

EXTERNSHIP PLACEMENT (EXTRN)

EXTRN 900: Externship Placement

2-6 Credits/Maximum of 9

Externship Placements offer students the opportunity to work and learn in a variety of settings outside the Law School under the supervision of a full-time faculty member. Placements are in public service or nonprofit offices, including local, state and federal government and judicial offices. Students work with experienced supervisors in those offices to develop skills in legislative drafting, opinion writing, client counseling, research, administrative and criminal practice, statutory analysis and interpretation, and application and enforcement of regulations. Through their work and class discussions, students are expected to develop a heightened awareness of the methods and functions of the legislative, regulatory, judicial, and public interest representation functions. Available placements include state cabinet level agencies, state and federal judicial chambers, legal services offices, legislative offices, local governments, Penn State offices, and state prosecutor and public defender offices.

Faculty Supervisor approval required.

EXTRN 901: Externship Placement - International Justice Program

10 Credits

International Justice Program Externship

Prerequisite: CRMLW 970; ULWR 968; ULWR 941; equivalent course approved by program supervisor and faculty approval required
CONCURRENT: ULWR 943

EXTRN 903: Washington D.C. Externship

10 Credits

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PREREQUISITE: Faculty Approval Required

EXTRN 904: Externships Everywhere

1-12 Credits/Maximum of 12

The Externships Everywhere Program gives students the opportunity to work at an approved externship placement away from the law school on a full time basis and complete a research and writing seminar on a topic related to the externship.

PREREQUISITE: Faculty Approval Required

EXTRN 997: Special Topics

1-12 Credits/Maximum of 21

Faculty approval required.