

## Partnering with Law Schools Webinar

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### Webinar Goal

- To illustrate and explore the various ways that legal service providers engage in meaningful partnerships with law schools to both:
  - Increase legal capacity
  - Train the next generation of public interest minded advocates.

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## **Webinar Objectives**

- Provide concrete examples of various partnership models
- Demonstrate how these models can both enhance a professional and strong immigration program and improve the quality of law students' legal education
- Identify common themes, challenges and solutions

#### Webinar Format

• Facilitated Discussion w/ moderation from Martin Gauto

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Q&A session

## Webinar Agenda

- · Establishing the relationship
- Summer internships
- · Externships for academic credit
- · Law school clinics
- Working with public interest student groups
- Post-graduate fellowships

## **Questions?**

• Please post your questions and we will address them at the conclusion of the webinar.

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## **Establishing the Relationship**

- Engaging law school administration
- · Recruiting students
- Interviewing students

# **Summer Internships**

- Setting expectations
- Training
- Types of assignments
- Supervision

### **Externships for Academic Credit**

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- What is an externship?
- Assignments
- Pros and cons

### Law School Clinics

- Referring cases
  - Types of cases
  - Pros and cons
- Classroom component
  - CCNY's partnership with St. John's University School of Law

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#### Working with Public Interest Student Groups

• Public Interest Law Foundations (PILF)

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- Workshops/clinics
- Alternative breaks
- Other?

# Post-Graduate Fellowships

- National fellowships
- Law school specific fellowships

