Sample List of Outside Fellowship Starting September 2019

Upcoming Deadlines

**ACLU Aryeh Neier Fellowship**
Two-year fellowship working with both the ACLU and Human Rights Watch on joint initiatives to strengthen human rights in the United States. [https://www.aclu.org/careers/2019-2021-aryeh-neier-fellowship](https://www.aclu.org/careers/2019-2021-aryeh-neier-fellowship)

**Human Rights Watch Finberg Fellowship**
Fellows typically work full-time for one year in Human Rights Watch’s New York or Washington, D.C. office. In some instances, other locations may be considered. Fellows monitor human rights developments in various countries, conduct on-site investigations, draft reports on human rights conditions, and engage in advocacy and media outreach aimed at publicizing and curtailing human rights violations. [https://recruiting.ultipro.com/HUM1004HRW/JobBoard/1f3f0ff9-99fb-4df2-8d3bd832e12107eb/OpportunityDetail?opportunityId=ca4781aa-ee1f-4d7f-933e-aeee010e1223](https://recruiting.ultipro.com/HUM1004HRW/JobBoard/1f3f0ff9-99fb-4df2-8d3bd832e12107eb/OpportunityDetail?opportunityId=ca4781aa-ee1f-4d7f-933e-aeee010e1223)

**The Legal Aid Society of New York – Criminal Defense Practice**
The Criminal Practice is the primary public defender in New York City, providing holistic, client-centered representation to over 200,000 people facing misdemeanor, felony, and homicide charges. [https://static1.squarespace.com/static/59578aade110eba6434f4b72/t/5af5c71f0e725de5ad7123/1526056735233/Hiring_season_2018-2019.pdf](https://static1.squarespace.com/static/59578aade110eba6434f4b72/t/5af5c71f0e725de5ad7123/1526056735233/Hiring_season_2018-2019.pdf)

**U.S. Department of Labor, Office of the Solicitor Honors Program**
Honors Attorneys work on the interpretation and enforcement of employment and labor laws in the agency’s Washington DC headquarters or one of its seven regional offices. [https://www.dol.gov/sol/honorsprogram/](https://www.dol.gov/sol/honorsprogram/)

**Zubrow Fellowship in Children’s Law**
Two-year fellowship at the Juvenile Law Center in Philadelphia to advocate on behalf of children in foster care and in juvenile and criminal justice systems. [https://jlc.org/careers/sol-and-helen-zubrow-fellowship-childrens-law](https://jlc.org/careers/sol-and-helen-zubrow-fellowship-childrens-law)

**ACLU of San Diego Border Litigation Fellowship**
The fellow will work with the organization’s Border Litigation Project on all aspects of civil litigation arising out of border-related civil and human rights violations. [https://www.aclusandiego.org/fall-2019-fellowship-opportunity/](https://www.aclusandiego.org/fall-2019-fellowship-opportunity/)
Bronx Defenders – Entry Level Staff Attorneys & Internships

The Bronx Defenders will be accepting applications from law graduates and attorneys with less than three years legal practice for their Immigration, Family and Criminal Defense Practices. [https://careers-bronxdefenders.icims.com/jobs/intro?hashed=435651324&mobile=false&width=900&height=500&bga=true&needsRedirect=false&jan1offset=-300&jun1offset=-240]

Business and Professional People for the Public Interest (BPI) Polikoff-Gautreaux Fellowship

Fellowship with a Chicago-based nonprofit law and policy center to develop careers in affordable housing law, legal aid, civil rights advocacy, nonprofit leadership and government. [https://www.bpichicago.org/fellowships/post-graduate-law-fellowships/]

Frank M. Coffin Family Law Fellowship

One-year fellowship with the Pine Tree Legal Assistance Office in Portland, ME providing legal representation in family law matters to clients who qualify for pro bono assistance. [https://www.justicemaine.org/uncategorized/applications-for-coffin-fellowships-open-apply-by-october-12-2018/]

Georgetown Women’s Law & Public Policy Fellowship

One-year fellowships working to advance women's rights at one of the following D.C. organizations, National Partnership for Women & Families, National Women’s Law Center, Washington Lawyers’ Committee for Civil Rights and Urban Affairs and Georgetown Center on Poverty & Inequality. [https://www.law.georgetown.edu/wlppfp/wlppfp-us-fellowships/application/]

EJS 2018 Judge Constance Baker Motley Civil Rights Fellowship

Equal Justice Society is seeking committed civil rights advocates to apply for its 2018-2020 Judge Constance Baker Motley Civil Rights Fellowship, named after the first African American woman to serve on the federal bench. Applicants should demonstrate experience in civil rights advocacy and a commitment to racial and social justice. [https://equaljusticesociety.org/jobs/motley/]

Finberg Fellowship at Human Rights Watch

One-year fellowship at Human Rights Watch’s New York or Washington, D.C. office, monitoring human rights in various countries and advocating against human rights violations. [http://drexel.edu/fellowships/search/fellowships/Finberg_Fellowship/]

Southern Poverty Law Center

Two-year fellowship working in one of the Center’s offices in either children’s rights, criminal justice reform, economic justice, immigrant rights, or LGBT litigation. [https://www.splcenter.org/about/careers/jobs?gh_jid=4058585002]
Federal Communications Commission Attorney Honors Program

The FCC Fellowship is a two-year employment and training program designed to introduce selected candidates to the field of communications law and policy. [https://www.fcc.gov/general-counsel/general/attorney-honors-program](https://www.fcc.gov/general-counsel/general/attorney-honors-program)

California Attorney General’s Honor Program

Honors Program attorneys will work with Department experts on important issues involving criminal justice, consumer protection, preserving the environment, maintaining a fair marketplace, and, above all, preserving the rule of law. [https://oag.ca.gov/careers/honors/introduction](https://oag.ca.gov/careers/honors/introduction)

Earl Warren Solicitor General Fellowship

The Fellowship Program attorney participates in and supports OSG’s full range of operations, and works with other attorneys in OSG and the Department on a wide variety of appellate civil and criminal cases involving significant constitutional, statutory, and policy questions. [https://oag.ca.gov/careers/warren/introduction](https://oag.ca.gov/careers/warren/introduction)

Justice Catalyst Fellowship

One-year project-based fellowships to support innovative public interest work at non-profit organizations on behalf of low-wage workers, the poor, and the marginalized. Applicants are encouraged, but not required, to submit a prospectus summarizing the problems they seek to address and their project ideas as soon as possible but no later than October 21 in order to have an opportunity for feedback. The final application date is December 9. [http://justicecatalyst.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/06/Justice-Catalyst-Fellowship-2018.06.04-.pdf](http://justicecatalyst.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/06/Justice-Catalyst-Fellowship-2018.06.04-.pdf)

Presidential Management Fellowship

Two-year leadership program designed to train potential government leaders. Once the application period opens, it will appear on USAJOBS by searching for "Presidential Management Fellows". Finalists are eligible to apply for positions with participating federal agencies and, once accepted by an agency, to be appointed as a PMF fellow. [https://www.pmf.gov/](https://www.pmf.gov/)

Johnnie L. Cochran Civil Rights Fellowship

Two-year fellowship with Neufeld Scheck & Brustin, LLP is a small plaintiffs’ civil rights law firm in New York City devoted primarily to police misconduct, wrongful conviction, and other civil rights and constitutional litigation on behalf of individual and group plaintiffs throughout the country. [http://www.nsbcivilrights.com/cochran-fellowship/](http://www.nsbcivilrights.com/cochran-fellowship/)
**Tennessee Justice Center Warfield Fellowship**

Fellowship with a Nashville-based law center that handles cases involving health care and public benefits for vulnerable Tennessee families. Applicants must be willing to sit for the July 2019 Tennessee bar exam. [https://www.tnjustice.org/careers/](https://www.tnjustice.org/careers/)

**Soros Advocacy Justice Fellowship**

Eighteen-month project-based fellowship to work on criminal justice reform. [https://www.opensocietyfoundations.org/grants/soros-justice-fellowships](https://www.opensocietyfoundations.org/grants/soros-justice-fellowships)

**New Jersey Office of the Attorney General Honors Program**

Through the two-year Attorney General’s Honors Program, successful applicants will be able to earn a regular salary and gain valuable, hands-on legal experience by working as either a Deputy Attorney General or Law Assistant in one of four divisions within the Attorney General’s Office: the Division of Law, the Division of Criminal Justice, the Division on Civil Rights or the Division of Consumer Affairs. [https://www.nj.gov/oag/honors/](https://www.nj.gov/oag/honors/)

**NYC Law Department Corporation Counsel Honors Fellowship**

One-year fellowship in the New York City Law Department working on significant issues of municipal government. [https://www1.nyc.gov/site/law/careers/corporation-counsel-honors-fellowship-program.page](https://www1.nyc.gov/site/law/careers/corporation-counsel-honors-fellowship-program.page)

**Gault Fellowship at the National Juvenile Defender Center**


**E. Barrett Prettyman and Stuart Stiller Fellowship**

Three two-year fellowships combining an LLM with the opportunity to represent indigent clients on criminal matters in the DC courts; in the second year, fellows assume major responsibility for supervising clinical students in misdemeanor and juvenile proceedings. [http://apps.law.georgetown.edu/forms/index.cfm?formid=150](http://apps.law.georgetown.edu/forms/index.cfm?formid=150)

**National Center on Philanthropy and the Law Fellowship**

**Americans United for Separation of Church/State Constitutional Fellowship**
November 1, 2018
Two-year fellowship doing constitutional litigation and amicus practice against religion-based discrimination, including working on First Amendment issues. [https://www.au.org/node/13672](https://www.au.org/node/13672)

**If/When/How Reproductive Justice Fellowships**
November 1, 2018
One-year policy fellowship at selected organizations focused on the right to choose, done in partnership with American University Washington College of Law’s Women and the Law. [https://www.ifwhenhow.org/about/fellowship-program/](https://www.ifwhenhow.org/about/fellowship-program/)

**Stanton Media Litigation Fellowship**
November 1, 2018
Two-year fellowship with the Reporters Committee for Freedom of the Press in Washington DC working on a variety of First Amendments and media cases, with a focus on access to courts and freedom of information litigation on behalf of journalists and news organizations. [https://www.rcfp.org/about-us/fellowships#stanton2](https://www.rcfp.org/about-us/fellowships#stanton2)

**Immigrant Justice Corps Fellowship**
November 7, 2018

**Center for Appellate Litigation Fellowship**
November 15, 2018
Fellowship representing indigent clients in criminal appeals and post-conviction proceedings in the Appellate Division, First Department and in the Bronx and Manhattan Supreme Courts. [https://www.appellate-litigation.org/staff-attorney-fellowships/](https://www.appellate-litigation.org/staff-attorney-fellowships/)

**American Bar Association, Tax Division, Brunswick Public Interest Fellowship**
November 16, 2018
Two-year fellowship for up to two fellows to work in public interest tax law with a sponsoring public interest or non-profit organization or a government entity. Many legal services organizations providing low income taxpayer assistance or handling low wage worker issues, such as misclassification of employees as independent contractors, would make eligible sponsors. [https://www.americanbar.org/groups/taxation/awards/psfellowship.html](https://www.americanbar.org/groups/taxation/awards/psfellowship.html)

**Colorado Attorney General’s Fellowship**
November 19, 2018
One-year fellowship with fellows rotating though two sections of the Attorney General’s office for six months each based on preference and availability. [https://coag.gov/employment/fellowships](https://coag.gov/employment/fellowships)
Portland City Attorney Honors Fellowship
November 26, 2018
Two-year fellowship program (offered every two years) working on litigation in a wide range of municipal government issues. https://www.portlandoregon.gov/attorney/article/498264

FAIR Fellowship – Foundation for Advocacy, Inclusion & Resources
November 26, 2018
One-year fellowship divided into 6 months at Legal Aid at Work in San Francisco and a second six months matched with a California workers’ rights law firm. Application deadline is November 30, 2018. http://www.fair-foundation.org/fellowships.html

OCEANA Law Department Fellow (Washington, DC)
November 30, 2018
Law Fellows support Oceana’s campaigns focus on promoting responsible fishing; combating seafood fraud; stopping illegal, unreported and unregulated fishing; defending U.S. environmental laws; advocating for clean offshore energy; and fighting the expansion of offshore oil and gas drilling. https://oceana.org/employment-opportunities/law-fellow-2019-2020

Singer Connecticut Public Interest Fellowship
December 1, 2018
One to two-year fellowships working in a legal services organization in Connecticut. An applicant must submit an unconditional commitment letter from a qualified organization as part of the application. Fellows work on a wide range of issues, including family, domestic violence, landlord-tenant, housing, education, employment, immigration, government benefits, healthcare, and elder law. https://www.ctbarfdn.org/Singer

Clinical Fellowship in Communications & Technology Law
December 1, 2018
Two-year fellowship at Georgetown Law School working as a staff attorney and clinical teaching fellow representing non-profits in cases before the FCC, the FTC, and federal appellate courts. https://www.law.georgetown.edu/experiential-learning/clinics/communications-technology-law-clinic-ijpr/graduate-fellowship-opportunities/fellowship-opportunity/

New Jersey Office of the Public Defender – Trial & Appellate Attorney positions
December 19, 2018
The OPD is currently accepting applications from third-year law students and judicial law clerks to begin employment as attorneys in the fall of 2019. All applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis. Trial attorney positions are available in our regional offices throughout New Jersey. The appellate office is located in Newark and Trenton. Please check CMS for more details. Job ID 18451. Interested YLS students may apply for summer internship funding through the CDO.

FASPE (Fellowships at Auschwitz for the Study of Professional Ethics)
December 28, 2019
FASPE is an intensive, two-week study program in professional ethics and ethical leadership taking place in Berlin, Krakow, and Oswiecim (the location of the former Nazi concentration camp of Auschwitz). FASPE Law is a fully-funded, two-week fellowship program in professional ethics and ethical leadership that begins by examining the actions and choices of German lawyers in enabling Nazi policies. Application deadline is December 28, 2018. Click here for more information.
Neighborhood Defender Service of Harlem Access to Justice Fellow  December 28, 2019
The Access to Justice and Structural Reform Fellowship is a two-year policy fellowship to work at Neighborhood Defender Service of Harlem in New York City, a holistic, early-entry defender organization dedicated to reforming the criminal justice system though advocacy. The fellow will work with the Executive Director’s team on structural reform and access to justice issues in the U.S. and globally. Applications are due not later than December 28, but will be reviewed on a rolling basis until filled. http://www.ndsny.org/index.php/career/access-to-justice-structural-reform-fellow-2/

ChangeLab Solutions Fellowship  December 31, 2018
One-year policy fellowship in Oakland, CA working on a range of issues, including healthy eating, active living, healthy housing, sustainable communities, and tobacco control. http://www.changelabsolutions.org/legal-fellow-2019

National Institutes of Health Bioethics Fellowship  December 31, 2018
Two-year academic fellowship with the Department of Ethics at the National Institutes of Health for the study of bioethics and the pursuit of related scholarship. https://www.bioethics.nih.gov/education/application-information.shtml

Sanford Heisler Sharp Litigation Fellowship  Rolling Basis
Fellowships with a public interest law firm that has offices in New York, Washington, D.C., San Francisco, San Diego, Nashville, and Baltimore. Fellows work on all aspects of litigation, representing plaintiffs with civil rights, employment discrimination, sexual harassment, sexual assault, labor and wage violations, whistleblower, consumer fraud, and other cases. Applicants should send as e-mail, cover letter, resume, and 5-10 page writing sample to careers@sanfordheisler.com, using “Litigation Fellow Application” for the subject line. https://sanfordheisler.com/applying-to-be-an-attorney/

Open Society Foundation Fellowship  Rolling Basis beginning November 5, 2018
One-year fellowship with the Foundation’s General Counsel in New York City on legal issues related to foundation work. https://www.opensocietyfoundations.org/grants/open-society-fellowship

Wilson Fellowship at Robert F. Kennedy Human Rights  Rolling Basis
One-year fellowship to work on international human rights litigation and advocacy programs, which typically begin in September. https://rfkhumanrights.org/about/work-with-us/human-rights-legal-fellowship

Environmental Law & Policy Center Fellowship  Deadline Not Indicated
Two-year fellowship in Chicago, Columbus, Grand Rapids or Minneapolis working on climate change, clean energy, environmental protection, and natural resources preservation litigation and innovative policy advocacy. Decisions will be on a rolling basis and early applications are encouraged. http://elpc.org/jobs/associate-attorney-public-interest-environmental-law-fellowship/
Alliance for Justice Dorot Fellowship
Alliance for Justice, which vets nominees to the federal judiciary, offers a one-year fellowship in Washington D.C. working on judicial selection and access to justice issues. [https://www.afj.org/about-afj/jobs/justice-fellowship](https://www.afj.org/about-afj/jobs/justice-fellowship)

Center for California Studies Capital Fellows Programs
Public policy fellowships placing fellows at every branch of state government, including with state legislators, senior-level executive staff, and court administrators. [https://www.csus.edu/calst/programs/](https://www.csus.edu/calst/programs/)

Cohen Milstein Fellowship
One-year litigation fellowship with a class action public interest law firm in Washington D.C. representing individual plaintiffs, whistleblowers, public entities, and other institutions in a variety of matters including Antitrust, Civil Rights & Employment, Consumer Protection, Human Rights, and Securities Litigation & Investor Protection. No deadline is yet specified, be sure to apply early. Click here for more details. [https://www.cohenmilstein.com/careers](https://www.cohenmilstein.com/careers)

Pennsylvania Attorney General’s Honors Fellowship

Passed Deadlines

George N. Lindsay Fellowship
One-year fellowship with the national office of the Lawyers’ Committee for Civil Rights and Economic Justice in Washington DC working of a variety of civil rights matters and challenges to race and national origin discrimination. [https://lawyerscommittee.org/george-n-lindsay-fellowship/](https://lawyerscommittee.org/george-n-lindsay-fellowship/)

Wolinsky Disability Rights Fellowship
Two-year fellowship working with Disability Rights Advocates, a non-profit organization advancing equal rights and opportunities for people with a wide range of disabilities, with offices in New York and California. [https://dralegal.org/jobs/wolinsky-fellowship-attorney-2019/](https://dralegal.org/jobs/wolinsky-fellowship-attorney-2019/)

Washington State Attorney General’s Honors Fellow
One-year fellowship on a wide range of government related issues, including consumer protection, environmental law, tribal law, litigation, labor law, and criminal prosecution. [https://www.atg.wa.gov/3ls-judicial-clerks](https://www.atg.wa.gov/3ls-judicial-clerks)
**Santa Clara County Counsel’s Impact and Social Justice Fellowship**  
August 20, 2018  
Two-year fellowship in San Jose, CA to secure social and economic justice for county residents.  
[https://www.sccgov.org/sites/cco/opportunities/pages/fellowship.aspx](https://www.sccgov.org/sites/cco/opportunities/pages/fellowship.aspx)

**U.S. Department of Transportation Honors Attorney Program**  
August 31, 2018  
Two-year position with the federal Department of Transportation. Honors attorneys do six four-month rotations, including one rotation in the Office of General Counsel.  
[https://www.transportation.gov/administrations/office-general-counsel/honors-attorney-program](https://www.transportation.gov/administrations/office-general-counsel/honors-attorney-program)

**Bristow Fellowship**  
September 1, 2018  
DOJ awards four one-year fellowships to work in the Office of the Solicitor General; while the fellowship is open to graduating students, most successful candidates are completing an appellate clerkship; decisions are announced by December.  
[https://www.justice.gov/osg/employment-opportunities](https://www.justice.gov/osg/employment-opportunities)

**Shute, Mihaly & Weinberger Fellowship**  
September 3, 2018  
Three-year fellowship in A San Francisco public interest law firm doing environmental law, land use, and administrative law.  
[http://www.smwlaw.com/hiring/fellowships](http://www.smwlaw.com/hiring/fellowships)

**U.S. Department of Justice Attorney General’s Honors Program**  
September 4, 2018  
This is the only Department of Justice program for recruiting entry-level attorneys. The application period opened July 31, 2018. Applicants should review the online list of component hiring offices that are participating this year.  

**U.S. Department of Homeland Security, General Counsel’s Honors Program**  
September 4, 2018  
Two-year program in Washington, DC consisting of four six-month rotations in different divisions on a variety of practice areas, including cybersecurity, immigration, international law, security, litigation, and legislation.  

**Fried Frank Civil Rights Fellowship**  
September 4, 2018  
The Fried Frank Fellow will spend two years in the litigation department at Fried Frank and then two years as a staff attorney with Mexican-American Legal Defense and Education Fund (MALDEF), in either the national headquarters in Los Angeles or, depending on need and interest, in one of the organization’s regional offices.  
[http://www.friedfrank.com/?pageID=49](http://www.friedfrank.com/?pageID=49)
Tycko & Zavareei Public Interest Fellowship  
Two-year fellowship with Washington, DC public interest law firm practicing consumer, employee, and whistleblower rights. Fellows work for several months with a non-profit organization and the rest of their time on the firm’s public interest litigation.  

Skadden Foundation Fellowship  
Two-year project-based fellowships to assist underserved groups on a wide range of issues.  
[https://www.skaddenfellowships.org/application](https://www.skaddenfellowships.org/application)

U.S. Copyright Office Ringer Honors Program  
Eighteen to 24 month-program working on a range of copyright-related law and policy matters in several offices, including the Office of general Counsel.  
[https://www.copyright.gov/about/special-programs/ringer.html](https://www.copyright.gov/about/special-programs/ringer.html)

Massachusetts Attorney General Honors Fellowship  
Two-year fellowship in Boston with rotations through three of six bureaus.  
[https://www.mass.gov/service-details/the-attorney-generals-fellowship-program](https://www.mass.gov/service-details/the-attorney-generals-fellowship-program)

Equal Justice Works Fellowship  
Two-year project-based fellowship to assist underserved groups on a wide range of issues.  

U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development Legal Honors Program  
Fourteen-month program working on a wide range of housing related issues. Fellows are given the opportunity to rotate to various offices within the General Counsel office.  
[https://www.hud.gov/program_offices/general_counsel/legalhonorsprogram](https://www.hud.gov/program_offices/general_counsel/legalhonorsprogram)

Independence Foundation Public Interest Fellowship  
One-year project-based fellowship to work with any sponsoring organization that was awarded a past Independence fellow, providing direct services to the disadvantaged in Philadelphia area.  

Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) Legal Honors Program  
Two-year position providing a full range of legal services, including litigation as well as transactional, regulatory, and administrative work. Honors attorney participate in three-month rotations through various Legal Division in FDIC Washington DC Headquarters as well as a rotation to one of the field locations in Boston, New York, Atlanta, Chicago, Kansas City, Dallas or San Francisco.  
[https://www.fdic.gov/about/legalhonors/](https://www.fdic.gov/about/legalhonors/)
Loevy & Loevy Justice Fellowship  Begins accepting September, 2018 rolling decision
Two-year fellowship with public interest law firm doing trial and appellate litigation in wrongful
conviction, civil rights, and whistleblower cases.  https://www.loevy.com/career/the-justice-
fellowship/

ACLU Karpatkin Fellowship  October 1, 2018
Fellows work as part of the ACLU’s Racial Justice Program’s litigation team challenging racial
discrimination and related issues that have a disparate impact on communities of color, particularly in the
areas of criminal justice, economic justice and education.  https://www.aclu.org/careers/fall-2019-
marvin-m-karpatkin-fellowship-racial-justice-project

Ohio Legal Assistance Justice for All Fellowship  October 1, 2018
Project-based fellowship with an Ohio sponsor organization addressing unmet civil legal needs of low-
income individual and families in Ohio.  https://www.olaf.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/07/OLAF-
Justice-for-All-Fellowship-Application_2019.pdf

Service Employees International Union (SEIU) Law Fellowship  October 1, 2018
Fellowship in the Legal Department of the Service Employees International Union working on a wide
range of union issues for the advancement of workers’ interests.  https://careers-
seiu.icims.com/jobs/2672/law-fellowship/job

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