

2011 APPLICATION PROCEDURES

Skadden Fellowships will provide support for 2011 law school graduates and outgoing judicial law clerks who want to work in the public interest for the type of organization described below. The Fellowship duration is for two years.

Grants will be made to sponsoring organizations only. Therefore, before the final application date of October 4, a public interest organization which will sponsor the applicant must be identified. The sponsor must be a 501(c)3 organization which provides civil legal services to the poor, including the working poor, the elderly, the disabled or those deprived of their civil or human rights.

When the application is considered by the grantmaking panel, the worthiness of the proposed project's goals as well as the applicant's competency, character and commitment will be considered.

It must also be understood that the applicant cannot receive any other fellowship funds or prize monies for the duration of the Skadden Fellowship, if awarded. Applications must be received by October 4. Fellows will be notified by December 3.

Those submitting applications for the first year will be required to submit this Fellowship Application plus the following:

1. Official Law School Transcript
2. Two (2) Letters of Recommendation from:
 - (a) Law School Professor
 - (b) Former Employer
3. Commitment Letter from Potential Sponsoring Organization (and brochure if available)
4. 501(c)3 Tax-exempt Status Qualifying Letter
5. Resume

Please feel free to attach your essays on separate sheets.

Please send applications to:

Skadden Fellowship Program
Four Times Square - Room 29-218
New York, New York 10036
Attention: Susan B. Plum

Non-Discrimination Policy

The Skadden Arps Fellowship Program is committed to a policy against discrimination based on sex, sexual orientation, marital or parental status, race, color, religious creed, national origin, age or handicap.

Applicant Name: _____
(Last) (First) (Middle)

Address: _____

Home Tel. No. _____ Office Tel. No. _____

Cell Phone No. _____ E-mail Address: _____

Soc. Sec. No. _____

LAW SCHOOL: _____

Date of Graduation: _____

Percentile/Rank/GPA: _____

Law Review/Law Journal: _____

ADVANCED DEGREE:

School: _____

Year: _____

Degree: _____ Course of Study: _____

UNDERGRADUATE DEGREE:

School: _____

Year: _____ Degree: _____

Degree: _____

BAR EXAM: _____

Bar Admissions: _____ Date: _____

Date: _____

Date: _____

JUDICIAL CLERKSHIP: Judge: _____

Court: _____

From: _____ to _____

SPONSORING ORGANIZATION: _____

Address: _____

Tel. No. _____

Name of
Supervising Attorney: _____

Synopsis of
Proposed Project: _____

PREVIOUS PUBLIC INTEREST EMPLOYMENT:

1. Employer: _____

Address: _____

Position _____ Dates: _____

2. Employer: _____

Address: _____

Position _____ Dates: _____

3. Employer: _____

Address: _____

Position _____ Dates: _____

OTHER EMPLOYMENT:

- 1. Employer: _____
Address: _____

Position _____ Dates: _____
- 2. Employer: _____
Address: _____

Position _____ Dates: _____
- 3. Employer: _____
Address: _____

Position _____ Dates: _____

NAMES OF YOUR TWO REFERENCES FOR THIS APPLICATION

- 1. Name: _____
Address: _____

Tel. No. _____
- 2. Name: _____
Address: _____

Tel. No. _____

PLEASE RESPOND TO THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS:

Describe briefly (300 words) your proposed public interest project . Please specify what legal rights you will be enforcing and how you think your project will work:

Select one or two of your previous public interest projects and state briefly (300 words) their significance:

State briefly (300 words) your sense of the relevancy of public interest work to contemporary society:

I hereby certify that the facts set forth in the above application are true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that falsified statements on this application shall be considered sufficient cause for denial of receipt of a fellowship.

DATE

APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE