



Texas Criminal Justice Coalition JJI Research Intern Positions for Spring 2009

The Texas Criminal Justice Coalition, a non-profit policy reform and advocacy organization, has an internship opportunity open to an individual with a strong interest in the juvenile justice system and a passion for social justice.

A qualified candidate would be capable to perform the following tasks:

- Provide comprehensive research on various topics concerning juveniles, including:
 - Computer-based article and database research, and
 - In-person/ library-based source document research.
- Conduct interviews and follow-up contacts – in-person, by phone, or by email – to gather or clarify information.
- Apply strong analytical skills to reading dense materials and/or spreadsheet data.
- Produce written materials, including concise summaries of articles, fact sheets, and/or segments for use in reports.

Applicants should have a bachelor's degree, or demonstrate qualifications through work history or other experiences. Candidates must be able to work independently, yet cooperatively in a team environment. Strong research and communication skills are essential, and a basic understanding of the Texas juvenile justice system would be helpful.

Although the internship is unpaid, we might be able to provide a small stipend towards living expenses for exceptional candidates.

The position is open immediately and requires a commitment of at least 10 hours per week in our Austin office. Schedule availability: Monday through Friday from 8:00am to 6:00pm.

If interested, please contact Leah Pinney by email at lpinney@criminaljusticecoalition.org or by phone at (512) 441-8123 ext. 114.