

Spring 2026 Law Student Clerkship Opportunity

Southern Legal Counsel, Inc. (SLC) is a Florida statewide not-for-profit public interest law firm committed to the ideal of equal justice for all and the attainment of basic human and civil rights. SLC primarily assists individuals and groups with public interest issues who otherwise would not have access to the justice system and whose cases may bring about systemic reform. SLC uses a range of strategies to achieve its goals, including litigation, policy advocacy, and training and technical assistance to lawyers, laypersons and organizations. Current litigation and projects are focused on ending the criminalization of homelessness, defending access to home and community care for adults with disabilities, safeguarding the right of children to receive a free appropriate public education, using legal interventions to assist pediatric patients at UF Pediatrics Specialty Clinics through our Medical-Legal Partnership with UF Health, and safeguarding the rights of tenants.

Law clerks will: assist with factual investigations; conduct legal research and draft memos; assist in all aspects of discovery (such as document analysis, organization, and indexing depositions); and assist in the preparation of legal documents and pleadings.

This position is unpaid; students are expected to work at least ten (10) hours per week. We also support credit-bearing externships and experiential learning placements.

Interested applicants should submit: (1) a cover letter; (2) résumé; (3) transcripts; and (4) writing sample (10-pg max) to legalsupport@southernlegal.org. Priority will be given to applications received by **11:59 pm EST, Friday, October 24, 2025**.

NOTE: Clerk positions may be in person, remote, or hybrid. Students will need to have access to a webcam and microphone for videoconferences as needed.