SUMMER INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

and

MID-YEAR INTERNSHIPS

The Federal Defender Program for the Middle District of Alabama provides representation to persons charged with federal crimes in the twenty-three southeastern counties of Alabama and to people on Alabama’s death row whose appeals are entering federal habeas. This office offers summer and mid-year internships to second and third year law students who possess excellent research and writing skills and demonstrate an interest in federal criminal trial work, capital habeas issues, and indigent defense issues.

Law Interns assist attorneys at all stages of client representation, including interviewing clients and witnesses, reviewing and organizing discovery materials, researching federal constitutional and criminal law issues, and investigating and preparing cases for pleadings, hearings and/or trial.

Prior course work in criminal law and criminal procedure would be helpful to the students. Split summers and mid-year externships are permitted.

Applicants should submit, by mail or fax, a resume with a contact address and phone number, short writing sample, and the names and phone numbers of references, to:

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