

ELDER LAW & ADVOCACY

SUMMER 2017 FELLOWSHIP APPLICATION ANNOUNCEMENT

AND APPLICATION PROCEDURES

Elder Law & Advocacy's Summer 2017 Fellowship is a paid summer position, designed to assist low-income, monolingual or bilingual Spanish speaking clients in a court-based clinic setting located in El Centro, California. The ideal candidate will be bilingual with a passion for using their legal skills and education to better the lives of others.

The selected Fellowship candidate will assist clinic participants with both landlord/tenant matters and elder abuse restraining orders under the direct supervision of the clinic's lead attorney. Applicants must be either a 3L or recent law school graduate.

Please submit the following documents electronically in a single PDF file in the order indicated below to creilly@seniorlaw-sd.org by the close of business on January 31, 2017. Please title the email "(Your Name) –Fellowship Application".

1. Signed fellowship application
2. Letters of recommendation (2 total) from a
 - (a) Former employer; and
 - (b) Law school professor
3. Writing sample

This Fellowship is Generously Funded by the California Bar Foundation



About the California Bar Foundation Public Interest Legal Fellowship Program:

Launched in 2015, the California Bar Foundation's Legal Fellowship Program supports diverse rising 3Ls and recent law graduates who are committed to representing low-income and underserved populations in California. We fund leading California legal aid agencies that are committed to building diverse, inclusive staff environments to receive a summer or yearlong legal fellow.

Through this fellowship program, along with diversity scholarships and grants, the California Bar Foundation is catalyzing diversity, equity, and inclusion in the legal profession and, by extension, the justice system as a whole. For more information about the fellowship program, please contact Sheila Bapat at sheilab@calbarfoundation.org.

EL&A 2017 SUMMER FELLOWSHIP APPLICATION

Applicant Name: (Last) (First) (Middle)

Address:

Telephone:

LAW SCHOOL:

Projected Date of Graduation:

Percentile/Rank/GPA:

Law Review/Law Journal:

ADVANCED DEGREE:

School:

Year:

Degree:

Course of Study:

UNDERGRADUATE DEGREE:

School:

Year:

Degree:

Course of Study:

PREVIOUS PUBLIC INTEREST EMPLOYMENT/OR VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE:

1. Employer:

Address:

Dates:

Position:

Duties:

2. Employer:

Address:

Dates:

Position:

Duties:

3. Employer:

Address:

Dates:

Position:

Duties:

Describe briefly (300 words or less) why you would like to be selected for this Fellowship opportunity.

I hereby certify that the facts set forth in the above application are true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that falsified statements on this application shall be considered sufficient cause for denial of receipt of a fellowship.

Date:

Applicant's Signature: