

Denver Law will offer a range of competitive stipends to support unpaid work with nonprofits, governmental agencies, and judicial chambers during Summer 2022. Denver Law appreciates your willingness to contribute the public good and we want to do our best to support your efforts. For all stipends listed below, you are generally eligible to receive credit simultaneously, provided the placement is approved. Please note there are different deadlines for each stipend below.

### Summer Funding for Public Interest Work for DU students

- **Denver Law Summer Stipends (Amount TBD):** Denver Law provides funding to students who are working in a legal placement with a nonprofit, government agency, or judicial chambers. In determining awardees, the committee will consider and prioritize the following: timely and thoughtful completion of the application, whether applicants are receiving any other funding (e.g. housing stipend etc.); any extraordinary costs associated with the summer/placement; applicants' demonstrated commitment to the public good, applicants' whose work is in the nonprofit setting; and applicants' whose work is on behalf of economically disadvantaged or underrepresented clients, groups, or organizations. Whether or not you are receiving credit is not a factor. The number of awards and amount of each award is yet to be determined. Complete an online application, <https://tinyurl.com/2022dusummerstipend> and submit other relevant info as stated in the application. **Deadline: April 29, 2022.**
- **Public Policy: Squire Patton Boggs Foundation Fellowship (\$2500):** If you will be engaging in public policy work for either a nonprofit or government agency, consider applying for this fellowship. You cannot engage in litigation, trial work, or client representation to receive an award. Two awards will be given. Applications are submitted through Symplicity, ID 27136, and are due **March 18, 2022.**
- **Animal Law Summer Fellowships (\$4000):** The University of Denver Animal Law Program is committed to supporting summer public interest employment opportunities and providing a guaranteed summer funding award of \$4,000 apiece to two animal law students who choose to work in a public interest law position during the summer. Students are eligible for this stipend during the summer after their first year, or the summer after their second year, or both. However, priority will be given to first-year students as fewer paid internship opportunities exist for those students. First-year students must work in eligible nonprofit positions for at least eight weeks of their first-year summer, and second-year students must work in eligible positions for ten weeks of their second-year summer. Please submit a cover letter and your CV to [animallawprogram@law.du.edu](mailto:animallawprogram@law.du.edu) by **April 29, 2022.** You can contact Animal Law Program Manager Jess Beaulieu ([jbeaulieu@law.du.edu](mailto:jbeaulieu@law.du.edu)) with any inquiries.
- **Ved Nanda Center Summer Stipends: (\$500-\$1500 generally):** The Ved Nanda Center at Denver Law often provides funds for stipends to students working or externing in the area of human rights. *This program has not yet been finalized yet for summer 2022*, but we imagine information will come out soon. Visit <http://www.law.du.edu/ved-nanda-center-for-international-law/student-stipends-and-fellowships> and/or email [aaguirre@law.du.edu](mailto:aaguirre@law.du.edu) for more information.
- **Hill and Robbins Fellowship with Colorado Lawyers Committee (\$5000):** If you are interested in poverty law and children's issues, apply to this fellowship. The first portion of the position is 100 hours of work during the spring semester of 2022, but if necessary, the spring hours can be performed during the summer. The second phase is full-time work for ten weeks during the summer of 2022. The internship will take place in person at the Colorado Lawyers Committee office (1401 Lawrence Street, Suite 2300) unless a COVID outbreak makes that option unsafe. One award will be given to a CU or DU student. The intern must have strong analytic, research, and writing skills as well as the ability to work well with other people. The

Hill & Robbins Intern should be an individual with absolute reliability, initiative, responsibility, and a strong commitment to public interest law. Interested students should submit a cover letter and resume, along with one to three written recommendations concerning the applicant's research and writing skills and suitability for the position to Matthew Montgomery at [matthewmontgomery@hillandrobbsins.com](mailto:matthewmontgomery@hillandrobbsins.com). The deadline is **February 25, 2022**. Interviews will be in March 2022.

- For a broader list of summer stipends that are open to non-Denver Law students, we strongly recommend that you visit the [PSJD summer funding](https://www.psjd.org/summer-funding) page, <https://www.psjd.org/summer-funding>, which advertises stipends for work in a range of geographic areas and/or substantive issues. Deadlines vary and the list is updated periodically.