

# DIVERSITY SUMMER FELLOWSHIP

Boies Schiller Flexner LLP recognizes the need for greater diversity in the legal profession. In particular, because most of our lawyers have held federal clerkships, BSF is appreciative of the invaluable training that comes from clerking and the opportunity to increase diversity in the clerkship pool. As part of its commitment to recruiting and advancing attorneys of diverse backgrounds, BSF's Los Angeles office is proud to announce its 1L Diversity Summer Fellowship for 2018.

The Fellow will spend four to six weeks observing and learning about the practice of law at one of the country's premier litigation firms. The Fellow will have opportunities to write memoranda, draft pleadings, and observe court proceedings, depositions, and client meetings. BSF will also assist the Fellow in developing a portfolio for a judicial clerkship—learning more about various chambers across the country; developing a writing sample; and preparing for interviews with judges. The Fellow will be part of the BSF “family” in Southern California—an amazing network of professional mentors.

The Fellow is encouraged to spend a minimum of four weeks with BSF Los Angeles and may stay a maximum of six weeks. The schedule is flexible to permit the Fellow to pursue another summer opportunity with another employer in addition to this Fellowship. Fellows will be paid a weekly salary equivalent to a first-year attorney. The Fellowship does not result in any offer of employment.

BSF invites applications from exceptional law students in their first year of law school who are interested in pursuing a judicial clerkship after graduation (whether immediately after graduation or after a year or two of work experience). Applications must include (1) a resume; (2) a law school transcript showing first semester grades; (3) an undergraduate transcript; (4) a 500-word personal statement describing your background and your interest in the Fellowship; (5) a writing sample not to exceed 10 pages; and (6) contact information for one reference who can comment meaningfully on your legal skills. Applications must be postmarked no later than **Tuesday, February 13, 2018**.

## APPLY TO:

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