Access to Justice Internship Program stipend included



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Participate in the 2019 Summer Access to Justice Internship Program See how the skills you're building to become a lawyer has the power to change lives.

<u>Access to Justice Internship Program</u> (ATJIP) provides a unique opportunity for law students to participate in an internship with a civil legal aid organization. These internships educate students about the civil legal needs of low-income people and provide future lawyers with the skills to address these problems.

Each law student is supervised by accomplished lawyers and has the opportunity to provide direct legal services to low-income clients while receiving hands-on training and mentorship. Each supervising attorney provides their law students with a variety of experiences and assignments, including significant research and writing, which helps them learn about access to justice matters, legal decision-making, advocacy skills, attorney-client relationships, and legal institutions.

Prospective interns must secure placement with his/her desired legal services organization to <u>be</u> <u>considered</u> for an ATJ internship stipend. Summer interns will receive a stipend of **\$5,000** for 400 hours of work. The application period closes 5 pm, April 8, 2019; announcements will <u>be made</u> April 12.

Approximately 6-8 students will be selected to participate in the Summer program. Applications must be submitted to the Texas Access to Justice Commission, by 5 pm CDT, Monday, April 8, 2019. Selected students will <u>be announced</u> Friday, April 12, 2019.

Send completed application (Sections A-G) to the Texas Access to Justice Commission, Attn: Catherine Galloway via:

- Mail: P.O. Box 12487, Austin, Texas 78711 (must be received in our office by April 8)
- fax: 512.427.4160; or
- email: cgalloway@texasbar.com

Applications available in the Office of Student Affairs.

