Civil Justice Clinic

Homeowner Advocacy Unit
Work-Life Policy Unit

Students in the Civil Justice Clinic work on civil disputes, administrative proceedings, legislative policy, and community education matters in the substantive areas of law in the unit for which they are enrolled.

What students do:

- Students enrolled in the Homeowner Advocacy Unit primarily represent homeowners who are facing wrongful foreclosure or are victims of mortgage fraud.
- Students in the Work-Life Policy Unit work on matters involving unemployment insurance, time off, flexible scheduling, discrimination, and related issues for local military families and others.
- With faculty supervision, students are responsible for all aspects of representing Clinic clients, including at times: case selection; interviewing and counseling clients; fact investigation; theory and advocacy strategy development; analyzing options for changing employment and housing law and policy; drafting demand letters, pleadings, motions, appellate briefs, settlements, and policy documents such as white papers, amicus briefs, analysis of pending legislation, comments to administrative agencies, or testimony; and representing clients in negotiations with other parties, administrative hearings or at oral arguments in state or federal court.

Course information:

- Students must complete 300 hours during the semester, including class time (approx. 20 hours per week)
- Enrollment is limited to 12 students for the Homeowner Advocacy Unit and six students for the Work-Life Policy Unit
- Students receive six units of graded credit
- Second semester 2Ls and all 3Ls are eligible to apply

Time commitments:

- Class meets three times a week in 1 ½- or 2- hour increments
- Students spend about 10-15 hours a week on client or project work

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To apply:

- Complete an application
- Attach an unofficial copy of your transcript
- Turn in your application to Zelda Graham in Room 106 or by email at Roselda.graham@asu.edu

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