

**U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
CRIMINAL DIVISION
THIRTY VOLUNTEER/WORK-STUDY LEGAL INTERN POSITIONS**

The Criminal Division develops, enforces and exercises general oversight for all federal criminal laws, except those that are specifically assigned to other Divisions. Current areas of expertise include counter-terrorism, international narcotics trafficking, corporate fraud, obscenity and child pornography, alien smuggling, and election crime. The Division coordinates the Department's effort on the war on terrorism, national security and other sensitive matters; advises the Attorney General on matters concerning criminal policy and legislative tools, such as correspondent banking subpoenas, attorney fee forfeitures, and Title III wiretaps; facilitates relationships with foreign counterparts; provides leadership for coordinating federal-state-local law enforcement relationships; and supervises certain civil litigation.

POSITION LOCATION(S): Washington, D.C.

QUALIFICATIONS: First-year (second semester), second- and third-year law students with a particular interest in criminal law, a strong academic record and excellent legal research and writing skills. A brief description of the work of each Criminal Division component is listed on the web page below.

DATE POSITION(S) AVAILABLE: Fall Semester (September-December)
Spring Semester (January-May)
Summer (June-August)

ASSIGNMENTS: Student interns in the Criminal Division have an opportunity to work directly with attorneys on a wide range of projects, including researching and analyzing legal issues and reviewing proposed legislation affecting the criminal justice system.

SALARY: Volunteer (without compensation) or work-study credit only.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES: If you are interested in applying to the Criminal Division, you may send your resume, transcript (official or unofficial), writing sample, and cover letter, and the time period and hours you are available to work to:

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Attn: Joel Mekler
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APPLICATION DEADLINE: Spring Program: August 1st to September 1st
Summer Program: January 1st to February 15th
Fall Program: April 1st to May 1st

WEB SITE: <http://www.usdoj.gov/criminal/>

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