ACLU OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA
JOB ANNOUNCEMENT
LEGAL FELLOW

The American Civil Liberties Union of Southern California (ACLU SoCal) seeks third-year law students and recent law school graduates to sponsor for school-based fellowships for the 2017 term. ACLU SoCal has particular interest in the following areas:

- Reproductive Justice/Gender Equity in Los Angeles
- First Amendment and Criminal Justice in Los Angeles
- Immigrants’ Rights in Los Angeles

ABOUT ACLU SOCAL

The ACLU of Southern California comprises two organizations: The ACLU of Southern California and the ACLU Foundation of Southern California (collectively “ACLU SoCal”). Founded in 1923, ACLU SoCal has been at the forefront of numerous major efforts for civil liberties, civil rights, and equal justice in California. ACLU SoCal tackles a vast array of issues, including criminal justice, First Amendment, gender equity, reproductive justice, LGBTQ rights, immigrants’ rights, police practices, education, and economic justice. ACLU SoCal has offices in Los Angeles, Orange County, and the Inland Empire.

APPLICATION GUIDELINES:

Candidates are strongly encouraged to highlight their experience, skills, and demonstrated commitment and enthusiasm to work in ACLU SoCal and any of the above issue areas. Candidates are also welcome, but not required, to include their own ideas for focusing their fellowship projects in any of the above issue areas in their application. Compelling projects build on our and your experience and skills, and generally combine impact litigation and/or policy advocacy with community partnerships through activities such as coalition-building, outreach, public education, and/or technical assistance to community organizations.

TO APPLY:

ACLU SoCal will accept applications for school-based fellowships until April 30, 2017. Note that we will make our decisions on a rolling basis so please submit your materials as soon as possible. Please include a detailed cover letter describing your interest in working with ACLU SoCal, your interest in working on any of the above issue areas, and your ideas for a fellowship project if applicable. Please also indicate the particular school-based fellowship(s) for which you plan on applying and attach your resume, list of three references, a writing sample, and law school transcript.

Please submit all application materials (no phone calls please) to fellowships@aclusocal.org.

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