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The Office of the United States Attorney for the Western District of New York is responsible for the prosecution of all federal crimes in Western New York, from acts of terrorism to public corruption, gang activities and many other criminal acts. The office also represents the United States and its departments and agencies in civil proceedings filed in federal court in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Circuit. Volunteer interns assist in the prosecution and defense of both criminal and civil cases in the District Court, the Court of Appeals for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Circuit, and the Bankruptcy Court.

Projected No. of Volunteers:	15
Internship Location(s):	Buffalo, NY
Application Materials:	Resume, transcript, legal writing sample, dates when available, telephone number(s) where student can be reached both during the day and in the evening
Qualifications:	First-year (second semester), second- or third-year law students. Law school graduates are not eligible for summer positions. <b>Must be a U.S. citizen.</b> Will be subject to a background investigation due to the sensitive nature of the work performed by the U.S. Attorney's Office.
Application Deadline:	Summer of 2006: January 3, 2006
Minimum Weeks Required:	10 weeks full time
Salary:	Volunteer (without compensation)
Assignments:	Interns can expect to research and write motions in pending cases; to research legal issues for indictments and investigations; to assemble exhibits for trial; to observe hearings and trials of cases on which they are working or in which they are interested.
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