

2017-18 Student Representative Program Guidelines

Equal Justice Works will select up to 50 Student Representatives nation-wide to participate in the 2017-18 program.

Eligibility

All applicants must:

- attend an Equal Justice Works <u>member law school</u>
- be a 1L in their second-semester; a 2L, or a 3L (no transfer students)
- show a demonstrated commitment to public interest law

Responsibilities

- Recruit law students to join the Equal Justice Works' JDs for Justice Network
- Serve at least one year as an Equal Justice Works Student Representative
- Share Equal Justice Works programs, opportunities, and resources
- Attend law school campus events promoting public interest law
- Provide Equal Justice Works with current contact information for any public interest law related organizations on your law school campus
- Be available to disseminate information from Equal Justice Works to students and faculty at your law school
- Communicate student interests, concerns, and needs to Equal Justice Works
- Participate in social media campaigns and outreach

Benefits

- Recognition on the Equal Justice Works website
- Public interest law student leadership experience
- Letter of recommendation from Equal Justice Works for high-achieving Student Representatives that participate in our other law student programs
- Networking with Equal Justice Works leadership and Fellows
- Access to individual and group support for special projects, including social media promotion on the JDs for Justice Network Twitter account
- Access to exclusive trainings and networking receptions
- Develop and strengthen leadership skills
- Assist fellow public interest law students in having their voices heard on campus
- Connect with Equal Justice Works and have a greater understanding of our public interest law fellowships and other equal justice career tracks

Application Process

- Submit the application form.
- Equal Justice Works will review all applications and select the Equal Justice Works Student Representatives

- Equal Justice Works will have a screening call with new Student Representatives to ensure the law student will be a good advocate for Equal Justice Works
- The selected applicant will be notified by Equal Justice Works and must participate in training webinar before beginning tenure as a Student Representative.

Follow-Up Process

Equal Justice Works will:

- track the Student Representatives' progress and ensure that all Student Representative responsibilities are being met
- check in with Student Representatives during the semester
- answer questions about Equal Justice Works programs and resources
- help lead mandatory Student Representative webinar trainings
- host regular webinar trainings on Equal Justice Works programs and resources

All student Representative activities will be governed by the Student Representative Guidelines.