CONGRATULATIONS
Class of 2019!

We know you’re going to be busy pretty soon with studying for finals and the bar exam.

Check out page 6 for post graduate opportunities!

If you received a BLS Public Service Award, be sure to pick it up at the Public Service Law Center (20th floor of 111 Livingston Street).

Best of luck to you all!
SUMMER INTERNSHIPS

National Center for Law and Economic Justice
Sym. #47174

Staten Island Legal Services - Homeowners Defense Project
Sym. #47172

Brooklyn Legal Services Corporation A (tenants' rights)
Sym. #47154

Prisoners' Legal Services of NY - Ithaca (immigration)
Sym. #47142

Justice in Motion (migrant rights)
Sym. #46187

New York City Dept. of Housing Preservation & Development
Sym. #47170

SUMMER FUNDING

Deadline: Thurs., April 18

Arthur Pinto Public Service Fellowship for LGBTQ Rights
Sym. #46931

BLS Veterans' Rights Fellowship
Sym. #46932

Kate Welling Disability Rights Fellowship
Sym. #46930

You can find lots more information on funding your public service summer [here](#).
2019 EXTERNSHIP ENROLLMENT

Summer 2019 Externship Enrollment Deadline is April 26, 2019

If you have found a summer externship placement and plan to enroll in the Summer 2019 Civil Practice, Criminal Practice, or Judicial Externship Course, you must submit your application to CORE by Friday, April 26, 2019.

If you have not secured a placement by that deadline, you alternatively must send an email by that date to the externship administrator alisa.adolph@brooklaw.edu, subject line: Pending Placement List. This will alert us that your externship search is pending, and you want us to provisionally list you in a fieldwork course and seminar.

Numerous credit-bearing summer work opportunities are still available on Symplicity. Additional positions are posted on websites for government and private law offices. Your career counselor is available to help you find the right placement for your educational objectives.

For more information about Externship courses, please read the Externship Student Manual on CORE. Once you have educated yourself about course requirements, including fieldwork and seminar, please contact us to answer any additional questions.
The NY State Pro Bono Scholars Program (PBSP) is a statewide program established by the New York Court of Appeals that allows students in their final year of law school to sit for the February New York State bar exam.

Following the bar exam, from late February to mid-May 2019, Scholars will work full-time providing qualifying direct legal services to individuals who would not otherwise have access to justice. Scholars must also complete the requirements of the law school's academic component. Scholars must complete 520 hours total of qualifying pro bono work and academic work.

Pro Bono Scholars must be placed at a direct services non profit organization. Brooklyn Law School's Pro Bono Scholars select their own placements, subject to the courts' rules for the PBSP and approval by BLS.

The early deadline to apply will be April 23 at 5:00 PM. If you apply by the early deadline, please include your placements of interest.

The late deadline is September 2, if you apply by this deadline you must already have a placement.

NOTE: Interested applicants should also keep in the mind upcoming deadlines for registering for the MPRE, NY Law Exam, and February Bar.

Want to discuss the pro bono scholars program with an adviser or need help looking for a placement?

Email us at publicservice@brooklaw.edu

APPLY HERE!
JUDGE THEODORE T. JONES JR. MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The Brooklyn Bar Association will fund a $5,000 scholarship for the fall 2019 tuition of a Brooklyn Law Student. The student should embody the best practices of Judge Jones - a highly respected jurist who was committed to equal justice for all.

You can read more about Judge Jones here!

Candidates should have be public service-oriented and have demonstrated financial need.

Brooklyn Law School will select at least three candidates to interview for the scholarship.

To apply for the scholarship, submit a cover letter (addressed to the Brooklyn Bar Association), resume, and transcript to the Public Service Law Center by Symplicity by April 24, 2019.
POST GRAD OPPORTUNITIES

New York City Department of Social Services - Entry Level Attorney
Sym. #47051

New York City Law Department
Assistant Corporation Counsel
Sym. #47069

New York City Administration for Children's Services,
Agency Attorney
Sym. #45656, 47066, 47122

Chemung County District Attorney's Office
Assistant District Attorney
Sym. #46853

Earthjustice
Associate Attorney - Coal
Sym. #47030

Bronxworks
Attorney - Elder Abuse
Sym. #46908

MTA New York City Transit
Attorney Consultant
Sym. #46715

Legal Information for Families Today
Bronx Staff Attorney
Sym. #46700

New York City Department of Consumer Affairs, Staff Counsel
Contracts
Sym. #46698

The Legal Aid Society
Civil Practice Staff Attorney
(Housing Unit)
Sym. #47038

State of Alaska, Department of Law: Fellowship - Opinions,
Appeals & Ethics Section
Anchorage
Sym. #47040

Prisoners' Legal Services of New York
Sym. #46850 & 46852

New York State Office of the Attorney General, Special Assistant
Attorneys General (NYU Fellowship)
Sym. #46799
REMEMINDER: Log your pro bono hours on Public Service's Pro Bono Log.

WHAT CAN I LOG?

Hours worked during law school in internships at government agencies (NOT JUDGES) or nonprofit organizations, for credit, on a volunteer basis, or for a grant/stipend (e.g., the Public Service Grant, Sparer Fellowship--BUT NOT for salary); all work for BLS pro bono projects; work in BLS clinics.

WHY SHOULD I LOG?

You will receive a BLS Public Service Award. Graduating students receive awards based on the hours they log.

The Public Service Awards are presented to graduating students at a ceremony each spring. An award is a great addition to your resume to show your commitment to public service!

*The BLS Pro Bono Log has no relation to the New York State Bar pro bono requirement. For info on the NYS requirement, click here!
QUESTIONS?

Need help and/or advice on the spring semester, internships, fellowships, resume/cover letter, post graduate work, application essays, class selection?

Email us to set up an appointment with one of our public service advisers!

Public Service Law Center
111 Livingston Street, 20th floor · Monday-Friday, 9:00am-5:00pm
To schedule an appointment, please call (718) 780-0689 or email publicservice@brooklaw.edu.

For current information and updates on public service opportunities, follow us on Facebook!