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2005-2006 Judicial Intern Opportunity Program

The Judicial Intern Opportunity Program is a summer internship program open to all first- or second-year minority and financially disadvantaged law students who want to do legal research and writing for state or federal judges in:

Illinois Texas Miami, FL Phoenix, AZ Los Angeles, CA

Participating judges are from the United States District Court for the Northern and Central Districts of Illinois, the U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Illinois, Illinois Circuit Courts, the United States District Court for the Southern District of Texas, Texas Civil District Courts and Federal and Circuit Courts in Miami, FL, Phoenix, AZ and Los Angeles, CA.

Interns will receive a stipend of \$1,500 for the entire summer.

The time commitment can vary by student, subject to a six-week minimum. Students will be expected to coordinate their schedules with their individual judges and to work the hours (normally 35 – 40 hours per week) required by each judge.

Students will be asked to submit a completed application form, legal writing sample and a statement of interest. Detailed program information, frequently asked questions and a copy of the application will be available online after October 3rd. **We will begin accepting applications on November 1st.** Screening interviews will be held on a rolling admission basis, based on qualifications, after the application period begins. All applications must be postmarked by **January 31, 2006** for consideration. *No late applications will be accepted.*

Please refer to the website, www.abanet.org/litigation/jiop, after October 3rd, for additional information regarding the 2005-2006 Judicial Intern Opportunity Program, or contact the program director, Gail Howard at 312/988-6348, howardg@staff.abanet.org, with questions.