

2009-2010 Environmental Law Fellowship

The Environmental Law Institute (ELI) announces its annual fellowship position for an outstanding recent law school graduate.

Since 1969, ELI has built intellectual and human capital in the field of environmental law and policy. Through a non-partisan, independent approach, ELI crafts solutions to contemporary environmental problems. Our unparalleled research and respected publications inform public debate, and our U.S. and international training activities for NGOs, citizens, industry, and government officials strengthen the institutions needed to ensure environmental protection.

The Position: The 2009-2010 ELI Law Fellow will join our Research and Policy staff, which brings together attorneys and other environmental professionals with a diverse range of government, non-profit, and private-sector experience. Our multi-disciplinary team advances environmental protection here and abroad by analyzing existing legal tools, developing new ones, and fostering creative implementation. We focus on pollution and natural resource law and policy at the local, state, and federal levels. We also study the impacts of non-environmental laws and policies that bear on the environment, especially those that address taxation, energy, and land use. ELI's work spans the globe, and we partner with organizations throughout Africa, India, Asia, and the Americas. From the outset, the ELI Law Fellow is expected to undertake significant legal research and writing assignments across the range of ELI's project areas and may be asked to speak publicly and facilitate environmental training activities.

Qualifications: ELI's Law Fellowship Program is highly competitive. Applicants must have a top academic record and possess superior legal research and writing skills. Law review experience is preferred. The Law Fellowship will be awarded to a candidate who graduates from law school in 2009 (or who has graduated recently). This is a one-year position scheduled to commence in late summer / early fall of 2009.

Salary: Approximately \$35,000, with excellent benefits.

To Apply: Submit a package including each of the following: (1) a cover letter; (2) a current resume; (3) a completed ELI standard application form (download at <http://www2.eli.org/about/employment.htm>); (4) a law school transcript; (5) a list of three references; and (6) a writing sample of approximately 10 (but no more than 15) pages in length. Electronic submissions to law@eli.org are preferred (subject line: Law Fellow #072108). No phone calls, please. Additional information about ELI is available online at www.eli.org. Application packages must be complete and received by ELI **no later than 5:00 pm ET on Friday, December 12, 2008**—via email to law@eli.org, or via U.S. mail to:

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The Environmental Law Institute is strongly committed to providing equal employment opportunity and to achieving an inclusive, diverse workplace that values every individual. Minority candidates are encouraged to apply.