Law Student Opportunities
Public Rights Division
Environment, Land Law & Natural Resources
Sacramento

The Environment, Land Law, and Natural Resources sections of the California Attorney General’s office seek interested law students and recent graduates for volunteer internship positions in Sacramento. These sections work on behalf of the people of the State of California, representing dozens of state agencies and the Attorney General in his independent capacity to achieve environmental justice, maintain clean air and water, ensure public access to state lands and beaches, and combat environmental pollution. The sections practice before all state and federal trial and appellate courts.

Interns can expect broad exposure to the practice of law in the public sector and may draft motions and pleadings, conduct research on complex and challenging questions of law, draft discovery requests and responses, and review and assess evidence. Interns can also expect frequent opportunities to attend client meetings, depositions, court hearings, and trials. Summer interns can also expect a wide variety of field trips to courts and state agencies, as well as frequent networking opportunities.

Applicants should possess excellent writing, research, and analytical skills and can submit applications at any point during the year. Hiring decisions are made on a rolling basis for summer and school-year internships.

How to Apply:

Please e-mail a cover letter, resume, a recent law school transcript, writing sample, and three professional references to:

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