

## **Summer Law Clerk - Intern Positions Available with Navajo Nation Department of Justice**

The Navajo Nation Department of Justice (DOJ) is seeking energetic and motivated candidates for multiple funded summer law clerk positions in the following areas of practice:

- Natural Resources,
- Tax and Finance,
- Litigation,
- Employment,
- Human Services,
- Government Services,
- Economic Development,
- Gaming,
- Water Rights, and
- Direct Legal Services for Navajo Relocates.

### **Minimum Qualifications:**

- Must be enrolled in a law school accredited by the American Bar Association.

### **Preferred Qualifications:**

- Must have completed a law school course on Federal Indian Law.

*(To receive full credit for education, certification, or licensure, transcripts, copies of degrees, certificates, and other appropriate documents must be submitted along with employment application.)*

Externally funded candidates are also strongly encouraged to apply.

The Navajo Nation Department of Justice (DOJ) is integral to the role of the government in serving the needs of the Navajo Nation. DOJ achieves its role by assisting the Navajo Nation government in making lawful and timely decisions through the provision of practical, sound and independent legal advice. DOJ's autonomy and integrity ensures legal services are provided for the Navajo Nation as a whole – protecting the Navajo Nation's inherent sovereignty by actively assisting the Navajo Nation government, including its Chapters, branches, departments and programs.

Interested candidates should submit their cover letter, resume, transcript and a short (5-10 page) writing sample to Kimberly A. Dutcher, Deputy Attorney General at [kdutcher@nndoj.org](mailto:kdutcher@nndoj.org)  
Complete application packets must be received no later than 5 p.m. Mountain Time on May 31, 2019.

Selected candidates will also be asked to fill out a formal Navajo Nation Employee Application, which can be found at <http://www.dpm.navajo-nsn.gov/jobs.html>.

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