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USC Law Internship to Honor Late Senior Circuit Judge Warren J. Ferguson

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SAN FRANCISCO – The University of Southern California Gould School of Law has established an endowment to fund a summer internship honoring the late Senior Circuit Judge Warren J. Ferguson of the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit. Judge Ferguson died June 25 at age 87.

The "Judge Warren J. Ferguson Public Interest Summer Fellowship" will fund an annual summer internship for a talented and passionate law student interested in working full time on a public interest issue.

Donations can be made by credit card online at https://mylaw.usc.edu/portal/alumni/donate.cfm. Use the "Comments" box on the web page to note that the donation is being made to the Judge Warren J. Ferguson Public Interest Summer Fellowship fund. Also available online is a form that can be faxed to the school with credit card information. Donations by check should be made out to the Judge Warren J. Ferguson Public Interest Summer Fellowship and mailed to:

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Judge Ferguson had been a highly respected member of the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals since 1979 and served previously as a judge of the U.S. District Court for the Central District of California in Los Angeles. In addition to nearly 42 years of service on the federal bench, he was a renowned teacher affiliated with a number of prestigious law programs across the country.