# SUMMER LAW CLINICS FAIR

## Gain valuable legal experience and make life-long connections

In legal education, the clinic is the closest you can get to the true work of lawyers. We all learn best by doing. Through clinics, you put knowledge into practice; you don't just read or analyze a case, you develop a case. You solve legal problems that people face such as trying to get medical care, start a business, or stay in the country to finish college.

Our clinic students work with real clients facing real legal problems under the supervision of experienced supervising attorneys. The University of Wisconsin Law School has one of the nation's top ranking clinical programs, built on a longstanding commitment to providing students with exceptional real-world learning.

Students come to law school with diverse backgrounds, experiences, and goals. Our robust clinical program offers a wide range of opportunities that can fit each student's interests, while also aiding students in determining which area of law is best for them.

## APPLICATION DETAILS

October 31, 2017:	Applications Open
November 29, 2017:	Applications Close
February 1, 2018:	First Offers
March 9, 2018:	Student's Final Acceptances Due
HOW TO APPLY	

### 1. Go to Simplicity: https://law-wisc-csm.symplicity.com/students/

- 2. Logged in and click the OCI tab near the top of the page.
- 3. On the main OCI page, select the clinic session.
- 4. From there, you can review the various clinics and their application requirements.

#### WANT TO FIND OUT MORE?

Visit: http://law.wisc.edu/clinics/?iSummerOnly=1

**NOTES:** Keep track of information you gather from the fair below.



Center for Patient Partnership	In this interdisciplinary health care advocacy center, students help patients facing life-threatening and serious illness navigate the health care system.
Consumer Law Clinic	Students represent consumers who face marketplace predators by handling all aspects of consumer protection cases. Students learn to navigate complex legal issues such as credit card transactions, forced arbitration, and foreclosure.
Family Court Clinic	Students represent individuals in family law matters and provide legal information and guidance to unrepresented litigants. Students work in the Dane County Courthouse and the community office.
FAMILY LAW PROJECT:	Students work with incarcerated persons to help them establish and maintain their family relationships and assist them with problems arising the intersection of incarceration and family law.
Immigrant Justice Clinic	Students represent clients in various immigration proceedings, with a focus on advocating for individuals fleeing persecution and those who have been victims of domestic violence.
Law and Entrepreneurship Clinic	Students act as business and corporate counsel for entrepreneurs and early stage companies, providing legal needs such as those involving business formation, capital structure, trademarks, patentability, and licensing.
Legal Assistance to Institutionalized Persons	Students fulfill the unmet criminal and civil needs of underserved and vulnerable prison inmates by advocating via motions, parole letters, and representing clients at hearings.
Neighborhood Law Clinic	Students work to prevent families from becoming homeless and help workers recover unpaid wages by providing individual representation to clients in landlord-tenant, public benefits, and wage and hour cases.
Oxford Federal Project	Students assist inmates in federal correctional institutions with a variety of legal challenges. These center around the validity of convictions, sentences under the guidelines, family law, property, or immigration related matters.
Restorative Justice Project	Student will work with victims and offenders in serious and sensitive crimes to bring them face-to-fact to resolve issues unaddressed by the criminal justice system. Students also bring restorative justice into the community to provide positive alternatives to the traditional system.
Wisconsin Innocence Project	Students represent clients with viable innocence claims by searching for newly discovered evidence, shedding light on unfair trials, and litigating cases while identifying and remedying causes of wrongful conviction.