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| **SEMESTER(S) OFFERED** | Fall, Winter or Spring |
| **CLINICAL COURSE COMPONENT** | The Role of the State Attorney General (Fall Course) |
| **COURSE CREDITS** | 2 fall classroom credits |
| **CLINICAL CREDITS** | 4 or 5 clinical credits for Fall or Spring; 2 clinical credits for Winter |
| **LOCATION** | Boston AG’s Office in Fall or Spring; at AG office’s nationwide for Winter |
| **REGISTRATION TYPE** | Helios |

**TYPES OF WORK**

The State Attorney General Clinic offers students an opportunity to work with the Office of the Massachusetts Attorney General’s Office. Clinical students’ responsibilities will include writing and research work pertinent to the division in which they are placed. Assignments will often include research and drafting memos and briefs.

Past division assignments at the Boston Office have included:

* The Criminal Bureau
  + White Collar and Public Integrity Division; Appeals Division; Enterprise, Major, and Cyber Crimes Division; Gaming Enforcement Division
* Energy and Environment Bureau
  + Environmental Protection Division; Environmental Crimes Strike Force
* Government Bureau
  + Trial Division; Constitutional and Administrative Law Division
* Public Protection and Advocacy Bureau
  + Fair Labor Division; Civil Rights Division; Consumer Protection Division

**SKILLS**

* Factual and legal research
* Memorandum and brief writing
* Strategizing about cases
* Motions practice

**TYPICAL WORK SCHEDULE**

During Fall and Spring terms, students work on-site at the Boston Attorney’s General Office for 16 or 20 hours/week.

A typical day might include:

* Travel to the office
* Work on an ongoing research project
* Drafting a motion to dismiss
* Check in with supervisor about assignments for next week
* Observe an oral argument in the afternoon

During the Winter term, students work full-time for three week at various AG’s offices throughout the country.

Your work schedule will vary depending on the office that you are placed with.

Recent past placements have been at the AG’s offices in:

* Wyoming, North Carolina, Delaware, New Jersey, Washington, Wisconsin, Vermont, Rhode Island, Florida, Ohio