

# Law Student Opportunities

## Public Rights Division

### Environment Section

#### San Diego

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The Environment Section of the California Attorney General's office seeks interested law students and recent graduates for unpaid externship and internship positions in San Diego. The section works on behalf of the people of the State of California, representing state agencies and the Attorney General in his independent capacity to achieve environmental justice, maintain clean air and water, protect the public from toxic and hazardous agents and combat environmental pollution.

The section practices before all state and federal trial and appellate courts.

Externs and 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. Externs and interns can also expect frequent opportunities to attend client meetings, depositions, court hearings, and trials.

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 externships and internships.

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

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**Deadline to Apply:** Applications will be accepted on a rolling basis. However, the deadlines to apply are as follows: June 30 for Fall; September 30 for Spring; January 31 for Summer.