

Legal Internships

Law students play a crucial role at Inner City Law Center and help ensure every resident of Los Angeles has access to safe and affordable housing. Students are assigned to one of ICLC's project areas and work on a variety of tasks designed to hone their advocacy skills and prepare them for a career in public interest law.



RESEARCH AND WRITING

Students will research and analyze complex legal issues, draft pleadings and motions, propound and respond to discovery, and assist with mediation and trial briefs.

CLIENT-CENTERED WORK AND ORAL ADVOCACY

Students will participate in client intake and interview sessions, help prepare for depositions and courtroom proceedings, and assist with administrative hearings. Certified law students may get opportunities to argue motions in L.A. Superior Court.

TRAININGS AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

During their time at ICLC, students will have the opportunity to attend a variety of trainings focused on housing law, veterans issues, trauma-informed practices, cultural competency, and trial skills, as well as meet and learn from skilled lawyers and bench officers.

REQUIREMENTS

- *Prior experience with non-profit organizations or legal services work required.
- *An interest in public interest work is required.
- *Spanish language skills are preferred but not required.
- *Fall and winter/spring interns must commit at least 16 hours a week to ICLC.



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