



CLINIC – ECONOMIC JUSTICE AT THE ATTORNEY GENERAL’S OFFICE: A PRACTICAL INTRODUCTION

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This clinic will be comprised of a weekly two-hour seminar that focuses on the role and authority of the Office of the New York State Attorney General (OAG) in enforcing laws relating to economic justice, such as the Martin Act, New York State’s blue-sky law, antitrust laws and other laws that protect consumers and investors in New York State from fraudulent and illegal schemes; and 12-15 hours per week of fieldwork in one of the five bureaus of the Office of the Attorney General’s Economic Justice Division. Through the seminar and fieldwork, students will also become familiar with the means by which the Economic Justice Division advances the public interest.

The five Economic Justice bureaus are the:

- [Antitrust Bureau](#)
- [Internet Bureau](#)
- [Consumer Frauds Bureau](#)
- [Investor Protection Bureau](#)
- [Real Estate Finance Bureau](#)

Applications for this externship are being received online.

Please be prepared to submit the following:

- **Cover letter** (include OAG Ref. No. [BEJX_VLS_NYC_FALL_2016] describing your background, why you are interested in taking the externship, and your preferred bureau placement(s))
- **Resume**
- **Transcript** (*Unofficial is acceptable*)
- **Writing Sample** (*Any piece of writing that showcases your writing and critical-thinking skills, such as a course paper or essay*)
- **List of three (3) references with contact information and email addresses**

Please note that acceptance into the program is conditioned upon the successful completion of the OAG's approval process which includes an interview, followed by completion of an OAG employment application, confidentiality agreement, and emergency contact form, and a successful conflicts check.

If you have questions about a position with the OAG, the application process or need assistance with submitting your application, please contact the Legal Recruitment Bureau via email at recruitment@ag.ny.gov

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