Judicial Externship

In the Judicial Externship Program, students extern with judges at the state and federal level. In this externship, students gain immense experience in research and writing.

The accompanying one credit Judicial seminar course will address topics specific to our judicial system, such as how judges are selected, the jury system, judicial decision-making, ethical issues, and professionalism.

Students have externed with an array of judges at the:

- Colorado Supreme Court
- Colorado Court of Appeals
- Office of Administrative Courts
- US Bankruptcy Court
- Denver Probate Court
- US District Court of Colorado
- Federal Mine Safety and Health Commission
- United Nations Assistance to the Khmer Rouge Trials
- Boulder County Court
- 10th Circuit Court of Appeals

“...an educational atmosphere that allowed the externs to learn by observation and reflection.”

“...Greatly expanded my knowledge for how to be an effective courtroom litigator.”

“...I learned so much from observing trial and docket.”

“...Judge enjoys answering questions and discussing things that are before the court.”

“Having the judge’s perspective on court proceedings was invaluable.”