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<p>American Bar Association</p>	<p>Summer 2023 Diversity Stipend</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Do you represent a diverse or underrepresented group? • Are you interested in antitrust, consumer protection, or privacy law? • Are you applying for an internship in those fields at a Washington, D.C.-based government agency or nonprofit organization? <p>Students that meet the above criteria and accept a Summer 2023 internship offer from a qualified organization can seek funding from the American Bar Association, Antitrust Law Section!</p> <p>Qualified internship organizations include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • U.S. Department of Justice, Antitrust Division • Federal Trade Commission • Consumer Financial Protection Bureau • American Antitrust Institute (or similar nonprofit organizations) <p>Complete THIS FORM to receive an application to the 2023 ABA Antitrust Law Section Diversity Stipend Program.</p>	<p>Open</p>	<p>Not listed.</p>	<p>Application</p>

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The New York Bar Foundation	<p>THE NEW YORK BAR FOUNDATION 2023 DIVERSITY SUMMER FELLOWSHIP IN HEALTH LAW NEW YORK STATE BAR ASSOCIATION/ HEALTH LAW SECTION</p> <p>The New York Bar Foundation is pleased to announce the 2023 Diversity Summer Fellowship The New York Bar Foundation is pleased to announce the 2023 Diversity Summer Fellowship in Health Law which has been established by The Foundation through a gift from the Health Law Section of the New York State Bar Association. The Fellowship will be awarded to a law student who is currently enrolled in a law school in the State of New York to work with a healthcare attorney or facility in the State of New York during the summer of 2023.</p>	12/05/2022	<p>1. A completed application (application form below) 2. Cover letter of interest 3. Unofficial undergraduate and law school transcripts 4. Resume 5. Two letters of recommendation 6. One writing sample on any topic. Although preferable, the writing sample need not be limited to a health care subject.</p>	<u>Application</u>

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<p>Foley & Lardner 2L Diversity Fellowship Program</p>	<p>Foley & Lardner is dedicated to fostering an environment that embraces differences, promotes equality, and engenders mutual respect, thereby creating a culture of inclusion where everyone has the opportunity to excel. For the 2023 Summer Program, Foley is offering our Diversity Fellowship Program for second-year law students (Class of 2024). These fellowships are for students who share our values and demonstrate a commitment to promoting diversity and inclusion. Each Diversity Fellow receives a weekly salary throughout the 10-week program, plus a \$20,000 taxable fellowship, which will be paid in two equal amounts: \$10,000 following successful completion of the firm's 2023 Summer Associate Program, and \$10,000 paid within 30 days after joining the firm as an associate/law graduate. Applications will be accepted from second-year J.D. students enrolled in an ABA-accredited law school, regardless of race, gender, age, ethnicity, sexual orientation, disability, or any other characteristic or condition protected by applicable law. In addition to applying for the fellowship through our career portal, applicants must apply to at least one of our office's summer programs in order to be eligible. Interested applicants should apply with a current resume, unofficial or official law school transcript (including complete grades for all completed law school semesters), and a personal statement (approximately 500 words in length) describing your background, accomplishments, or leadership experience that would help you contribute to our</p>		<p>Resume Transcripts Personal Statement</p>	<p><u>Applica tion</u></p>
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	<p>diversity mission/promoting diversity at our law firm and within the community. Foley & Lardner LLP is an Affirmative Action / Equal Opportunity / M / F / Vet / Disabled Employer.</p> <p>To learn more and apply, click here.</p>			

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<p>Kirkland & Ellis 2L Diversity Fellowship Program</p>	<p>As part of our ongoing commitment to diversity, we are proud to sponsor the Kirkland & Ellis 2L Diversity Fellowship Program. Since 2004, Kirkland has sponsored 340 Fellows with grants totaling over \$7 million. In addition to a \$50,000* scholarship, our 2L Diversity Fellowship provides a unique opportunity for students to work alongside some of the top lawyers in the world, gain hands-on experience and mentoring, develop leadership skills, interact with Firm clients and make enduring connections with peers.</p> <p>Fellowship applicants should submit a personal statement explaining the individual's interests and goals in joining Kirkland. Applicants must also apply to and receive an offer to join the summer program at one of the Firm's offices. Please reach out to Jason Triplett with any questions.</p> <p>Applications will open in Spring 2023.</p> <p>*\$50,000 less all required income and payroll taxes.</p>	<p>Spring 2023</p>	<p>Not Listed</p>	<p><u>Application</u></p>

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<p>Day Pitney LLP 2L Diversity Fellowship Program</p>	<p>As part of our commitment to promoting diversity, equity and inclusion in the legal profession, Day Pitney is launching the Day Pitney 2L Diversity Fellowship Program to promote the recruitment, development and retention of attorneys from historically underrepresented backgrounds. The goal of the program is to increase opportunities for talented law students who have demonstrated a commitment to promoting diversity, equity and inclusion.</p> <p>Day Pitney's 2L Diversity Fellowship Program provides \$15,000 awards* (less any applicable withholdings) to a select number of qualified second-year law students to help cover law school expenses in addition to offering a salaried position in our 2023 Summer Associate Program.</p> <p>* The \$15,000 award is contingent upon the student receiving and accepting an offer to join Day Pitney's 2023 Summer Associate Program <i>and</i> receiving and accepting an offer to join the firm as a full-time associate following law school graduation. The firm will pay the first half of the award (\$7,500) upon completion of the 2023 Summer Associate Program <i>and</i> acceptance of a full-time offer to join the firm as a first-year associate. The firm will pay the second half of the award (\$7,500) with the fellow's first paycheck upon the start of employment as a first-year associate following law school graduation. Applicants are not eligible if they were awarded a similar diversity award from</p>	<p>Apply Now</p>	<p>Online Application Resume Transcript Diversity Statement</p>	<p><u>Application</u></p>
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<p>Paul Weiss 2L Pauli Murray Diversity Fellowship</p>	<p>Our 2L Diversity Fellowship honors former Paul, Weiss associate <u>Pauli Murray</u> (1956). The first Black woman associate employed by a major New York City law firm, Murray established a legacy we are proud to honor by continuing to invest in the development and promotion of diverse talent.</p> <p>The 2L Pauli Murray Diversity Fellowship will be awarded each year to a select group of law students pursuing a 2L Summer Associate position in our New York, San Francisco or Washington, D.C. offices. In addition to experiencing our Summer Program’s substantive assignments, robust training, multi-faceted mentorship, client engagement and social events, fellowship recipients will be awarded \$50,000, to be paid in installments as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$15,000 upon acceptance of 2L summer associate offer with Paul, Weiss • \$25,000 upon acceptance of full time associate offer with Paul, Weiss • \$10,000 at the completion of the first year of practice at Paul, Weiss 	<p>Details Posted in Spring 2023</p>	<p>Not Listed</p>	<p><u>Application</u></p>

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King & Spalding 2L Diversity Fellowship	<p>The best talent is diverse in many ways, including gender, race, sexual orientation, gender identity, and national origin. A diverse talent base provides the range of experience, approach and judgment necessary to achieve the best results for our clients and creates the most collegial and interesting workplace environment.</p> <p>Achieving a diverse workplace is a fundamental value of King & Spalding and our diversity fellowship programs further our commitment to recruit, retain and promote talented lawyers who will contribute to the advancement of diversity within the firm and in the legal profession.</p>	Apply Now	Resume Transcripts Personal Statement	<u>Application</u>

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<p>The Judicial Intern Opportunity Program (JIOP)</p>	<p>The Judicial Intern Opportunity Program (JIOP) is a full-time (six-week minimum) summer internship program open to diverse law students who want to do legal research and writing for state or federal judges. Internships are available in several locations in California, Illinois and Texas. In addition, we offer internships in the following cities: Phoenix, AZ; Washington, DC; Miami, FL; New York, NY; Philadelphia, PA (including Delaware and Camden, NJ); Salt Lake City, UT; and Seattle, WA. Students indicate their geographic and legal preferences on their applications but may not indicate court.</p> <p>The mission of JIOP to provide opportunities to students who are members of racial and ethnic groups that are traditionally underrepresented in the profession. The program also provides opportunities to students with disabilities, students who are economically disadvantaged, women, veterans, and students who identify themselves as LGBTQ+.</p> <p>The length of the internship and the weekly hour requirements are subject to an agreement between the student and participating judge, subject to a six-week minimum. Students are expected to coordinate their schedules with their individual judges and to work the hours (normally 35–40 hours per week) required by each judge. JIOP provides interns with</p>	<p>01/06/2022</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A completed application form; • Resume; • Grades (if 2L; we ask 1Ls to add their first semester grades as soon as they are available); • A legal writing sample; and • A statement of interest. 	<p>Application</p>
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	<p>a \$2,000 award for their work during the summer.</p> <p>Each participating city hosts a program orientation and welcome reception for selected students. Additionally, in many cities local law firms and bar associations offer JIOP interns a wide range of supplemental events and activities. Local JIOP alumni will engage with the students through their mentoring circle program and their Summer Speaker Series. We ask that internships take place at the beginning of the summer to maximize participation in the orientations and welcome receptions as well as in any supplemental activities.</p>			

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<p>Summer Legal Internship</p>	<p>The summer internship will be in-person in New York City and across New York state. Interns will spend half their summer with judges in New York, and half the summer developing legal research and writing skills with the Franklin H. Williams Judicial Commission of the New York State Courts. Our commission is a permanent, independent monitor for equal justice and the prevention of racial bias in the New York court system. We're named in honor of Ambassador Franklin H. Williams, a civil rights attorney who was protégé to Thurgood Marshall at the NAACP LDF and a founding organizer of the Peace Corps.</p> <p>This internship includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Built-in internship with NY State Judge – we will place interns with a judge for half the summer • No need to provide law school transcript or grades – this internship is part of our broader mandate to expand pipelines to the legal profession, and we've identified this as a potential opportunity to level the playing field • Opportunities in NYC but also around NY State – all applicants that apply by December 15th will get a decision by March 1st. Rolling deadline for everyone else. Many of your students will end up admitted in NY, and 	<p>12/15/2022</p>	<p>Not listed.</p>	<p>Email</p>
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<p>NYSBA Environmental & Energy Law Section</p>	<p>>7,500 stipend to spend the summer of 2023 (8 weeks minimum) working on legal matters for a government environmental or energy agency or public interest environmental organization in New York State. (The applicant need not have identified a summer internship prior to applying for the fellowship. After a 2023 fellowship awardee has been selected, members of the Section can assist the awardee in searching for a summer internship placement.)</p> <p>> Invitation to a meeting of the NYSBA's Environmental & Energy Law Section</p> <p>> Assignment of a mentor from the environmental or energy bar</p>	<p>02/06/2022</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Completed application form > Resume > Undergraduate Transcript > Law school transcript > Essay describing applicant's interest in environmental or energy issues > Reasons for wanting to participate in the Fellowship > Two letters of recommendation 	<p>Application</p>

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FORCHELLI DEEGAN TERRANA LLP DIVERSITY FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM Summer 2023	<p>Forchelli Deegan Terrana LLP actively recruits qualified candidates with diverse backgrounds and perspectives to foster an inclusive workplace to best serve our clients. As part of this commitment to diversity and attracting top candidates, the firm is proud to offer the Forchelli Deegan Terrana LLP Diversity Fellowship Program. FDT's Diversity Fellowship Program provides a deserving individual with a paid legal clerk position (full-time or part-time) in our Uniondale, NY office. Additionally, the recipient is awarded a \$1,500 academic scholarship to be applied toward his/her law school tuition for the 2023-2024 academic year. We are proud to be dedicated to our mission of diversity and inclusion in the workplace, creating an environment that fosters mutual respect among all of our employees</p>	02/01/2023	Eligible Applicants to Provide: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Resume • Personal statement of no more than 500 words o Describe your interest in FDT and the Diversity Fellowship Program. Share how you plan to contribute to the diversity of FDT and the Nassau County legal community • Writing sample • Undergraduate transcript and law school grades (upon availability) • Two professional or academic references o Please provide contact information, relationship to individual and authorization to contact individuals 	Application

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<p>The Administrative Office of the US Courts</p>	<p>Summer Judicial Internship Diversity Project</p> <p>The Judicial Resources Committee and Just the Beginning – A Pipeline Organization is pleased to announce the annual Summer Judicial Internship Diversity Project ("SJID Project") for Summer 2023.</p> <p>The SJID Project's goal is to provide summer judicial internships to diverse law students from communities underrepresented in the legal community. Operating nationally since 2011, the SJID Project has placed approximately 600 law students in successful internships to date. Judges from around the country have registered to participate in the 2022 SJID Project and are ready to hire a JTB law intern!</p>	<p>01/06/2023</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cover Letter explaining the applicant's interest in participating in the SJID Project and the importance of diversity in the legal field. • Resume • Law School Transcript (1Ls may submit undergraduate transcript but must provide first semester grades to sjidproject@jtb.org as soon as they become available.) • Writing Sample (10 pages maximum.) • Three References (no family members.) • Signed Memorandum of Understanding (Found in the Announcement) 	<p>Application</p>

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<p>2023 USLAW NETWORK Law School Diversity Scholarship Program</p>	<p>The 2023 USLAW NETWORK Law School Diversity Scholarship Program will award \$5,000 for up to 10 students selected by our scholarship selection committee. Applications may be submitted starting December 5, 2022, with a deadline for applications by February 1, 2023.</p>	<p>02/01/2023</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A completed scholarship application form (attached). 2. A certified, official copy of law school transcript and undergraduate transcript. 3. A copy of your resume or CV. 4. A letter of recommendation. 5. A one-page typed essay describing how you have utilized your time promoting diversity, equity, inclusion, or social justice within your community. Alternatively, you may write about how you will use your law degree to promote diversity, equity, inclusion, or social justice in the future in your legal career, in the legal profession at large, and/or in your community. 	<p>Application</p>

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NALP Member Diversity Fellowships & Scholarships	Organizations within the legal community have provided information regarding diversity programs, initiatives and events.	Various	Not Listed	https://www.nalp.org/members/diversityinitiatives