



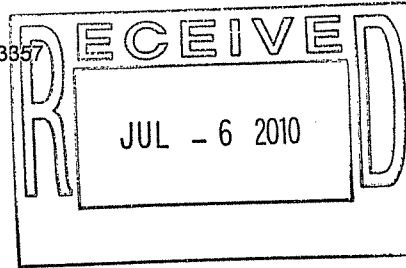
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**THE SONOMA COUNTY PUBLIC DEFENDER OFFICE
INVITES SECOND YEAR LAW STUDENTS TO APPLY
FOR LAW CLERK INTERNSHIP POSITIONS**

QUALIFICATIONS:

Successful completion of first year of an accredited law school program and current enrollment in second year of law school, with a cumulative Grade Point Average of no less than 76.00%.

ABILITY:

Ability to analyze and apply legal principles, facts, evidence and precedents to a legal problem; to present statements of law, fact and arguments clearly and logically in written and oral form; to establish and maintain harmonious and cooperative relationships with other staff members, other county staff, and the public; to perform legal research and prepare legal opinions; and to evaluate complaints and obtain information through personal interviews.

This is an unpaid position and the office is seeking a minimum six month commitment. You will receive excellent experience in researching and writing legal briefs. Paid law clerk positions are expected to open after six months. Beginning law clerks normally start at around ten hours per week. The starting pay is \$20.27 per hour.

SELECTION PROCEDURE:

Please submit a resume and two writing samples (such as exam answer, research memorandum or legal motion) to this office at the above address, to the attention of Jeff Mitchell, Deputy Public Defender. There is room for one or two new clerks.

Final candidates will be notified of oral interviews.

APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY JULY 17, 2010