

International Public Interest Opportunities

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Serving the Public: A Job Search Guide Volume II – International

This publication provides information on nongovernmental organizations (NGOs), intergovernmental organizations including the United Nations, opportunities within the United States Government, and international fellowships.

The current edition of *Serving the Public* is available in the Career Center library.

[Finding and Funding International Public Service Opportunities](#)

This handout provides tips for job hunting in an international arena, identifying opportunities in U.S. Government, international courts, non-profit and non-governmental organizations. It also provides a resource list of books, guides and fellowship opportunities.

[Post-Graduate International Fellowships](#)

Georgetown University School of Law has compiled a list of post-graduate international fellowship opportunities that are based overseas or have an international focus. This list of fellowships is published on the Public Service Law Network.

International Development Grant

This grant is available to Duke Law Students who obtain a summer internship in a developing country. The number of grants and the amount disbursed each year depend on the amount of funding raised and the budgets requested by the successful applicants. Information about the International Development Grant and the selection process can be obtained from the Career Center or the Office of Public Interest & Pro Bono.

Internet Resources

In addition to the organizations listed below, many domestic government agencies and foundations do extensive work in international public interest. Please do not overlook these opportunities to get involved.

A

[Advocates Coalition for Development & Environment \(Uganda\)](#)
[African Union](#)
[ABA Central European and Eurasian Law Initiative](#)
[Alliance for Conflict Transformation](#)
[American Refugee Committee](#)
[American Society of International Law](#)
[Amnesty International](#)
[Asia Pacific Forum on Women, Law and Development](#)
[Association for Women's Rights in Development](#)

C

[CARE International](#)
[Careers Without Borders](#)
[Carter Center](#)
[Center for Justice and International Law](#)
[Centre for the Study of AIDS](#)
[Coalition for the International Criminal Court](#)
[Community Law Centre \(South Africa\)](#)
[Council of Europe](#)

D

[Derechos Human Rights](#)
[Directory of Development Organizations](#)

E

[Eldis](#)
[Electronic Information System for International Law](#)
[Environmental Law Alliance Worldwide](#)
[Equality Now](#)

F

[Foundation Center](#)
[Freedom House](#)
[Fulbright Scholar Program](#)

G

[Global Rights](#)

H

[Hague Conference on Private International Law](#)
[HIV & AIDS Legal Clinic \(Ontario\)](#)
[Human Rights First](#)
[Human Rights in China](#)
[Human Rights Internet](#)
[Human Rights Resource Center](#)
[Human Rights Watch](#)

I

[Idealist – Action Without Borders](#)
[Inter-American Court of Human Rights](#)
[International Center for Transitional Justice](#)
[International Commission of Jurists](#)
[International Committee of the Red Cross](#)
[International Criminal Court](#)
[International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda](#)
[International Criminal Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia](#)
[International Crisis Group](#)
[International Human Rights Funders Group](#)
[International Labor Organization](#)
[International Organization for Migration](#)
[International Rescue Committee](#)
[International Women's Rights Action Watch \(Asia Pacific\)](#)
[Interpol](#)
[Irish Centre for Human Rights](#)

L

[Lawyers Without Borders](#)

N

[New Voices](#)
[Northwestern University Library – International Organizations Directory](#)
[NYU Center for Human Rights and Global Justice](#)

O

[OneWorld](#)
[Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe](#)
[Organization for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons](#)
[Organization of American States](#)

R

[ReliefWeb](#)
[Robert F. Kennedy Center for Human Rights](#)

S

[Special Court for Sierra Leone](#)
[Sustainable Development Gateway](#)

U

[UNICEF](#)
[United Nations](#)
[United Nations Development Program](#)
[United Nations Environment Program](#)
[United Nations Non-Governmental Organizations](#)
[United Nations Refugee Agency](#)
[United Nations International Civil Service Commission](#)
[United Nations International Law Commission](#)
[United Nations Volunteers](#)
[University of Chicago Law School –International Organizations Directory](#)

W

[Women's Centre for Legal Aid & Counseling](#)
[Women's Initiatives for Gender Justice](#)
[World Bank](#)
[World Health Organization](#)
[World Legal Information Institute](#)
[World Resources Institute](#)
[World Vision](#)