

HISPANIC BAR ASSOCIATION OF D.C. FOUNDATION
NATIONAL COUNCIL OF LA RAZA-PATTON BOGGS LLP

PUBLIC INTEREST FELLOWSHIP FOR SUMMER 2011

OVERVIEW

The Hispanic Bar Association of DC Foundation (“HBA-DC Foundation”), the National Council of La Raza and Patton Boggs LLP (“NCLR-Patton Boggs”) are pleased to announce the following fellowship opportunity to support public interest legal work during the Summer of 2011.

Eligibility Criteria:

NCLR and Patton Boggs will award one fellowship in the amount of \$10,000. This fellowship is intended to provide funding for a law student working for the summer in a public interest legal position that is otherwise not compensated by the sponsoring entity. To be eligible, an applicant must be: (1) a first-year Latino/a law student; (2) actively enrolled in, and attending, any accredited law school in the United States or Puerto Rico; and (3) accepted to work for a minimum of eight weeks with the sponsoring entity. The sponsoring entity may be a not-for-profit organization or a governmental agency, and must be located in any of the following cities in the United States: the Washington DC metropolitan area; Denver, CO; Newark, NJ; New York, NY; Dallas, TX; or Anchorage, AK. Preference will be given to students working with entities whose client base includes the Hispanic/Latino community.

Hispanic Bar Association of D.C. Foundation
P.O. Box 1011, Washington, D.C. 20013-1011

APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC INTEREST FELLOWSHIP - SUMMER 2011
(Application may be typed or handwritten in ink.)

**NOTICE: THIS APPLICATION MUST BE POSTMARKED OR EMAILED
NO LATER THAN APRIL 7, 2011 TO BE CONSIDERED FOR THE
SUMMER 2011 FUNDING CYCLE.**

Mail completed application to:

**Public Interest Fellowship Program
Hispanic Bar Association of DC Foundation
P.O. Box 1011
Washington, DC 20013-1011**

Email completed application to:

fellowships@hbadc.org

A completed application must include an original and three (3) copies of the following:

- (1) This application form, including a personal statement of no more than 300 words, which indicates your reasons for seeking a summer position with the sponsoring organization referenced in your application and how your Latino heritage is important to that choice;
- (2) A letter from your sponsoring organization indicating its willingness to host you as a law student intern in the summer of 2011, including a description of the matters and clients that likely will be the focus of your internship (for conflict-checking purposes);
- (3) One letter of reference (if sealed and/or sent separately from the application package, the letter must be postmarked by April 7, 2011 to be considered timely);
- (4) Your resume;
- (5) A law school transcript and an undergraduate transcript (unofficial copies acceptable).

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CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the information contained in this application, and in the accompanying materials, is true and correct to the best of my knowledge:

Applicant's Signature

Date

I PERSONAL INFORMATION

Full Name: _____
Address: _____
Tel. Nos. _____
Email: _____
Law School: _____
Year of Expected Graduation: _____

II SPONSORING ENTITY

Name of Sponsoring Organization: _____

Address: _____

Contact Person: _____

Tel. Nos. _____

Email: _____

Website (if applicable): _____

Type of Legal Service(s) the Organization Provides: _____

III REFERENCE CONTACT INFORMATION

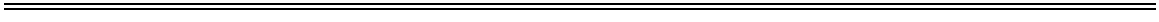
NOTE: This information is for follow-up purposes and does not substitute for letter of reference.

Reference Name: _____
Title, Position, Relationship: _____
Address: _____
Tel. Nos. _____
Email: _____

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IV PERSONAL STATEMENT

Please state briefly (300 words maximum) your reasons for seeking a position with the sponsoring organization you have chosen to work with this summer and how your Latino heritage is important to that choice (attach statement):



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