's Due Process can typically accommodate individual interns' interests and schedules. We are happy to work with applicants to design summer projects that will benefit both the intern and the organization. Internships are generally available during the summer, fall and spring. There is no stipend available.

Application: To apply, email a resume and brief statement of interest to Tina Hester at jdprocess@gmail.com. Applications are accepted on a rolling basis.

Justice Now

Organization: Justice Now is an innovative human rights and legal organization that works with people in women's prison and local communities to build a safe, compassionate world without prisons. Our mission is to end gendered violence and to stop imprisonment.

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www.jnow.org

Details: Justice Now is a legal training clinic, training the next generation of activists and lawyers committed to social justice. Every semester and summer we hire 8-15 interns to perform the majority of our programmatic work in collaboration with people in women's prisons. Interns are trained to combine their direct legal services work with broader legislative, media, and grassroots organizing efforts. They may also work on our Human Rights Documentation Project, which partners with people in women's prisons to educate the public on how prisons damage communities of color, and to challenge policies harming people in women's prisons and their families. We look at issues surrounding the right to family, including the safe motherhood and destruction of reproductive capacity. We prioritize the participation of people of color, formerly imprisoned people, and family members of prisoners.

Application: Please contact the office for more information.

Law Students for Reproductive Justice (LSRJ)

Organization: LSRJ trains and mobilizes law students and new lawyers across the country to foster legal expertise and support for the realization of reproductive justice. Mentoring and mobilizing a diverse group of law students is an essential long-term strategy for building additional capacity, vision, and skilled support for the reproductive justice movement. LSRJ has presence on over 90 law school campuses nationwide.

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Mariko@lsrj.org
www.lsrj.org

LSRJ Legal Internship Information

Details: LSRJ interns develop materials for nationally coordinated campus activism campaigns, projects, and educational tools designed to raise awareness of reproductive justice and its intersections with other areas of law and social justice. Interns also research legal questions for allied reproductive health, rights, and justice organizations. Past projects include: presenting at hearings for the California Commission on the Status of Women; updating the California Sex Code; blogging for LSRJ's Repo Repro blog; reviewing and revising publications, such as issue specific Fact Sheets, *Constitutional Law Primer*, and *Human Rights Law Primer*; expanding tools for fellow law students, including the online Resource Guide, Internship & Fellowship Guide, Speakers Directory, Easy Events in an Envelope, and Student Coordinator Binder; launching voter education and mobilization efforts; drafting buffer and bubble zone legislation; writing amicus briefs and memoranda; and researching compensation for egg donation, surrogacy, and the application of Title X provisions in tribal clinics. Summer interns also have the opportunity to attend and present at the annual LSRJ Leadership Institute conference, which brings together student leaders from LSRJ chapters across the country. LSRJ provides its interns with a comprehensive orientation and substantive training at the start of the internship as well as hands-on mentoring and networking opportunities throughout the summer.

We offer internships for rising 2L and 3L law students during the summer as well as fall and spring semesters for local SF Bay Area students. Part-time positions are available during the school year with a minimum commitment of eight hours per week. Full-time positions are available during the summer with a commitment of ten weeks. LSRJ may provide a modest stipend, but internship positions are

largely unpaid and interns must secure their own funding to be eligible to participate. We seek applicants with strong legal research and writing skills and a demonstrated interest in reproductive rights and social justice. Experience in gender equity, LGBTQ liberation, racial justice, disability rights, or reproductive justice preferred.

Application: To apply, email Mariko@lsrj.org with “Internship” in the subject line. Attach the following documents in Word or PDF format: résumé, writing sample (10-page max.), cover letter (2-page max.), and contact information for two references. Please be explicit in the cover letter about why you want to intern at LSRJ, what skills and knowledge you have to offer, and what you hope to gain from the experience. The deadline for fall internships is August 15, spring internships is December 15, and for summer internships is March 15. Early applications are strongly encouraged. Interviews will be conducted after review of applications.

External Internship Matching Program

Details: Not finding what you're looking for in the Internship & Fellowship Guide? Do you have a great idea for a research project? Want to spend your summer at an organization that doesn't have an established internship program? LSRJ can help match students with organizations to work on unique projects over the summer.

Application: Download the External Internship Student Application for more information here: http://lsrj.org/documents/11_External_Intern_Placement_Student_App.pdf. Or email Mariko@LSRJ.org.

Reproductive Justice Fellowship Program (RJFP)

Details: The Reproductive Justice Fellowship Program (RJFP) provides new lawyers with professional entry points into the reproductive justice movement while enhancing the legal and policy capacity at nonprofit organizations working to achieve reproductive justice. LSRJ will place eight (8) Reproductive Justice (RJ) Fellows at organizations in **Washington, D.C.** for a year-long program (starting in August 2012), which includes mentoring, professional development, substantive training, and networking opportunities. Each RJ Fellow will be paid a \$50,000 stipend plus benefits. The RJ Fellow's work will further the placement organization's reproductive justice agenda, which may include issues concerning access to health care and family planning services; comprehensive sex education; restoring public funding for abortion services; support for pregnant and parenting prisoners and teens; and domestic violence and HIV/AIDS advocacy. The RJ Fellow may be responsible for conducting legal and policy analysis; educating elected officials, policymakers, allies, and constituents; participating in advocacy efforts; and representing the placement organization in coalition meetings and conferences. For more information about current RJ Fellows and placement organizations, please visit the RJFP webpage: <http://RJFP.LSRJ.org/>.

Application: To apply, download the 2012-13 RJ Fellowship application at http://lsrj.org/documents/12-13_RJ_Fellow_Application.pdf. Then, email Mariko@lsrj.org with “RJFP” in the subject line. Attach the following documents in Word or PDF format with each document saved as “First Last Name, Document Name.pdf” to ONE email: (1) RJFP Application Form (on website); (2) résumé; (3) personal statement (5-page limit); (4) writing sample (10-page limit); and (5-6) two letters of recommendation; optional (7) transcript. Letters of recommendation may be sent separately via mail or email. Applications are due by 5:00pm PST on November 1, 2011. Interviews will be conducted after review of applications. Questions by email *only* to Mariko@lsrj.org.

LSRJ Sponsored Fellowship Information

Details: LSRJ can host a fellow, beginning in fall 2012 or 2013, who is sponsored by a funded program, such as Equal Justice Works, New Voices, Soros, Berkeley Foundation, and Liman Fellowship. We invite rising 3Ls, judicial clerks, and other recent law school graduates to apply in tandem with LSRJ for project-based fellowship programs. We are interested in hosting a candidate with a project proposal that serves our members through one or more of our core areas of concentration: curriculum enrichment, campus organizing, community building, and professional training. LSRJ staff can help selected candidates shape and strengthen their projects and proposals. Necessary qualifications include: familiarity with reproductive rights law and policy; superior communication skills; and demonstrable interest in reproductive health/rights/justice, gender equity, and/or other social justice issues.

The Sponsored Fellow will work closely with LSRJ staff and play a central role in the overall functioning and success of the organization. We offer a rewarding position with opportunities for professional growth in a supportive atmosphere – ideal preparation for anyone interested in someday founding or serving a nonprofit as staff, counsel, or board member.

Application: To apply, email Mariko@lsrj.org with ‘Sponsored Fellowship’ in the subject line. Attach the following documents in Word or PDF format: résumé; letter of interest describing proposed project and potential sponsoring program; writing sample (10-page limit); and current contact information for three legal or academic references. Application materials must be received by 5:00 pm PST August 1. Interviews may be conducted after review of applications.

LSRJ is an equal opportunity employer and is committed to a diverse, multicultural work environment. People of color, people with disabilities, and those who identify as lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, or queer are strongly encouraged to apply.

Legal Momentum

Organization: Founded in 1970, Legal Momentum is the nation’s oldest legal defense and education fund dedicated to advancing the rights of women and girls. With headquarters in New York City and offices in Washington, D.C., Legal Momentum is a leader in establishing legal, legislative, and educational strategies to secure economic and personal security for women.

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Attn: Internships
1101 14th Street, NW, Suite 300
Washington, DC 20005
Phone: (202) 326-0040
Fax: (202) 589-0511
iwp@legalmomentum.org

Immigrant Women Program Legal or Public Policy Legal Internships

Details: The Washington, D.C. office of Legal Momentum, which includes the Immigrant Women Program, offers unpaid internships or internships for school credit in the fall, spring, and summer academic semesters. A 15-35 hour per week commitment for 10-12 weeks is required. The D.C. office serves as the advocacy and policy arm of the organization, whose national office is located in New York.

The D.C. office is located right in the middle of downtown, and interns not only have the chance to witness first-hand the exciting and complex legislative process, but they are also given enough responsibility to make their participation meaningful and rewarding. Issues covered include poverty and welfare reform, immigrant women (including immigration law reform, cultural diversity issues), violence against women, and childcare.

Interns working with the Immigrant Women Program focus on issues specifically related to immigrant women:

- Services available to immigrant victims of domestic and other violence; and
- Legal protections, social services, & economic justice for immigrant women.

Interns working with the Government Relations/Public Policy office serve as the advocacy and policy arm of the organization. These interns will work on issues of:

- Women's Employment Rights & Equality in the Workplace;
- Building a Social Safety Net for Women (including TANF, Family Public Assistance, and other issues of Welfare & Civil Rights); and
- Sexuality and Family Rights.

Application: Applicants must complete the application form at www.legalmomentum.org/internships, and attach their résumé and cover letter. Legal interns should be a law student or attorney and should have a strong interest in gender equality, women's legal rights and/or immigrant rights. A love of feminist issues, politics, and hard work is useful and a working knowledge of the American political process is recommended. Applications are received on a rolling basis for each semester. Candidates are encouraged to apply early.

Legal Voice

Organization: Legal Voice provides broad-based legal advocacy, advancing women's legal rights through litigation, legislative advocacy, and a self help program, which provides legal information and referral services and materials to help women help themselves with legal problems. Legal Voice works on virtually any issue that affects women, including reproductive rights.

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Details: Legal Voice conducts legislative advocacy and legal work on reproductive rights and women's healthcare issues. In addition, Legal Voice works on issues of domestic violence, employment, family law, LGBT rights, education and athletics, and civil rights. Legal Voice would also be interested in working with a legal fellow in a yearlong position.

Application: Please send a detailed cover letter, résumé, writing sample, and transcript.

Los Angeles Center for Law and Justice

Organization: The Los Angeles Center for Law and Justice (LACLJ) provides free direct representation and education in the areas of family, housing, and immigration law, and focuses on providing services to the low-income, disabled, elderly and domestic violence survivors. The Family Law Unit assists with divorces, child custody and visitation orders, establishing paternity and restraining orders. The Unit also hosts the TEEN LA project for teen parents. The Housing Law Unit assists with eviction defense, landlord/tenant issues and slum housing litigation. The Immigration Law Unit assists victims of violence with T-Visa, U-Visa and VAWA applications.

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juliet@laclj.org
www.laclj.org

Details: LACLJ focuses on direct services to clients, answering every phone call personally and performing all intakes in person. Law students will also work on intake under the direct supervision of staff attorneys as well as on other assigned projects, and have an opportunity to:

- analyze and assess individual clients' needs
- participate in direct communication with clients
- review each case with a staff attorney to determine what assistance is needed
- prepare pleadings and attend court hearings
- attend and participate in legal and community trainings
- assist in the development of resource materials for clients
- conduct legal research and prepare memoranda

Application: Please send a detailed cover letter, résumé, writing sample, and transcript.

Merger Watch

Organization: MergerWatch was created in 1996 to find ways of intervening to save key reproductive health services before religious/secular hospital mergers are finalized. MergerWatch offers a range of services to community members and organizations that are willing to address the threat of losing vital health care at their local hospital. MergerWatch has assisted grass roots coalitions fighting to protect services threatened by religious/secular hospital mergers in more than 90 communities located across the nation.

Contact: Lois Uttley, Director
MergerWatch Project
475 Riverside Drive, Suite 1604
New York, NY 10115
Phone: (212) 870-2010
Lois@mergerwatch.org

Details: Past legal interns have researched a variety of topics including potential legal strategies to address hospital mergers, Catholic hospitals acquired by for-profit hospitals, and the process by which consumers may be included in the certificate of need process. Internships are offered during the calendar year and positions are full-time. MergerWatch encourages applicants to seek fellowships from outside sources to fund their work, but grant money may be available from MergerWatch. The internship is 8 weeks.

Application: Send cover letter, résumé, and writing sample.

NARAL Pro-Choice Arizona

Organization: The mission of NARAL Pro-Choice Arizona is to develop and sustain a constituency that uses the political process to guarantee every woman the right to make personal decisions regarding the full range of reproductive choices, including preventing unintended pregnancy, bearing healthy children, and choosing legal abortion.

Contact: NARAL Pro-Choice Arizona
P.O. Box 16675
Phoenix, AZ 85011
Phone: (602) 258-4091
volunteer@prochoicearizona.org
<http://www.prochoicearizona.org/>

Details: NARAL Pro-Choice Arizona is always looking for qualified interns to help secure the reproductive rights of women and girls in Arizona. While NARAL Pro-Choice Arizona does not currently have an established legal internship, the office would be interested in creating one for interested law students.

Application: Please submit cover letter, résumé and references to volunteer@prochoicearizona.org.

NARAL Pro-Choice Connecticut

Organization: The mission of NARAL Pro-Choice Connecticut is to develop and sustain a constituency that uses the political process to guarantee every woman the right to make personal decisions regarding the full range of reproductive health choices, including preventing unintended pregnancy, bearing healthy children, and choosing legal abortion. <http://www.pro-choicect.org>

Contact: Christian Miron
P.O. Box 270390
West Hartford, CT 06127-0390
Phone: (860) 523-1227
info@pro-choicect.org

Details: NARAL Pro-Choice Connecticut offers internship opportunities year-round in the areas of policy development, research and advocacy, and political campaign work. Please call for more details.

Application: Interested parties should call the office or visit the website for more details.

NARAL Pro-Choice Minnesota

Organization: The mission of NARAL Pro-Choice Minnesota is to develop and sustain a constituency that uses the political process to guarantee every woman the right to make personal decisions regarding the full range of reproductive choices, including preventing unintended pregnancy, bearing healthy children, and choosing legal abortion.

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info@prochoiceminnesota.org
www.prochoiceminnesota.org

Details: Internships are available fall, spring, or summer. Positions are flexible and there is a potential stipend, but it is not guaranteed. NARAL Pro-Choice Minnesota has worked with law students in the past, and their projects included researching electoral opposition, funding sources, nonprofit and electoral law, and crisis pregnancy centers.

Application: Contact the organization before applying to find out current opportunities. To apply, submit résumé and cover letter. Interviews will be conducted after receipt and review of applications. Applications are accepted for fall near the end of August, around January 15 for spring internships, and by April 15 for summer positions.

NARAL Pro-Choice Missouri

Organization: NARAL Pro-Choice Missouri engages in educational, lobbying and political activities around a broad range of reproductive health issues.

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Jeff.Farris@ProChoiceMissouri.org
<http://www.prochoicemissouri.org>

Details: Internships are full-time or part-time and hours are flexible. All of the internships are unpaid, but we can give practicum/course credit with approval of a student's program counselor. Interns may tailor their projects according to their interests.

Application: To apply, submit a résumé and cover letter. Applications are accepted in advance of the semester during which the intern would like to work.

NARAL Pro-Choice Montana

Organization: NARAL Pro-Choice Montana's mission is to develop and sustain a constituency that uses the political process to guarantee every woman the right to make personal decisions regarding the full range of reproductive choices, including preventing unintended pregnancy, bearing healthy children, and choosing legal abortion.

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Alexandra@prochoicemontana.org

Details: Please contact the office directly for information on upcoming internship opportunities or refer to their website at <http://www.prochoicemontana.org/about/jobs.shtml>.

Application: Please contact the office.

NARAL Pro-Choice New York

Organization: NARAL Pro-Choice New York, the New York State Affiliate of Pro-Choice America, works to protect safe, legal abortion and expand the full range of reproductive rights for women regardless of age, race or income. NARAL Pro-Choice New York has been in existence for over 30 years and has established vital connections working with legislators, health care and advocacy groups, and women's organizations, providing the organization with the influence and tools necessary to do effective educational and lobbying work, particularly around reproductive rights and contraceptive coverage.

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www.nirhealth.org
www.prochoiceny.org

Details: NARAL Pro-Choice New York offers internships in the fall and spring semesters and during the summer. We offer internships in Community Organizing, Communications, Fundraising and Event Planning, Research and other key areas that support our efforts. We post internships at the beginning of each semester or season on our website www.prochoiceny.org.

Application: To apply, please send a resume and cover letter that indicates the specific position that you are applying for to Program Coordinator, Aileen Gleizer at agleizer@nirhealth.org.

NARAL Pro-Choice Ohio

Organization: NARAL Pro-Choice Ohio is committed to developing a constituency that uses the political process to guarantee every woman the right to make personal reproductive decisions including: preventing unintended pregnancy, bearing healthy children and safe, legal abortion.

Contact: Internship Coordinator
NARAL Pro-Choice Ohio
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Cleveland, OH 44120
Phone: (216) 283-2180
Fax: (216) 283-2184
choice@prochoiceohio.org
www.ProChoiceOhio.org

Details: Interested parties should call the office or visit the website for more details.

Application: To apply, submit résumé and cover letter. Interviews will be conducted after receipt and review of applications. Applications are accepted on an ongoing, rolling basis.

NARAL Pro-Choice Oregon

Organization: NARAL Pro-Choice Oregon works through the political and legislative systems to advocate for comprehensive reproductive health policies and to secure reproductive choice for all Oregonians. NARAL Pro-Choice Oregon defends the right to choose and works to make abortion less necessary. Using sophisticated political strategies, extensive grassroots organizing, and effective lobbying, NARAL Pro-Choice Oregon has fought and won numerous pro-choice victories in its 30-year history.

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<http://www.prochoiceoregon.org>

Details: Short-term and long-term internship positions are available. Hours are flexible, but do include some evening and weekend hours. School credit is available for all internships.

Application: To apply, submit a cover letter and resume via email, along with three references. Interviews are conducted after receipt and review of applications. Applications are accepted on a rolling basis, but positions are ongoing for 3/6/12 months. Please check the website for information on available internships before applying.

NARAL Pro-Choice Texas

Organization: NARAL Pro-Choice Texas is a nonprofit, nonpartisan organization and political leaders of the pro-choice movement in Texas. Our mission is to recruit, develop, and sustain a constituency that uses the political process to promote public health policies that guarantee every woman access to the full range of reproductive healthcare. This includes responsible sexuality education, short- and long-term contraceptive methods, adequate pre- and postnatal care, and safe, legal abortion. NARAL Pro-Choice Texas works to defend reproductive freedom by supporting pro-choice candidates for local and state offices who will be accountable to the pro-choice majority in Texas; lobbying during the Texas Legislative Session to protect and promote reproductive choices for women and their families; conducting research and educating legislators, the media and the public on the full range of reproductive healthcare options and issues; and organizing pro-choice activists at the grassroots level during legislative and electoral cycles.

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Details: Internships for law students are periodically available and public affairs internships and fellowships are always available; please contact the office for more information.

Application: Please contact the office for more information.

NARAL Pro-Choice Virginia

Organization: NARAL Pro-Choice Virginia (a state affiliate of NARAL Pro-Choice America) is dedicated to building and sustaining a constituency that uses the political process to guarantee reproductive freedom for all women, including family planning, sexuality education, maternal health care, and safe, legal abortion. NARAL Pro-Choice Virginia is a grassroots 501(c)(4) organization, with a 501(c)(3) Foundation arm and a Political Action Committee.

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www.naralva.org

Program and Communications Internship

Details: NARAL Pro-Choice Virginia seeks summer interns to continue to expand our programmatic work ensuring all Virginians have access to the full range of reproductive choice options. The Program and Communications Intern will work closely with the political, program and communications manager on all efforts to continue and expand programmatic work and internal and external communications.

The intern will gain skills and experience necessary for working in programs or communications for a non-profit organization or political campaign. This is also a great opportunity to gain first-hand knowledge of pro-choice messaging, advocacy, and activism, as the intern will be partially responsible for communicating with NARAL Pro-Choice Virginia's members through our website, blog, Facebook and Twitter. In addition to program and communications work, the intern will have opportunities to contribute to NARAL Pro-Choice Virginia's overall work and collaborate with other interns on projects to support pro-choice education, awareness, and policy across the Commonwealth of Virginia. This ideal candidate will be available a minimum of 20 hours per week. The position is unpaid, but provides a transportation stipend and the option of receiving academic credit with the intern's host institution. The majority of internship activities will take place at our office in downtown Washington, DC.

Application: For more information or to apply, please send cover letter and résumé to Joseph Richards at joey@naralva.org. Applications considered on a rolling basis. Be sure to address your commitment to reproductive justice in your cover letter.

Development, Events, and Social Media Internship

Details: Money, media, and marketing. No, we're not talking about jobs in Hollywood or New York. We're talking about our fundraising, special events, and social media internship. Development interns assist with donations and membership (so we can continue our amazing programs), fundraising, event planning and keeping NARAL Pro-Choice Virginia on the cutting edge by updating and writing for the website, blog, Facebook and Twitter. The Development, Events and Social Media Intern will work closely with the Development Manager on all efforts to secure the membership and resources needed to pursue our mission of protecting reproductive choice in Virginia. This internship can be part or full-time, and the weekly schedule is flexible depending on the intern's availability. The position is unpaid, but provides a transportation stipend and the option of receiving academic credit with the intern's host institution. The majority of internship activities will take place at our office in downtown Washington, DC.

Application: For more information or to apply, send cover letter and résumé to caroline@naralva.org. Applications considered on a rolling basis.

Electoral Organizing Internship

Details: 2011 will be a major year for reproductive choice in Virginia as all 140 General Assembly seats will be up for grabs. NARAL Pro-Choice Virginia PAC will be working throughout the year to support pro-choice candidates who will ensure the protection and promotion of reproductive rights policies for years to come. NARAL Pro-Choice Virginia PAC seeks to fill at least two internship positions for the 2011 election cycle. The interns will work closely with the political and communications manager to implement the electoral organizing goals of the organization. Upon completion of this internship, the intern will possess the skills and experience to accept a position as a grassroots organizer, civic engagement coordinator or field associate with any non-profit organization. This internship will require evening and weekend hours. It is also preferable that the intern have a car, as weekend canvassing will be outside Metro accessible areas.

Application: To apply, send cover letter addressing commitment to reproductive justice and résumé to joey@naralva.org. Applications considered on a rolling basis.

General Assembly Policy and Organizing Internship

Details: The General Assembly policy and organizing intern will work closely with the program and communications manager to implement the policy and organizing goals of the organization during the state General Assembly session.

Application: To apply, send résumé and cover letter addressing commitment to reproductive rights and to joey@narlva.org. Resumes considered on a rolling basis.

NARAL Pro-Choice Washington Foundation

Organization: The mission of NARAL Pro-Choice Washington Foundation is to support and protect, as a fundamental freedom, a woman's right to make reproductive choices. The mission is accomplished through support of education, training programs, and public policy initiatives.

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Details: NARAL Pro-Choice Washington Foundation has primarily unpaid internships available throughout the school year and summer. Updated internship opportunities are posted quarterly on the website, but students may also call or e-mail anytime for more information. Note: NARAL Pro-Choice Washington Foundation does not have legal staff.

Application: To apply, email a résumé and cover letter.

NARAL Pro-Choice Wisconsin

Organization: NARAL Pro-Choice Wisconsin is the state's only organization dedicated exclusively to political advocacy for reproductive freedom. Their mission is to develop and sustain a constituency that uses the political process to guarantee every woman the right to make personal decisions regarding the full range of reproductive choices, including preventing unintended pregnancy, bearing healthy children, and choosing legal abortion.

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info@prochoicewisconsin.org
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Details: Internship positions are flexible and part-time during the school year and summer. NARAL

Pro-Choice Wisconsin welcomes legal interns to apply, and projects may be tailored to intern's individual interests. All applicants must be fully pro-choice and committed to ensuring all women have access to the full range of reproductive health care including abortion. Interns must be outgoing, able to work with a wide variety of people, self-motivated and able to work efficiently and independently. Please check the website for current opportunities.

Application: To apply, submit a cover letter, one-page résumé, and at least two references.

National Abortion Federation

Organization: The National Abortion Federation (NAF) is the largest professional association of abortion providers in the United States and Canada. NAF serves those who make choice a reality: the physicians, nurses, counselors, administrators, advanced practice clinicians, and other healthcare professionals who care for over half the women who choose abortion annually in the United States.

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www.prochoice.org

Details: NAF has legal and public policy internships available for the summer and during the school year. The summer internships are full-time and pay a modest stipend. NAF offers flexible internship hours during the school year and will assist students wishing to receive academic credit.

Federal Policy Internships

Federal policy interns monitor and analyze abortion-related legislation and regulatory action at the federal level and help educate legislators and their staffs on Capitol Hill about NAF's positions on key abortion issues.

State Policy Internships

State policy interns work with NAF members and state pro-choice coalitions to combat legislation and regulatory policies that restrict access to abortion and help develop positive legislation and regulatory policies at the state level to expand access to abortion.

Legal Internships

Legal interns perform legal research, write legal memoranda about issues affecting abortion providers, and assist General Counsel and Public Policy staff as needed. Summer interns often focus on one particular project, developing a written piece such as a resource guide, fact sheet, or other publication.

Application: To apply, submit a cover letter and résumé by email or by fax. The application process is rolling.

National Advocates for Pregnant Women

Organization: NAPW works to secure the human and civil rights, health and welfare of all women, focusing particularly on pregnant and parenting women, and those who are most vulnerable - low income women, women of color, and drug-using women. NAPW uses integrated strategies, including litigation and legal advocacy, local and national organizing and public education to ensure that women do not lose their constitutional and human rights as a result of pregnancy; that women have access to a full range of reproductive health services, including abortion and non-punitive drug treatment; that children are not needlessly separated from their families on the basis of medical misinformation; and that the war on drugs is not expanded under the guise of fetal rights or family protection.

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resumes@advocatesforpregnantwomen.org
(list "Internship Application" in Subject Box)
www.advocatesforpregnantwomen.org

Details: Internships are generally full-time during the summer and part-time during the school year. NAPW does not generally provide a stipend, so interns should seek their own funding. Past interns have helped free pregnant women from prison, developed arguments against anti-abortion/fetal rights personhood measures, challenged punishment of women who refuse cesarean surgery, researched prosecutions of women for continuing their pregnancies to term in spite of a drug or other health problem, and participated in a wide variety of cross issue meetings, seminars, and demonstrations.

Application: To apply, send a cover letter, résumé, and writing sample. There is a rolling deadline, but students should send in applications materials as early as possible.

National Asian Pacific American Women's Forum (NAPAWF)

Organization: NAPAWF is the only national, multi-issue Asian and Pacific Islander (API) women's organization in the country. NAPAWF's mission is to build a movement to advance social justice and human rights for API women and girls.

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Details: The National Asian Pacific American Women's Forum (NAPAWF) is seeking a first, second or third year law student to work full-time during the summer. Candidates should have experience and/or interest working on issues involving women's rights, immigrant rights, Asian American and Pacific

Islander, reproductive justice or economic justice issues. Candidates should also exhibit excellent research and writing skills, be able to work well independently and on a team, have strong oral communication skills, and be able to work in a fast-paced environment. This position will provide abundant opportunity for a student looking to become more knowledgeable about legislative advocacy and current policy issues facing API communities and the reproductive justice movement. Because the organization has a small staff, clerks are given substantive responsibilities over issues and program projects and may represent NAPAWF in meetings, on the Hill, and at events.

Application: Interested applicants should submit a cover letter, resume and 5-7 page writing sample to charley@napawf.org or fax at 202-470-3171. Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis.

National Center for Lesbian Rights

Organization: The National Center for Lesbian Rights is a national legal organization committed to advancing the civil and human rights of lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender people and their families through litigation, public policy advocacy, and public education.

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Details: The National Center for Lesbian Rights is seeking law clerks to assist with all aspects of its national impact litigation, public policy, and educational work. Much of the clerk's time will be devoted to interacting with members of the community who contact NCLR's legal information helpline and handling their questions from start to finish under the supervision and training of NCLR staff attorneys. Clerks also conduct case research, update publications, and draft memos on a wide range of issues affecting LGBT people and their families. Positions are available in NCLR's National Office in San Francisco, CA. Summer clerks work full time, and semester clerks may work full or part-time (minimum 12 hours per week). NCLR hires law clerks for the summer as well as the fall and spring semesters.

Qualifications: Candidates must be current law students. Preference will be given to applicants who have familiarity with LGBT-related issues and a dedication to social justice. Excellent communication and writing skills are essential as is the ability to take initiative and see projects through completion.

Compensation: The law clerk position is unpaid, though matching work study funds may be available. NCLR encourages clerks to obtain outside funding or academic credit through their law school.

Application: Interested applicants should submit a resume, cover letter, transcript, and writing sample to mwong@nclrights.org. The deadlines to apply are: summer, January 20; fall, August 10; spring, December 10, though applications are accepted on a rolling basis, so early submissions are strongly encouraged.

The National Center for Lesbian Rights is an equal employment opportunity/affirmative action employer. Women, people of color, LGBT persons, and people with disabilities are encouraged to apply.

National Center for Youth Law

Organization: The National Center for Youth Law (NCYL) uses the law to improve the lives of poor children. NCYL works to ensure that low-income children have the resources, support, and opportunities they need for a healthy and productive future. Much of NCYL's work is focused on poor children who are additionally challenged by abuse and neglect, disability, or other disadvantage.

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Details: NCYL is seeking law students to work during summer, fall, and spring. Law clerks work closely with NCYL staff attorneys who are among the most experienced, knowledgeable, and respected children's lawyers in the country. Under the mentorship of their supervising attorney, clerks research novel issues of youth law, write legal and policy memoranda, assist in ongoing litigation and legislation, and respond to requests for assistance. NCYL is interested in applicants with a demonstrated commitment to child advocacy and/or poverty law. In particular, applicants should have a keen interest in the rights of poor and vulnerable children. Summer law clerk positions are full-time. Fall and spring positions are part-time (10-15 hours a week). Application deadlines are as follows: Summer: January 1; Fall: August 15; Spring: December 15.

Please note that this is an unpaid internship. Students should seek a clinical placement through their school, apply for outside funding, or be willing to volunteer their time. *NCYL is committed to hiring a group of students that reflects the racial and cultural diversity of our clients.*

Application: If you are interested in a law clerk position with NCYL, please submit the following: cover letter, résumé, three (3) references, short writing sample to lnguyn@youthlaw.org.

National Health Law Program (NHeLP)

Organization: The National Health Law Program is a national public interest law firm that seeks to improve health care for America's working and unemployed poor, minorities, the elderly and people with disabilities. NHeLP serves legal services programs, community-based organizations, the private bar, providers and individuals who work to preserve a health care safety net for the millions of uninsured or underinsured low-income people.

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Details: The intern will primarily work on legislative and policy issues that have the potential to impact the reproductive health of low-income women or women of color.

Organization: The National Health Law Program is currently seeking qualified candidates for its year-round internship program in its Los Angeles, Washington, D.C. and Chapel Hill, North Carolina offices. Applicants should have completed their first year of law school and have an interest in quality of care and health care access for low-income populations. Good research, writing and interpersonal skills are necessary and a demonstrated commitment to public interest is preferred. NHeLP offers valuable educational opportunities.

These internships are unpaid, volunteer positions. Interns may: write one or more articles that would be published in either NHeLP's newsletter, The Health Advocate, or its website at www.healthlaw.org; provide research assistance to staff attorneys on special projects and advocates in the field working with low-income clients; assist in the production of substantive manuals for use by legal advocates; attend Hill briefings and meetings, track legislation and administrative agency actions and draft comments and correspondence; or assist with litigation including research and drafting legal pleadings.

Application: Send a cover letter, résumé, writing sample, transcript, and a list of two references.

National Institute for Reproductive Health

Organization: The National Institute for Reproductive Health (NIRH) is an innovation institute for reproductive health care. We offer breakthrough education programs and advocacy strategies proven to expand access to quality reproductive health care. We work with state and local leaders to design new approaches that will remove barriers and improve reproductive health care for all women.

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www.nirhealth.org
www.prochoiceny.org

Details: NIRH offers internships in the fall and spring semesters and during the summer. NLRH offers internships that support our Advocacy, Communications, Development and Program Departments in the areas of Sexuality Education, Youth Development, Local Advocacy Initiatives, and Research and Evaluation. Internships are posted at the beginning of each semester or season on sister organization, NARAL Pro-Choice New York's website at www.ProChoiceNY.org.

Application: To apply, please send a resume and cover letter that indicates the specific position that you are applying for to Program Coordinator, David Benzaquen at dbenzaquen@prochoiceny.org.

National Latina Institute for Reproductive Health

Organization: National Latina Institute for Reproductive Health (NLIRH) ensures the fundamental human right to reproductive health for Latinas, their families and their communities through education, advocacy and coalition building. NLIRH began as an independent organization in 1994. Its antecedent, the Latina Initiative, emerged five years earlier under the auspices of Catholics for a Free Choice. NLIRH is the only national Latina health and reproductive rights organization representing an increasingly diverse and growing Latina population.

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Details: NLIRH is looking for interns in both the D.C. and New York offices. The intern will primarily work on legislative and policy issues of concern to the Latina community.

Application: To apply send a cover letter, résumé, and writing sample. Deadline for summer internship is April 1.

National Organization for Women

Organization: The National Organization for Women (NOW) is the largest organization of feminist activists in the United States. NOW has 500,000 contributing members and 550 chapters in all 50 states and the District of Columbia. Since its founding in 1966, NOW's goal has been to take action to bring about equality for all women. NOW works to eliminate discrimination and harassment in the workplace, schools, the justice system, and all other sectors of society; secure abortion, birth control and reproductive rights for all women; end all forms of violence against women; eradicate racism, sexism and homophobia; and promote equality and justice in our society.

Contact: Intern/Volunteer Coordinator
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Washington, D.C. 20005
Phone: (202) 628-8669
volunteer@now.org

Details: NOW offers volunteer, unpaid internships, both full and part time, throughout the year. Prospective interns should be hard working, enthusiastic and flexible individuals who possess or seek a working knowledge of women's issues and feminist organizing. Interns should also be committed to continuing to struggle for equality and justice once they leave the internship program and return to their campuses and communities. Deadline for fall: August 7; spring: November 1; summer: March 16. For updated information, please visit: <http://www.now.org/organization/intern.html>.

Application: Please send a completed online application form, cover letter, a current résumé, two letters of recommendation, and a 1-3 page writing sample. Intern application and more information can be found online at: <http://www.now.org/organization/internap.html>.

National Partnership for Women & Families

Organization: The National Partnership for Women & Families promotes fairness in the workplace, reproductive health and rights, access to quality affordable health care, and policies that help women and men meet the dual demands of work and family. The Partnership believe that actions speak louder than words, and for four decades we have fought for every major policy advance that has helped women and families. The Partnership's reproductive health team advocates in Congress and in the Executive Branch for better reproductive health policy and for judicial and other executive nominees who support women's reproductive health and rights.

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Details: The National Partnership for Women & Families' reproductive health team advocates in Congress and in the Executive Branch for better reproductive health policy and for judicial and other executive nominees who support women's reproductive health and rights. The Reproductive Health Policy Intern will work on a variety of projects, including legislative and policy research and analysis, drafting and editing public education materials, and assisting in publication of the Daily Women's Health Policy Report. Interns will also have the opportunity to attend coalition meetings, briefings, hearings, and other events on Capitol Hill and in other venues around town. The internship is unpaid, but is available for course credit and may be full-time or part-time.

For the 2011 Fall Reproductive Health Policy Internship, please visit:

http://www.nationalpartnership.org/site/News2?page=NewsArticle&id=24806&security=2141&news_iv_ctrl=2301

Application: Interested law students and other graduate students should submit a cover letter, resume, and brief writing sample, to 2011 Fall Reproductive Health Policy Internship, National Partnership for Women & Families, 1875 Connecticut Avenue, NW, Suite 650, Washington, DC 20009 or to jobs@nationalpartnership.org.

Applications for fall, spring, and summer internship positions will be accepted until filled.

The National Partnership is an Equal Opportunity Employer and does not discriminate based upon gender, race, national origin, disability, age, religion, sexual orientation or gender identity. People of all backgrounds are encouraged to apply.

National Women's Law Center

Organization: The National Women's Law Center (NWLC) is a nonprofit legal advocacy organization that works to advance the rights of women, particularly the rights of low income women and girls. The primary focus areas include gender equity in education, employment, economic security and health. Within the health program area, the Center does extensive legal work related to reproductive justice and reproductive health care access.

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humanresources@nwlc.org
www.nwlc.org

Details:

Post-Graduate Fellowships

The National Women's Law Center offers an occasional fellowship which is funded by the Center. Please check their website at www.nwlc.org to find out if they are currently offering a fellowship. The Center also seeks students with whom to jointly apply for fellowship funding from other sources, including Skadden and Equal Justice Works Fellows. Please check with those programs for application deadlines.

Law Student Internships

Interns will be assigned to one staff mentor, but may work with several staff members. Interns' work may include researching and drafting pleadings or fact sheets, analyzing legislation and regulations, helping develop litigation, researching legislative history, and attending legislative proceedings. Interns' previous experience and familiarity with relevant issues usually shape the level of assignments. Internship positions are open to first, second, and third-year law students. NWLC asks for a commitment of at least 15 hours per week during the fall and spring semesters and full-time during the summer. All interns may earn credit hours from their respective law schools or are encouraged to seek fellowships to fund their work. Applicants for fall internship positions should apply by August 1. Applicants for spring and/or summer positions should apply by November 1. Please note that summer internship positions are highly competitive, and space is very limited. The Center strongly encourages students at local law schools to apply for intern positions during the fall and spring semesters.

Chesterfield Smith Internships

Chesterfield Smith Internships are open to second and third-year law students. One intern is chosen for the spring or fall semester. Interns must commit at least 20 hours per week, and receive a stipend of \$200 per week for 12 weeks.

Application: To apply, please email your current résumé; a cover letter indicating dates and times available for work or interest in a fellowship if applicable; your transcript or list of law school grades; a recent writing sample; and the names of three references (preferably legal employers or law professors) with current addresses and telephone numbers. You may send transcripts (indicate type of internship on envelope) separately. No calls please.

Physicians for Reproductive Choice and Health

Organization: Founded in 1992, Physicians for Reproductive Choice and Health (PRCH) is a doctor-led national advocacy organization that uses evidence based medicine to promote sound reproductive health policies. PRCH brings the physician's distinctive voice to debates over reproductive health care and exists to ensure that all people have the knowledge, access to quality services, and freedom to make their own reproductive health decisions.

Doctors at PRCH have identified a set of issues that focus on the obstacles to obtaining and providing comprehensive reproductive health care including abortion services. PRCH is engaged in strategies that address these issues as they continue to arise before regulatory and legislative bodies.

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Details: PRCH is seeking up to three interns during both the spring and summer to work with the General Counsel on federal legislative policy development and legislative drafting. Applicants must have excellent analytical skills, the ability to engage in thorough conceptual and legal research, and be able to translate research results into compelling presentations for legal, technical and legislative audiences. Spring interns should be available to work at least thirteen weeks, for at least twelve hours per week. Summer interns should be available to work ten weeks, for at least thirty-five hours per week.

Application: Submit a resume and cover letter. Deadlines: Spring – December 1, 2011; Summer – March 15, 2012.

Planned Parenthood Federation of America

Organization: Planned Parenthood (PPFA) is dedicated to providing comprehensive reproductive and complementary healthcare services in settings which preserve and protect the essential privacy and rights of each individual; advocating public policies which guarantee these rights and ensure access to such services; providing educational programs which enhance understanding of individual and societal implications of human sexuality; promoting research and the advancement of technology in reproductive healthcare; and encouraging understanding of their inherent bioethical, behavioral, and social implications. PPFA conducts reproductive rights litigation in state and federal courts across the country, and has been lead or co-counsel in most of the major reproductive rights cases over the past 15 years. PPFA also provides strategic legal advice on legislation in Congress and state legislatures and on regulatory issues at the national, state, and local levels.

The litigation docket includes federal and state court challenges to laws and policies that restrict access to abortion and other reproductive health services. PPFA also initiates litigation designed to expand access to reproductive health services and to protect providers of those services. Interns can expect to work closely with PPFA attorneys on a wide variety of litigation responsibilities, including legal research and analysis; drafting memoranda, pleadings, affidavits, and briefs; factual development for ongoing or developing litigation; and communicating with clients.

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Details: The Public Policy Litigation and Law Department of Planned Parenthood Federation of America seeks 1L and 2L law student interns for its New York and Washington, D.C. offices for the summer of 2012. Part-time internships are available throughout the year for law students (preferably 2Ls or 3Ls). Applicants are encouraged to seek outside funding for the internship. However, if you are not able to secure funding please advise us, as PPFA may be able to provide limited funding.

Application: Interested applicants should forward a cover letter explaining your interest in the internship, résumé, legal writing sample, contact information for two references, and unofficial law school transcript. If you are a 1L applicant, do not wait for grades to submit your application, but please follow up with an unofficial transcript when grades become available. Applications will be considered on a rolling basis. Please make sure your cover letter states whether you are interested in a position in New York, D.C., or either. Email applications are preferred: hannah.swanson@ppfa.org.

Planned Parenthood of Minnesota, North Dakota & South Dakota

Organization: For over 80 years, Planned Parenthood of MN, ND & SD has been the leading provider and protector of reproductive health in our region. Planned Parenthood of MN, ND & SD is a dynamic organization whose mission is grounded in mainstream values.

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Director of Volunteer Programs
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Details: Interns may be in the public affairs department working on legislative issues, or may volunteer or intern in a variety of areas including health care, education and administrative support.

Application: Contact the Volunteer Program at 612.821.6113 or volunteers@ppmns.org.

Planned Parenthood of Wisconsin

Organization: The mission of Planned Parenthood of Wisconsin (PPWI) is to empower all individuals to manage their sexual and reproductive health through patient services, education and advocacy. PPWI provides prevention based reproductive health care in 28 centers across the state. In addition, PPWI has a communication education department that offers age-appropriate and medically accurate sexuality education to students, young adults and families. Finally, Planned Parenthood Advocates of Wisconsin, the advocacy arm of PPWI, engages in legislative and education activity and works to elect candidates to state and federal offices that support our mission and goals.

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Details: Planned Parenthood's Public Affairs Department works with legislators to protect reproductive health care. Our Public Policy staff monitors pending state and federal legislation and court decisions. This includes conducting legal analysis on bills pending in the Wisconsin Legislature that could impact reproductive health care. The legal intern will work with the Public Policy Analyst on legal research projects concerning reproductive rights issues in Wisconsin and nationally. Applicants must be completing the first, second or third year of law school. A commitment of at least 10 hours a week during the school semester is required. Summer internships are also available.

Application: Email a brief statement of your interest in interning at Planned Parenthood and commitment to reproductive health and freedom, along with your resume to nicole.safar@ppwi.org.

Rebecca Project for Human Rights

Organization: The Rebecca Project works diligently to reform intersecting health, child welfare and criminal justice policies impacting vulnerable families. Among our primary advocacy goals are expanding comprehensive family treatment services, improving conditions of confinement for incarcerated women and girls, promoting alternative sentencing for women and girls, challenging the unacceptable levels of gendered violence, and urging for policies of health and healing for families at the margins. For more information, visit: www.rebeccaproject.org.

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Details: Summer and year-round internships available.

Application: Email Imani Walker at Imani@rebeccaproject.org for more information.

Sexuality Information and Education Council of the United States (SIECUS)

Organization: SIECUS is a national nonprofit organization dedicated to affirming that sexuality is a natural and healthy part of life. Since 1964, SIECUS has been committed to promoting comprehensive sexuality education and sexual and reproductive rights as well as fighting sexual ignorance, censorship, and discrimination based on gender, age, or sexual orientation.

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SEICUS (New York office)

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siecus@siecus.org
<http://www.siecus.org>

Details: Unpaid internships are offered for both the New York and D.C. offices. Prospective interns should be hard working, enthusiastic, and flexible individuals who seek a working knowledge of issues including sexuality education, prevention of teenage pregnancy, STD/HIV, sexual orientation, reproductive rights, and related issues. Internships in the New York office focus on education and training program needs across the nation, while internships in the Washington, D.C. office focus on policy and advocacy needs at the federal, state, and local levels. At both locations, interns typically develop skills in research, writing, and analysis of issues and policies related to sexual health promotion.

Application: To apply, please submit a cover letter that expresses your interest in working for SIECUS, a résumé, writing sample (one page, maximum), and two references. Applications are processed on a rolling basis and deadlines are regularly posted on our website.

SisterSong Women of Color Reproductive Justice Collective

Organization: The mission of the SisterSong Women of Color Reproductive Justice Collective (SisterSong) is to strengthen and amplify the collective voices of Indigenous women and women of color so that we may secure our human rights, and thus achieve reproductive justice. SisterSong fights equally for the right to bear – or not to bear – a child, along with the subsequent and necessary enabling conditions to realize these rights. SisterSong represents five ethnic populations/indigenous nations in the U.S.: Native American/Indigenous; Asian/Pacific Islander; Arab American/Middle Eastern/North African; Latina; and African American/Black/Caribbean/African. The Collective has 80+ women of color member organizations and individuals, and hundreds of white women and male allies who support our goal of improving the lives of women of color.

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Details: SisterSong fills internship positions on a semester basis, with positions beginning in January, June, and September. Internships are highly competitive, and positions are often filled up to two semesters in advance. Some colleges and universities may award academic credit and/or financial stipends for semester-long internships. SisterSong is currently unable to provide any additional financial assistance to interns. SisterSong believes it is important to provide interns with an opportunity to feel ownership in the work they are doing, and strives to provide work projects that allow interns to use the skills they have, stimulate their personal interests and passions, and teach them new skills and new ways of thinking about social justice issues. SisterSong has policy, development, and communications departments.

SisterSong is an equal opportunity employer and strongly encourages applications from people of diverse backgrounds, women, people of color, people of all sexual and gender identities, people with disabilities.

Application: If you are interested in joining SisterSong as an intern, please send a cover letter and resume to: info@sistersong.net.

Spark Reproductive Justice Now

Organization: SPARK Reproductive Justice NOW collaborates with individuals, communities and organizations to grow and sustain a powerful reproductive justice movement in Georgia. SPARK does this by: developing and sharing a radical analysis in order to change culture; mobilizing in response to immediate threats; and organizing for long-term systemic change.

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Application: Please contact Paris Hatcher for the latest application requirements and deadlines.

Sylvia Rivera Law Project

Organization: The Sylvia Rivera Law Project (SRLP) works to guarantee that all people are free to self-determine their gender identity and expression, regardless of income or race, without facing harassment, discrimination, or violence. SRLP is a collectively-run organization that provides free legal services, advocates for policy reform, supports community organizing efforts, brings precedent-setting lawsuits, and educates the public to achieve our mission. SRLP is founded on the understanding that gender self-determination is inextricably intertwined with racial, social and economic justice. Therefore, we seek to increase the political voice and visibility of low-income people of color who are transgender, intersex, or gender non-conforming.

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Detail: SRLP seeks legal interns for spring semester and full-time legal interns for the summer. Only unpaid legal internship positions are available. SRLP is happy to assist interns in applying for credit or funding from other sources. Interns at SRLP work on a range of issues affecting low-income transgender, intersex, and gender nonconforming people of color, including prisoners' rights, name changes and identity documentation, discrimination in sex-segregated facilities, immigration, Medicaid, and more. Interns have their own caseload and the opportunity to work on their clients' cases in depth through conducting intake interviews, drafting pleadings in clients' cases, advocating with government agencies and other entities, connecting clients with resources, and educating clients about their rights. Interns also assist with legal research and writing and factual development for impact litigation. They may participate in public education and community organizing support such as preparing "know your rights" materials and doing legal observation at actions.

Applicants must be law students or paralegals or have comparable legal background. Term-time legal interns must be available to work for a minimum of 10 hours a week. Fluency in Spanish is preferred. People of color, trans people, and people with intersex conditions are strongly encouraged to apply.

Application: Please send a resume, cover letter, and optional writing sample to Pooja Gehi at pooja@srlp.org as early as possible. Applications will be accepted on a rolling basis until the positions are filed.

UCSF/Hastings Consortium on Law, Science & Health Policy

Organization: The UCSF/Hastings Consortium is a broadly based initiative to support interdisciplinary collaboration between UCSF and UC Hastings College of Law. A wide variety of subjects lie at the intersections between law and science, from assisted reproductive care to stem cells and clinical services for the underserved to trade secrets and patent protection. The Consortium concentrates its efforts in three broad areas: education, research, and service.

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Details: The Consortium is accepting applications for legal interns interested in the intersection between law and science (rising 2Ls or 3Ls). The Consortium will have one summer internship dedicated to reproductive justice issues. Applicants for this position must have a demonstrated interest in women's health, family planning, abortion, and the rights of pregnant women. The legal intern will conduct legal research, prepare legal memoranda, and present his or her work to the Consortium community at the end of the summer. He or she will also play an integral role in various aspects of the Consortium's work, including implementing scholarly convenings at UCSF and UC

Hastings Law, conducting legal and interdisciplinary research, and the development of new programmatic initiatives aimed at the intersection of law, science and health policy.

Application: Send cover letter and resume to: dunnj@uchastings.edu. The application deadline for the position is March 15, 2012. This position is an unpaid internship designed for a law student willing to commit to an unpaid position for 8-10 weeks.

Reproductive Justice Fellow/Volunteer Attorney: The Consortium also has space for one unpaid fellow or volunteer attorney who is willing to commit a minimum of 2 days a week (in the office) for at least 3-4 months. By referral only.

Women's Refugee Commission – Reproductive Health Program

Organization: The Women's Refugee Commission advocates vigorously for laws, policies and programs to improve the lives and protect the rights of refugee and internally displaced women, children and young people, including those seeking asylum-bringing about lasting, measurable change. www.womensrefugeecommission.org

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Details: The Reproductive Health (RH) Program promotes quality, comprehensive reproductive health care for refugee and displaced women, men and youth in the areas of maternal-newborn health, family planning, STI/HIV/AIDS and gender-based violence. The RH Program:

- Ensures that reproductive health is on the agenda of humanitarian assistance organizations, development agencies, policy makers and donors.
- Participates in the seven-member Reproductive Health Response in Conflict (RHRC).
- Consortium and the Inter-agency Working Group (IAWG) on Reproductive Health in Crises.
- Advocates for the Minimum Initial Service Package (MISP) for Reproductive Health to be implemented in the earliest days of an emergency.
- Produces tools and field-friendly guides on the MISP, HIV/AIDS, STIs, gender-based violence, emergency contraception and emergency obstetric care for humanitarian workers to better implement reproductive health activities in emergency settings.
- Provides grants and technical assistance to local nongovernmental organizations in Thailand to expand and strengthen reproductive health services, particularly for adolescents.
- Advocates for the international community to undertake a comprehensive multi-sectoral approach to firewood collection and sexual violence in displaced settings.

This internship is suited to students of public health with the desire to obtain experience in a professional advocacy organization. It will provide the opportunity to work closely on RH advocacy issues, attend internal organizational presentations as well as external meetings and contribute to the daily work of the RH Program. The RH Program makes every attempt to respond to the interests and educational goals of the intern. Please visit: www.womensrefugeecommission.org/programs/rh.

Application: To apply please submit a cover letter, résumé and 3-page writing sample via e-mail to: rhinternship@wrcommission.org.

Women's Law and Public Policy Fellowship Program

Organization: Georgetown University's Women's Law and Public Policy Fellowship Program enables law graduates with a special interest in women's rights to work in the nation's capital with a variety of organizations involved in legal and policy issues affecting women. Traditionally, this program places fellows with leading women's rights organizations. Sometimes Fellows are placed with organizations not directly dealing with reproductive rights.

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Details: Fellows are supervised by attorneys at the organizations where they are placed. They are required to work exclusively on women's rights issues. They also attend regular seminars on current issues sponsored by the Program, and may audit Georgetown University Law Center courses on gender and the law and women's legal history.

Application: Applicants should visit our website for application information and materials; deadlines are in early November.

Women's Law Project

Organization: The Women's Law Project is committed to working to abolish discrimination and injustice and to secure dignity and freedom for women. The law project is a unique resource for the women of Pennsylvania and a national leader in the field of women's rights.

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Details: WLP interns work on a variety of projects related to women's rights, including reproductive rights, equity in athletics, violence against women, pregnancy discrimination, and family court reform. Internships are not funded.

Application: To apply for an internship, mail a letter of interest with the names and phone numbers of three references, a short writing sample, and a current résumé. Apply for summer positions as early in the year as possible, and no later than mid-February.