



Sex Workers Project at the Urban Justice Center Spring 2010 Internship/Externship

ABOUT SWP:

Using human rights and harm reduction approaches, the Sex Workers Project protects and promotes the rights of individuals who engage in sex work, regardless of whether they do so by choice, circumstance, or coercion. In addition to providing direct legal and social services to over a hundred individual clients a year in immigration, criminal legal, civil, and police misconduct matters, we offer "know your rights" trainings for sex workers and people who have been trafficked, and conduct training and outreach to service providers and community organizations who may come into contact with trafficked persons or sex workers.

ABOUT THE INTERNSHIP/EXTERNSHIP:

The Sex Workers Project is looking for highly motivated problem-solvers committed to advancing the rights of sex workers and survivors of trafficking. Legal interns will work closely with staff attorneys on a wide range of cases and policy issues, which may include applications for special visas for trafficking survivors and asylees, depositions on impact litigation for survivors of police brutality, and advancing a pro-sex workers rights legislative agenda. Applicants should have excellent writing, research, and interpersonal skills and an awareness of the systemic barriers facing our diverse client and constituent populations.

Interns are expected to work 12 hours a week, with a minimum of 8 hours in the office. Full-time externs are also needed. Both positions are unpaid.

To Apply: Email a cover letter, resume, and writing sample to Sienna Baskin at sbaskin@urbanjustice.org

For more information: www.sexworkersproject.org