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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

B

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
Eldis
Electronic Information System for International Law
Environmental Law Alliance Worldwide
Equality Now

Foundation Center
Freedom House
Fulbright Scholar Program

Global Rights

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

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

Lawyers Without Borders

New Voices
Northwestern University Library – International Organizations Directory
NYU Center for Human Rights and Global Justice

OneWorld
Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe
Organization for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons
Organization of American States

ReliefWeb
Robert F. Kennedy Center for Human Rights

Special Court for Sierra Leone
Sustainable Development Gateway

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

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