

Summer Opportunities in State Attorney General Offices (as of July 16, 2026)

As the states' chief legal officers, state attorneys general represent the interests of the government and citizens of their respective states. The heart of a state attorney general's mission is to serve the public interest. Through direct action and the bully pulpit, attorneys general can impact law and policy across a broad range of issues within their state and across the country. Their offices can take a variety of actions, including initiating lawsuits, proposing and supporting state and federal legislation and regulations, forming task forces, issuing guidance or formal opinions, and cooperating with their fellow state attorneys general.

Most state attorney general offices (state AGOs) have summer job opportunities for law students. Positions may be paid or unpaid. Below is a list of these opportunities in state AGOs organized by state. The following information was collected by the State Attorneys General Project (State AG Project) at ACS as a resource for ACS members. While we aim to provide comprehensive information, the absence of any state AGO from this list does not mean that opportunities are not available in other states. ACS cannot guarantee that any position listed here is currently open. **This information is current as of the date of publication, but the state AGOs may change or update the availability of job opportunities, their eligibility requirements, and deadlines.** Please contact the state AGOs directly about any of these listings or other job opportunities.

For more information on state attorneys general, please visit the State AG Project website at <https://acslaw.org/StateAG>.

Steiger Fellowship

Various state attorney general offices host summer clerks through the American Bar Association – Antitrust Law Section’s [Janet D. Steiger Fellowship Project](#) which offers paid summer clerkships for law students to work on consumer protection issues in the state and territorial Offices of Attorneys General and other consumer protection agencies throughout the United States.

- **The deadline for the 2026 Fellowship Program has passed.** We will update this resource with the information about the 2027 Program when it becomes available.
- 8-10 week paid Fellowship.
- Each selected student will receive a \$6,000 stipend.
- The [application form](#) details all the requirements for applying, and provides a list of 33 possible locations.
- Questions about the Project can be directed to the ABA Antitrust Law Section’s Office at ABASiegerFellowship@americanbar.org.
- **Deadline:** December 1, 2025.

Alabama

The Attorney General’s Office takes approximately 30 law students for its [Summer Clerkship Program](#).

- Six weeks within one of seven divisions.
- Tentative dates for Session I: May 24, 2027 – July 2, 2027
- Tentative dates for Session II: July 5, 2027 – August 13, 2027
- The Attorney General’s Office participates in on-campus interviews at Cumberland School of Law and the University of Alabama School of Law, and recruits from other law schools across the southeast via postings on career services management systems. They also accept applications from students through their website.
- To apply: email a copy of your resume, transcript, a writing sample (no more than 5 pages in length), and a cover letter to Rene.Whyard@AlabamaAG.gov.
- For more information about the program, contact Rene Whyard, Executive Assistant to Chief Deputy Attorney General Clay Crenshaw at Rene.Whyard@AlabamaAG.gov, (334) 353-0074.
- **Deadline:** 2Ls: June 1, 2026 – July 31, 2026; 1Ls: November 1, 2026 – December 31, 2026.

Alaska

The Alaska Department of Law has volunteer summer intern positions available for students enrolled in accredited law schools as part of the [Department of Law Internship Program](#).

- Internships are unpaid, and the office asks for a ten-week commitment for the program.
- Internship positions are available within their Civil and Criminal Divisions.
- Internship positions are available by the needs of each location, but most intern positions are located in Anchorage.
- Applicants should send a resume, cover letter indicating which section(s) you are interested in as well as your geographic preference or requirements, writing sample, law school transcript,

and three references to the division you are interested in:

Civil Division

Jessica Leeah

Chief Assistant Attorney General

Alaska Department of Law

1031 W. 4th Avenue, Suite 200

Anchorage, AK 99501

civil.intern.extern@alaska.gov • (907) 465-3600

Criminal Division

Kate Tallmadge

Assistant Attorney General

Criminal Division Central Office

P.O. Box 110300

Juneau, AK 99811-0300

criminallawrecruit@alaska.gov • (907) 465-3673

- **Deadline:** Applications are accepted on a rolling basis, but it is encouraged to have application materials sent by the end of December. Typically, intern positions are filled by mid-February.

Arizona

The [Arizona Attorney General's Office](#) offers summer internships for law students.

- Internships are unpaid, but may be eligible for public interest stipends from certain law schools.
- A full list of the legal divisions and their section descriptions can be found in the [2023 Summer Law Internship Brochure](#).
- Prospective interns must submit a (1) cover letter, (2) resume, and (3) writing sample. To apply, please email all documents to humanresources@azag.gov. Please note on the cover letter the Division/Section of interest.
- For more information, please contact Human Resources at humanresources@azag.gov or call 602-542-8056.

Arkansas

The Arkansas Attorney General's Office [Law Clerk Program](#) accepts law clerks within the Civil, Criminal, Medicaid Fraud and Public Protection departments.

- The Attorney General strives to give Arkansas law students the first opportunity to clerk with the office.
- In-State students should sign up for an interview through their Career Services Office when interview dates are posted at the law school.
- Out-of-State students may mail, fax or email a resume and cover letter to:

Arkansas Attorney General's Office
Dawnetta Calhoun, Director
Human Resources
101 W. Capitol Ave.
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201
Fax: 501-682-3439 positions@ArkansasAG.gov

California

The California Department of Justice offers [internship opportunities](#) for law students in their offices in Fresno, Los Angeles, Oakland, Sacramento, San Diego, and San Francisco.

- Internship positions are generally unpaid.
- Positions are available in Sections within the Civil Law Division, the Criminal Law Division, and the Public Rights Division.
- Each Section within each Division and in each location has its own application guidelines and deadlines, which can be found at the link above.

Colorado

The Department of Law offers [unpaid internships](#) and externships for school credit to first, second and third-year law students.

- **The deadline for the 2026 Summer Internship Program has passed.** We will update this resource with the information about the 2027 Program when it becomes available.
- Summer internships in 2026 begin on May 26, 2026.
- Internships during the Summer require a full-time commitment of at least 10 weeks.
- Each of the 10 sections has a limited number of positions and often fills positions nine months to a year in advance.
- To apply, fill out [this form](#) and submit the following documents as a single PDF file: a cover letter, resume, a writing sample (no longer than 10 pages), and unofficial transcript.
 - More details about the application process can be found [here](#).
 - First-year law students may apply without a transcript, but must supplement their application with a transcript as soon as grades are received.
- Please contact intern.resume@coag.gov with any questions.
- **Deadline:** The application submission period for 2Ls is July 1 – November 1, 2025. For 1Ls, it is December 1, 2025, to March 15, 2026.

Connecticut

The Office of the Attorney General offers unpaid, volunteer [internship opportunities](#).

- Please submit all applications electronically in PDF format to AGInternApplications@ct.gov and include: the completed [OAG internship application form](#); a current resume; a short legal or analytical writing sample and two references.
- Applications are considered as they are received, so students are advised to apply early.

- **Deadline:** January 20, 2027.

Delaware

[The Sarita Wright Lucas Summer Clerkship Program](#) at the Delaware Department of Justice offers paid positions to students who have completed two full years of law school.

- Students who have completed one full year of law school are offered volunteer positions.
- Students/Clerks who have completed two full years of law school are paid a stipend commensurate with that of an entry-level Deputy Attorney General's salary.
- Positions are available in the Wilmington office; the Dover office; or the Georgetown office.
- Anyone wishing to work at the Department of Justice in any capacity (including volunteers and interns) must complete a [DOJ Employment Application](#).
- Applicants should submit the following information with their application: cover letter, resume, law school transcript, and writing sample.
- To apply, or for additional information, please contact:

Brett Fallon
Deputy Attorney General
Brett.Fallon@delaware.gov

Maria Kontis
Deputy Attorney General
Maria.Kontis@delaware.gov

Please copy: Miranda Keith at Miranda.Keith@delaware.gov

- Candidates are encouraged to apply early as offers are extended beginning in October for the following summer.

District of Columbia

The Office of the Attorney General offers an [Internship and Summer Associate Program](#) for highly qualified students to work as volunteer interns during the summer.

- **The deadline for the 2026 Summer Program has passed.** We will update this resource with the information about the 2027 Program when it becomes available.
- Opportunities are available within the following divisions:
 - [Commercial Division](#)
 - [Family Services Division](#)
 - [Legal Counsel Division](#)
 - [Public Advocacy Division](#)
 - [Public Safety Division](#)
- To apply, read the "HOW TO APPLY" section at the bottom of each posting.
- For questions, please contact Keya Ross, Internship and Summer Associates Coordinator, Phone: (202) 724-2308, Email: OAG.Internship@dc.gov.

- **Deadline** February 14, 2026 by 11:59 p.m.

Florida

The [Office of the Attorney General Internship Program](#) is open to interested students enrolled in an accredited ABA law school.

- **The deadline for the 2026 Summer Internship Program has passed.** We will update this resource with the information about the 2027 Program when it becomes available.
- Summer internships are unpaid.
- Students must be able to intern a minimum of 20 hours per week.
- To apply, submit your [Application for Internship](#), résumé, letter from Advisor or University that you are a participant in a law school sponsored program such as Pro Bono Program, Law School sponsored clinic, Law School Paid Stipend Program, etc., and official transcript (if not available on-line unofficial will be accepted, however, official will be needed if chosen).
 - 2nd and 3rd year law students will be expected to provide a writing sample, at the time of interview, if selected.
- Completed internship packets and any questions and comments must be emailed to Recruiting.Desk@myfloridalegal.com.
- **Deadline:** February 28, 2026.

Georgia

The Office of the Attorney General [Summer Internship Program](#) offers summer internship opportunities for rising third year law students who are currently enrolled in an accredited law school.

- **The deadline for the 2026 Summer Internship Program has passed.** We will update this resource with the information about the 2027 Program when it becomes available.
- Duration of program: first week in June through the second week in August
- Each intern receives a \$5,000.00 stipend for the summer.
- Internships are available in nine sections/divisions:
 - Regulated Industries and Professions Division
 - Commercial Transactions and Litigation Division
 - Criminal Justice Division
 - General Litigation Division
 - Government Services and Employment Division
 - Special Prosecutions Section
 - Georgia Medicaid Fraud Prosecution Unit
 - Consumer Protection Unit
 - Solicitor General's Office
- Applicants should submit a [Department of Law Intern Application and GBI Waiver](#), statement of interest, resume noting awards, activities and outstanding accomplishments, copy of most recent transcript, and a writing sample.
- Applications will be accepted electronically at HR@law.ga.gov or can be mailed, addressed:

40 Capitol Square, SW, Atlanta, GA 30334, Attention HR – Internship

- **Deadline:** All applications must be received in office by COB October 15.

Hawai'i

The Department of the Attorney General accepts law students into its 10-week, full-time [Summer Internship Program](#).

- **The deadline for the 2026 Summer Internship Program has passed.** We will update this resource with the information about the 2027 Program when it becomes available.
- To apply, submit a cover letter, resume, law school transcript (unofficial), and legal writing sample to atg.summerinternship@hawaii.gov.
- Any questions may be directed to atg.summerinternship@hawaii.gov.
- **Deadline:** Applications should be submitted by the end of February.

Illinois

The Attorney General's Office invites and encourages current law students to apply to serve as volunteer [law clerks](#) in the Office.

- **The deadline for the 2026 Summer Program has passed.** We will update this resource with the information about the 2027 Program when it becomes available.
- Must commit to working at least 16 hours/week for 10 consecutive weeks during the summer.
- Law clerks may work in the Chicago, Springfield, or a regional office.
- Advanced students who qualify for a 711 license are encouraged to obtain such a license so that they may appear in court under the supervision of an Assistant Attorney General.
- Applicants should complete an [application](#) form, including the background check authorization, attach a current resume, and email all application materials to: attorneyhiring@ilag.gov.
- For further information, visit the Illinois Attorney General's [website](#).
- Inquiries may be directed to Thor Inouye at (773) 590-7949 or attorneyhiring@ilag.gov.
- **Deadline:** The deadline for summer internship applications is February 15th.

Iowa

The Attorney General's Office provides unpaid [legal internships](#) to first and second year law students.

- The Office generally has slots for 10 - 15 summer interns.
- Internships are available in the following divisions:
 - Solicitor General/Farm and Special Litigation Division
 - Statewide Prosecution
 - Agency Counsel
 - Consumer Protection
 - Health and Human Services (HHS)
 - Criminal Appeals
 - Civil Litigation

- Interested students should send cover letter, resume, and transcript (when available) to
AG Human Resources
Office of the Attorney General of Iowa
1305 East Walnut St.
Des Moines, Iowa 50319
AGHumanResources@ag.iowa.gov.

Maine

The Attorney General's Office offers [summer internships](#) for law students going into their second or third year of law school.

- **The deadline for the 2026 Program has passed.** We will update this resource with the information about the 2027 Program when it becomes available.
- The internships generally last ten weeks, with two division rotations.
- The Office anticipates offering a \$4,000 stipend to interns.
- The Office recruits summer candidates through the University of Maine School of Law's Career Services Office.
- Students at other law schools interested in being considered for an internship should send a letter of interest, resume, unofficial transcript, and three references to:
Summer Internship Program
Office of the Attorney General
6 State House Station
Augusta, Maine 04333-0006
- Alternatively, students can e-mail the same documents to HR.OAG@maine.gov with the following subject line: "Summer internship: [Last name], [First initial]."
- **Deadline:** Applications should be received no later than January 28.

Maryland

The Office of the Attorney General sponsors a volunteer [Law Clerk](#) program that provides law students with an opportunity to serve the citizens of Maryland in a wide range of legal fields from criminal investigations and consumer protection to counsel to select state agencies.

- Summer law clerks are expected to work 30-40 hours per week for a minimum of 8 weeks.
- A flyer with more information about the program is available [here](#).
- Available law clerk positions are listed on the website linked above, and candidates should apply by hitting the "Apply" button on the vacancy announcement.
- Feel free to direct any questions about the program to Ronda Kirk by email at rkirk@oag.state.md.us or by phone at (410) 576-6352.
- **Deadline:** Please apply for summer positions before March 1st.

The [Thurgood Marshall Clerkship Program](#) aims to attract diverse first and second year law students who demonstrate not only a devotion to public service and the public good, but also exceptional leadership potential.

- **The deadline for the 2026 Program has passed.** We will update this resource with the information about the 2027 Program when it becomes available.
- 10-week summer clerkship at the downtown Baltimore location of the Maryland Office of the Attorney General.
- Participants receive a stipend of at least \$8,000 for the clerkship.
- In addition to an application, resume and current law school transcript, each applicant must submit responses to essay prompts found on the [Program Application](#). 1L transcripts must be submitted within one week of receipt of first semester grades.
- A [Program Overview](#) and [FAQ](#) about the program can be viewed online.
- You may email questions about applying to thurgoodmarshall@oag.state.md.us.
- **Deadline:** The application deadline for the 2026 Clerkship Program is January 9, 2026 at 11:59 PM.

Massachusetts

The Attorney General's Office [Summer Legal Intern Program](#) is an unpaid, 10-week, full-time program for students completing their 1L or 2L years of law school.

- The 2026 Summer Legal Intern Program will run from June 1, 2027, through August 6, 2027.
- Some funding may be available for those students who cannot secure funding through their law schools.
- Students interested in applying will be asked to submit a cover letter, personal statement (highlighting experiences and interest in public service), resume, and law school transcript (Unofficial is fine. 1L students should submit as soon as semester grades are available).
- Students from local law schools participating in the Massachusetts Law School Consortium have the option of applying instead through the Government & Public Interest Law Recruitment Program.
- For questions about the Legal Intern Program, you may call the Human Resources Office at (617) 963-2109 or email AGOlegalinterns@mass.gov.
- **Deadline:** The Office will be accepting applications between Sunday, November 15, 2026 and 5:00 p.m. ET on December 31, 2026.

Minnesota

The Office of Minnesota Attorney General Keith Ellison accepts applications from law school students interested in an appointment as an extern or summer law clerk in the Office.

- **The deadline for the 2026 Summer Internship Program has passed.** We will update this resource with the information about the 2027 Program when it becomes available.
- Available law clerkships are posted under the Office's [Career Opportunities](#) section.
- The office is currently accepting applications for three [Summer Law Clerks](#) across all divisions in the office and for a Law Clerk in the [Antitrust Division](#).
- These are hybrid positions that pay \$20/hour.
- More information about these opportunities, qualifications, and how to apply are available at the links for each position.

- **Deadline:** February 12, 2026

Nebraska

The Attorney General's Office has paid and unpaid [law clerk opportunities](#) available, and some students work with their law school to obtain course credit.

- Law Clerkships are available in the Agriculture, Environment and Natural Resources (AENR), Criminal, Civil, Legal Services, Consumer Protection, Health Licensure, Medicaid Fraud, Solicitor General, and Transportation Bureaus.
- Interested students should submit a resume, cover letter, ten-page writing sample and transcript to: ago.info.help@nebraska.gov.
- The summer hiring process begins in January.

Nevada

The Office of the Nevada Attorney General seeks up to twelve unpaid [law student interns](#) for its Carson City, Reno, and Las Vegas offices each Summer.

- **The deadline for the 2026 Summer Internship Program has passed.** We will update this resource with the information about the 2027 Program when it becomes available.
- Applications for the Summer 2025 Program will be accepted from September 1, 2025 through March 1, 2026.
- Summer internships will run during the period of May – July.
- Only United States citizens or those legally authorized to work in the U.S. are eligible to apply.
- A State of Nevada/FBI background check will be required of the selected intern.
- Those interns who qualify for certification by the Nevada Supreme Court for training in the practice of law under Supreme Court Rule 49.5 are encouraged to do so.
- To apply, complete and submit the [Law School Intern Application Form](#), resume, a writing sample 3-5 pages in length, and an unofficial transcript to AG-Intern@ag.nv.gov or by mail:

Office of the Attorney General

State of Nevada

c/o Internship Program

555 East Washington Ave., Suite 3900, Las Vegas, NV 89101

- If you have questions, please contact Renee Carreau at (702) 486-2496 or AG-intern@ag.nv.gov.
- **Deadline:** March 1, 2026. The Office will also accept applications and place interns after March 1st deadline if space is available.

New Hampshire

Office of the Attorney General offers the [Summer Legal Intern Program](#) for students currently enrolled in law school.

- 10-week, full-time program which runs May through August.
- Positions are unpaid.
- Applicants are subject to a background check.

- Interested applicants must send a résumé, writing sample, list of references and cover letter stating the bureau of interest (i.e., Criminal, Civil, Environmental, Consumer, Transportation and Construction or Charitable) and availability to Sean Locke, Legal Intern Coordinator at sean.r.locke@doj.nh.gov.
- **Deadline:** The application and interview processes occur on a rolling basis until the available positions are filled.

New Jersey

The Office of the Attorney General and Department of Law & Public Safety offer [internship opportunities](#) in several Divisions.

- **The deadlines for the 2026 Summer Internships have passed.** We will update this resource with the information about the 2027 Internships when it becomes available.
- Each Division that offers internships has its own application process and deadline. For more details, please see the website linked above.
- **Deadline:** Deadlines for summer internships vary based on the Division, and sometimes within each Division. Check each Division's posting for the most current information.
 - [Division of Criminal Justice](#): March 10
 - Division of Law: March 5
 - Division on Civil Rights: Depends on the Unit. Deadlines range from February 1, 2026 to March 14, 2026.
 - [Division of Consumer Affairs](#): March 8
 - Division of Gaming Enforcement: March 1
 - Office of the Solicitor General: Considered on a rolling basis until January 13, 2026 at 12 pm.

New Mexico

The Office of the Attorney General offers a [summer fellowship program](#) to law students.

- The office may provide a limited number of full-time paid summer fellowships, as well as a limited number of unpaid volunteer or externship positions.
- To apply, click "Click Here to Apply" at the bottom of the page at the above link to complete the Application form, and attach a resume and cover letter.
- **Deadline:** January 15, 2027. Applications are reviewed on a rolling basis and positions are filled as candidates are selected. Early application submission is recommended for best consideration.

New York

The New York State Office of the Attorney General offers a Summer Program for Law Students.

- **The deadline for the 2026 Summer Program has passed.** We will update this resource with the information about the 2027 Program when it becomes available.
- Generally, the Office offers [paid](#) opportunities as well as public service [fellowship](#) placements for law students who are eligible to receive summer public interest/service or work study

funding from their law schools.

- Both hybrid and remote placements are available.
- Available opportunities are listed in the Office of the Attorney General's [Law Student Job Postings](#). The summer program officially runs for 8 weeks between May 18 – July 10, 2026.
 - Ten-week placements are available for the public service fellowships, if required by the applicant's funding source.
- To apply, students should submit a cover letter, resume, list of three references, and a writing sample. Each job posting provides specific details about how to apply.
- For further questions or assistance with the application process, contact Legal Recruitment at Recruitment@ag.ny.gov.
- **Deadline:** February 27, 2026

North Carolina

The Attorney General's Office offers unpaid [Summer Internships](#) for law students.

- **The deadline for the 2026 Summer Internship Program has passed.** We will update this resource with the information about the 2027 Program when it becomes available.
- The program runs from Monday, May 18, 2026 through Friday, July 31, 2026
- To apply, submit a completed internship [application](#) and a copy of your resume to interns@ncdoj.gov and a cover letter and resume for each section to which you are applying.
 - The cover letter should be addressed to the contact person(s) identified in the [Section Description](#) and must be e-mailed directly to the contact person(s) or designee.
- For more information on the legal internship program, contact legalinterns@ncdoj.gov.
- **Deadline:** Application deadline is 5:00 p.m. on Friday, January 9, 2026.

Ohio

Law students who have completed at least one semester in an accredited law school can apply to work in one of the Ohio Attorney General's Office legal sections as a [law clerk](#):

- Positions are typically available during the summer.
- In September, the Attorney General's Office conducts on-campus interviews at all the major Ohio law schools and typically attends several regional law schools as well, so please check with your school's career services department for more information.
- If you attend law school out of state, please email your resume, transcript, and writing sample to HR@ohioAGO.gov.

Oregon

The [Law Clerk Program](#) at the Oregon Department of Justice offers paid summer positions to first- and second-year law students enrolled in an accredited law school:

- **The deadline for the 2026 Summer Law Clerk Program has passed.** We will update this resource with the information about the 2027 Program when it becomes available.
- There is a minimum commitment of 10 weeks in the summer for 40 hours a week.

- Compensation is based on an hourly rate and does not include benefits, except as required by law.
- To apply, click on the “Apply” button at the top of [this page](#), and complete the application online and all supplemental questions, attach your resume (1-2 pages), cover letter (1-2 pages), writing sample (3-5 pages), and law school transcript (when available). Unofficial transcripts are acceptable, and may be submitted by email before the application deadline if not immediately available.
- Please email DOJ.recruitment@doj.oregon.gov if you have any questions, and they will be happy to tell you more.
- **Deadline:** January 13, 2026

Pennsylvania

The PA Office of Attorney General offers internships for currently enrolled students.

- **The deadline for the 2026 Summer Internship Program has passed.** We will update this resource with the information about the 2026 Program when it becomes available.
- Internship Opportunities are listed on the [job board](#) for the Pennsylvania Office of Attorney General.
- Opportunities are available within the following sections:
 - [Antitrust](#)
 - [Bureau of Consumer Protection](#)
 - [Bureau of Criminal Investigations: Child Predator Section](#)
 - [Financial Enforcement](#)
 - [Gun Violence Task Force](#)
 - [Insurance Fraud](#)
 - [Medicaid Fraud Control](#)
 - [Human Trafficking \(Pittsburgh\)](#)
 - [Human Trafficking \(Norristown\)](#)
 - [Torts Litigation](#)
 - [Tax Litigation](#)
 - [Litigation \(Pittsburgh\)](#)
 - [Litigation \(Philadelphia\)](#)
 - [Litigation \(Harrisburg\)](#)
- **Deadline:** January 30, 2026 at 11:59 pm ET

Rhode Island

The Rhode Island Attorney General has a [Summer Legal Intern Program](#).

- **The deadline for the 2026 Summer Internship Program has passed.** We will update this resource with the information about the 2026 Program when it becomes available.
- 10-week, full-time program for students completing their first and second years of law school.
- Internships are unpaid and accepted students are encouraged to pursue funding through their law schools.

- Program placements have included:
 - Appellate (Civil & Criminal) – Civil Rights – Criminal Prosecution – Environmental Litigation – Government Litigation – Healthcare and Insurance – Legal Policy – Multistate Litigation – Open Government – Public and Consumer Protection
- You can find the 2026 Internship Brochure [here](#).
- Email application materials (cover letter, resume, and writing sample) as PDF files to: internships@riag.ri.gov
- **Deadline:** The office begins accepting applications on August 15th and encourages submission by November 1st.
 - 1Ls should apply between December 1st and January 15th.

The [William C. Clifton Sr. Clerkship Program](#) provides first- and second-year law students from historically underrepresented populations with the opportunity to spend the summer working on substantive legal matters while building valuable career experience.

- **The deadline for the 2026 Clifton Clerkship Program has passed.** We will update this resource with the information about the 2026 Program when it becomes available.
- The clerkship is for 10 weeks.
- Each selected law student will receive a stipend of approximately \$4,000 for the summer clerkship.
- To apply, complete the [application form](#) and submit a resume, unofficial transcript, two references (one academic), and personal statement via email to Cliftonclerkship@riag.ri.gov. All application materials should be submitted as PDF files.
- You can find FAQs about the Program [here](#), and direct questions about applying to Cliftonclerkship@riag.ri.gov.
- **Deadline:** January 30, 2026.

Utah

The Utah Attorney General's Office offers [clerkships](#) and externships for current law students.

- Clerkships are paid positions, and are not eligible for school credit.
- Externships are unpaid positions and may be eligible for school credit.
- If you are interested in applying, please [apply online](#), and include the areas of law you are interested in and which Division you are interested in working with. You must submit a cover letter, resume, letters of recommendation, official transcripts, and a writing sample.
- If you have any questions, please contact 801-366-0300 or AGHR@agutah.gov.
- **Deadline:** Applications are accepted on a rolling basis.

Vermont

The Attorney General's Office [internship program](#) is designed for rising 2L and 3L law students interested in a unique, rewarding experience in public service.

- The Attorney General's Office accepts applications from interested interns directly to the office and also recruits at seasonal job fairs and law schools.

- Interested applicants should send a cover letter, resume, current transcript (can be unofficial), a short writing sample and contact information for three references.
 - If you are interested in a particular Division of the Attorney General's Office, please indicate your interest in the cover letter.
- The Attorney General's Office regularly provides internship opportunities in its Civil, Criminal, Environmental Protection, General Counsel and Administrative Law, Human Services, Community and Restorative Justice, and Public Protection Divisions, and in the Front Office.
- For more information or to express interest in an internship with the AG's Office, email: AGO.careers@vermont.gov.

Virginia

The Office of the Attorney General offers an unpaid [Summer Internship Program](#).

- **The deadline for the 2026 Summer Internship Program has passed.** We will update this resource with the information about the 2026 Program when it becomes available.
- The Summer 2026 Program runs from June 1 to July 24.
- Please [apply online](#), and include a cover letter detailing your area of legal interest, and academic transcripts (unofficial acceptable).
 - Applicants who have not yet completed their first semester of law school should include a statement indicating that their transcript will be provided once available.
- **Deadline:** January 23, 2026, at 11:55 pm EST

Washington

The Washington State Attorney General's Office is pleased to invite qualified first- and second-year law students to apply for summer 2026 law clerk or externship positions via the [2026 Spring Recruitment Program](#).

- **The deadline for the 2026 Summer Internship Program has passed.** We will update this resource with the information about the 2027 Program when it becomes available.
- Law clerks who have completed their first year of law school will receive \$23/hour. Law clerks who have completed their second year of law school will receive \$24/hour. Law clerk positions assigned to the Seattle office location receive a 5% King County Location Pay.
- Qualified first and second-year students interested in participating in the Spring Recruitment Program must apply to the posting linked above by clicking the "apply" button and submitting a profile. In addition to fully completing a profile and responding to all supplemental questions, you must upload the following materials:
 - A letter of interest
 - Resume
 - Law School Transcript (official or unofficial), and
 - Second-year law students are required to submit one letter of recommendation. The letter of recommendation is the only document that will be accepted separately. The letter of recommendation can be submitted by the recommender before the application

deadline directly to the recruitment office by e-mail (HREmployment@atg.wa.gov).

- First-year law students must submit a list of at least three professional references with their application materials.
- For questions about this recruitment, please contact Jennifer Watsek at jennifer.watsek@atg.wa.gov.
- **Deadline:** All applicants must apply to the posting linked above by 11:59 PM Pacific on February 12, 2026.

Wisconsin

The [Wisconsin Department of Justice](#) offers unpaid internship and externship opportunities, including over the summer.

- To inquire about opportunities please email externship@wisdoj.gov and indicate the specific [division or office](#) you are interested in for an externship.