

Position: Legal Intern Location: Philadelphia, PA Dates: Summer 2017

Intern with Pennsylvania's Premier Environmental Non-Profit Law Firm

PennFuture is one of the first statewide environmental organizations in Pennsylvania to employ a fulltime litigation staff located around the state to fulfill its mission. PennFuture holds its lawyers to a very high standard that demands intellectual excellence, rigorous preparation, ethical integrity, and a zealous commitment to the mission of conserving Pennsylvania's natural resources for this and future generations.

A legal internship with PennFuture offers a unique opportunity to use advocacy skills to make a difference at the grassroots and programmatic levels, watchdog skills to ensure government decisions are made only after effective public participation and in compliance with the law, and litigation skills to protect the environment and compel compliance with the law. Areas of focus include protection of Pennsylvania's air, water, land and wildlife resources.

The small size of the team at PennFuture enables a legal intern to be a crucial asset to our efforts, as well as provide the opportunity to work directly with experienced attorneys. The legal intern will receive direct feedback from supervising attorneys and participate in the legal team's meetings, as well as meetings of the full staff. The legal intern will be exposed to numerous opportunities for professional development. We look forward to welcoming our legal intern onto our team and to the contributions they will make to our mission.

Qualifications: We look for candidates with excellent writing, research, and analytical skills, as well as solid interpersonal skills. An environmental law background is preferable, but not a requirement.

Application Instructions:

Submit cover letter, resume, and writing sample to:

Alice R. Baker PennFuture <u>baker@pennfuture.org</u>

Deadline: May 15, 2017

PennFuture is an equal opportunity employer. All qualified applicants will receive consideration without regard to race, color, national origin, marital status, religion, gender, age, disability, sexual orientation or political affiliation.

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