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FEDERAL DISTRICT COURT

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Time Requirements:	<u>Academic Year:</u> Average of 12 hours / week only.
Position Requirements:	None
# of Externs per Academic Year:	Up to 2
Summer Participation:	No
# of Externs per Summer:	N/A
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Special Note(s):	N/A

Placement in a United States District Judge's chambers will expose an extern to a broad variety of federal criminal and civil cases in every stage of the litigation process. Although this may sound very exciting, it is also very demanding. We expect our externs to be diligent and motivated and to have the ability to provide us with a quality work product. In turn, we will provide our externs with one-on-one supervision, instruction and mentorship as well as invaluable exposure to the workings of a judge's chambers and judicial decision-making.

An extern's responsibilities can be divided into two general categories: (1) conducting legal research and drafting memoranda under the supervision of the Judge's Senior Law Associate for the Judge's review and (2) courtroom observation. The projects that we assign to the externs will be challenging and will invariably involve many constitutional and federal legal issues arising out of the more than 600 civil and criminal cases presently pending before Judge Scullin.

We welcome all law students to apply for this position. We prefer students with strong writing and research abilities and above-average grades; however, we also look for externs who are "well-rounded" and possess life experience, good judgment, enthusiasm, and integrity.