SOUTHWESTERN LAW SCHOOL
Public Interest Law Concentration
Qualifying Externships

Public Interest
ACLU of Southern California
Advancing Law for Animals
Al Otro Lado
Alliance for Children’s Rights
Asian Americans Advancing Justice
Asian Pacific American Dispute Resolution Center (APADRC)
BASTA Universal, Inc.
Bet Tzedek
California Women’s Law Center
Central American Resource Center (CARECEN)
Children’s Law Center of California
Christian Legal Aid of Los Angeles
Coalition for Humane Immigrant Rights of Los Angeles (CHIRLA)
Community Veteran Justice Project
Constitutional Rights Foundation
Council on American-Islamic Relations
Disability Rights California
Disability Rights Legal Center (DRLC)
EarthJustice
Esperanza Immigrant Rights Project
Eviction Defense Network
Frank D. Lanterman Regional Center
Harriett Buhai Center for Family Law
Housing Rights Center
Immigrant Defenders Law Center
Immigration Center for Women & Children
Inland Counties Legal Services
Inner City Law Center
International Institute of Los Angeles
Jenessa Center, Inc.

Justice In Aging
Kids in Need of Defense (KIND)
Learning Rights Law Center
Legal Aid Foundation of Los Angeles
LevittQuinn Family Law Center
Los Angeles Center for Law and Justice
Los Angeles County Bar Association:
- Immigration Legal Assistance Project
- Veteran’s Legal Services Project
L.A. County Medical Association (LACMA)
Los Angeles Dependency Lawyers
Los Angeles Law Library
Los Angeles LGBT Center
Los Angeles Waterkeeper
Loyola Law School:
- Immigrant Justice Clinic
- Project for the Innocent
MALDEF
Mental Health Advocacy Services
Mercy for Animals
National Health Law Program
Natural Resources Defense Council
Neighborhood Legal Services of L.A. County
Peace Over Violence
Public Counsel
Rainbow Services, Ltd.
Root and Rebound
TransLatina Coalition
Tribal Law and Policy Institute
Unite Here Local 11
Veterans Legal Institute
The Wage Justice Center

Government
District Attorney
Public Defender

A placement that’s not on the above list could also count toward the Public Interest Law Concentration (including law firms). Please see the form on the following page.

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Name: ___________________________  Term: ___________________________

Name of Placement: ____________________________________________________

Review this form with your supervisor at the outset of your externship if you would like this externship to count toward your Public Interest Law Concentration. Note that over half of the fieldwork must include public interest law related matters.

Fill out and submit this form to the Externship Office at the end of your externship if you would like credit toward the Public Interest Law Concentration.

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This acknowledges that at least 50% of the fieldwork included public interest law related matters.

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STUDENT’S PRINTED NAME       STUDENT’S SIGNATURE

DATE: _______________________________

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SUPERVISOR’S PRINTED NAME       SUPERVISOR’S SIGNATURE