

Social Justice & Public Interest Organizations by Track

Students interested in pursuing opportunities with social justice and public interest employers are encouraged to research organizations specializing in areas of law that are of interest. The following list is a sampling of organizations whose work touches on one or more area of law related to social justice and public interest. City and state information is provided for those employers located outside of South Florida.

Economic Justice

Employment Discrimination	<p>AFL - CIO (Washington, DC)</p> <p>Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC)</p> <p>Lawyers' Committee for Civil Rights, Employment Discrimination Project (Washington, DC)</p> <p>MALDEF (Los Angeles, CA, Chicago, IL, San Antonio, TX, Washington, DC)</p> <p>NAACP Legal Defense Fund (Baltimore, MD)</p>
Labor Law	National Labor Relations Board (Washington, DC)
Poverty Law, Policy, and Practice	<p>Florida Justice Institute</p> <p>Southern Poverty Law Center</p> <p>The Community Justice Project</p>
Representing Non-Profit Entities and Social Enterprises	<p>Art and Business Council of Miami</p> <p>Cannonball</p> <p>Volunteer Lawyers for the Arts (Artserve, Inc.)</p>
Emerging Forms of Philanthropy and the Role of Private Foundations in Effecting Social Change	Open Society Foundations (Worldwide)
Federal Income Tax	<p>Internal Revenue Service (IRS) Taxpayer Advocate Service (Washington, DC)</p> <p>Legal Services of Greater Miami – Low Income Tax Payer Clinic</p> <p>National Taxpayers Union (Washington, DC)</p>
Environmental Law	<p>Center for Biological Diversity (St. Petersburg, FL)</p> <p>Earthjustice (Tallahassee, FL)</p> <p>Everglades Law Center, Inc.</p> <p>National Parks Conservation Association</p> <p>South Florida Water Management District</p> <p>Tropical Audubon Society</p>

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Alternative Dispute Resolution design systems	Federal Mediation & Conciliation Service (Washington, DC)
Mediation	Guardian Ad Litem Program Miami-Dade County Business Affairs and Consumer Protection Division National Association of Securities Dealers Regulation (NASDR) Office of Dispute Resolution
Nonprofit Organizations and Social Enterprises	Art and Business Council of Miami Cannonball Community Counsel Program (St. Petersburg, FL) Volunteer Lawyers for the Arts (Artserve, Inc.)

Identity & Civil Rights

Race and Class in American Public Education	AALDEF (New York, NY) Anti-Defamation League (ADL) Dade Legal Aid Put Something Back Equal Justice Society (Oakland, CA) Florida Justice Institute Lawyers' Committee for Civil Rights, Educational Opportunities Project (Washington, DC) MALDEF (Los Angeles, CA, Chicago, IL, San Antonio, TX, Washington, DC) NAACP Legal Defense Fund (Baltimore, MD) Southern Poverty Law Center The Community Justice Project
Housing Discrimination	Legal Services of Greater Miami (LSGMI) Miami Coalition for the Homeless The Community Justice Project United States Housing and Urban Development (HUD)
The Religion Clauses	Becket Fund for Religious Liberty (Washington, DC) Council on American-Islamic Relations (CAIR)

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<p>Religious Freedom and Same-Sex Marriage</p>	<p>American Civil Liberties Union, Gay and Lesbian Rights Project (New York, NY)</p> <p>Lambda Legal Defense and Education Fund (New York, NY, Chicago, IL, Los Angeles, CA, Atlanta, GA, Dallas, TX)</p> <p>National Center for Lesbian Rights (Washington, DC)</p> <p>SAVE Dade</p>
<p>Voting Rights and Election Law</p>	<p>American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU)</p> <p>Fair Elections Legal Network (Washington, DC)</p> <p>FairVote (Washington, DC)</p> <p>Lawyers' Committee for Civil Rights, Voting Rights Project (Washington, DC)</p>
<p>Race and the Law</p>	<p>Anti-Defamation League (ADL)</p> <p>Equal Justice Society (Oakland, CA)</p> <p>Florida Justice Institute</p> <p>MALDEF (Los Angeles, CA, Chicago, IL, San Antonio, TX, Washington, DC)</p> <p>NAACP Legal Defense Fund (Baltimore, MD)</p> <p>Southern Poverty Law Center</p> <p>The Community Justice Project</p>
<p>Federal Indian Law</p>	<p>Indian Law Resource Center (Washington, DC)</p> <p>Native American Rights Fund (Boulder, CO)</p>
<p>Immigration, Ethnicity and Public Policy</p>	<p>American Friends Immigrant Services</p> <p>Americans for Immigrant Justice (AI)</p> <p>Catholic Charities Legal Services</p> <p>Colombian American Service Association (CASA)</p> <p>Florida Immigrant Coalition</p> <p>Haitian Refugee Center, Inc.</p>
<p>Selected Readings on Gender Violence</p>	<p>Florida Equal Justice Center, Inc. (Ft. Pierce, FL)</p> <p>United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (New York, NY)</p> <p>Women in Distress of Broward County, Inc. (WID)</p>

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Topics in Citizenship	<p>American Friends Immigrant Services</p> <p>Americans for Immigrant Justice (AI)</p> <p>Catholic Charities Legal Services</p> <p>Colombian American Service Association (CASA)</p> <p>Florida Immigrant Coalition</p> <p>Haitian Refugee Center, Inc.</p> <p>Youth Co-Op, Inc.</p>
Alternative Dispute Resolution Design Systems	<p>United Nations Institute for Training and Research (Geneva, Switzerland)</p>
Mediation	<p>Guardian Ad Litem Program</p> <p>Miami-Dade County Business Affairs and Consumer Protection Division</p> <p>National Association of Securities Dealers Regulation (NASDR) Office of Dispute Resolution</p>
Public Interest Law, Ethics, and Leadership	<p>Clinton Foundation (New York, NY)</p>
Mass Incarceration	<p>Brennan Center for Justice at NYU School of Law (New York, NY)</p> <p>The Community Justice Project</p> <p>Florida Justice Institute</p> <p>Lawyers' Committee for Civil Rights, Criminal Justice Initiative (Washington, DC)</p> <p>Southern Poverty Law Center</p>

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Government & Political Process

Implementing the Affordable Care Act	National Health Law Program (NHeLP) (Washington, DC, Chapel Hill, NC, Los Angeles, CA) National Partnership for Women & Families (Washington, DC)
Election Law	American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU) Fair Elections Legal Network (Washington, DC) FairVote (Washington, DC) Lawyers' Committee for Civil Rights, Voting Rights Project (Washington, DC)
Federal Policymaking: Legislation, Regulation and Litigation	United States House Office of the Legislative Counsel (Washington, DC) United States Senate Office of the Legislative Counsel (Washington, DC)
Federal Income Tax	Internal Revenue Service (IRS) Taxpayer Advocate Service (Washington, DC) National Taxpayers Union (Washington, DC)
Military Justice	United States Coast Guard, Seventh District Legal Office United States Air Force Judge Advocate General's Corps (various locations) United States Army Judge Advocate General's Corps (various locations) United States Marine Corps Judge Advocate General's Corps (various locations) United States Navy Judge Advocate General's Corps (various locations)
Legislation	Lawyers' Committee for Civil Rights, Public Policy Project (Washington, DC)
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Law, Policy, and Technology	<p>Center for Democracy & Technology (Washington, DC / San Francisco, CA)</p> <p>Electronic Frontier Foundation (San Francisco, CA)</p>