

TMCP Summer Internship Program

The Texas Minority Counsel Program (TMCP) invites eligible law students to apply for its inaugural Summer Internship Program, which will provide placement opportunities for Summer 2023.

The TMCP Summer Internship Program is intended to provide qualified law students who completed their first year of law school with career building opportunities at participating law firms and the corporate legal departments they serve. The law student will first work at a participating law firm, and then, spend some time interning for the partnering corporate legal department. The goal is to provide students with relevant legal experience and networking opportunities that will set them up for success during the all-important second-year fall interviewing period and eventually as they seek permanent employment as an attorney.

Inaugural Participating Law Firm and Partner Corporation:

- Baker Botts LLP & Chevron (Houston, Texas¹)

Eligibility Requirements:

To be eligible for consideration, students must be:

- A first-year law student (1L) at an ABA accredited law school.
- In good academic standing and show a record of academic achievement.
- Submit a completed application by Monday December 5, 2022.
(Late and/or incomplete applications will be not considered.)

Application Process:

The following materials constitute a candidate's application. Please combine the following materials into **1 PDF document**:

- A personal statement (500 words or less) that addresses what you believe demonstrates your qualification(s), including, for example, academic and personal strengths; exceptional contributions to diversity and inclusion; and/or how you have overcome adversity, such as a personal or family history of educational or socioeconomic disadvantage; and/or how you have exhibited the tenacity and talent to excel.
- A current resume.
- An official or unofficial law school transcript.²
- An official undergraduate transcript.

Application must be sent by Monday December 5, 2022, to TMCPinternship@texasbar.com.

Finally, all students are encouraged to attend the Law Student Program at TMCP 2023, scheduled for October 25-27, 2023, at the Westin-Houston Memorial City. For more information, please visit www.texasbar.com/tmcp.

¹ This internship is specific to Baker Botts' Houston Office. Applicants should plan to live in the Houston area for the duration of the internship and expect that the internship will require in-person attendance.

² Understanding that official transcripts might not be available prior to the application deadline, law students may submit unofficial transcripts (e.g., unofficial transcripts from the registrar's office or a printout of a student's grade portal.) Applicants will be required to supplement their application in January 2023 upon the publication of their official transcript that includes law school grades.