



## CLINIC APPLICATION

NAME:

ID NUMBER:

FAMU EMAIL

ALT EMAIL

PHONE

ADDRESS

GRADUATION DATE

CURRENT STATUS (year): PT/FT:

Professional Responsibility is a pre-requisite for all clinics. When did you take PR:

Have you a CLI clearance letter from the Florida Board of Bar Examiners?

If so, submit a copy of the letter with this application.

Which Clinic are you applying for?

Do you have a second choice:

Third Choice:

All Clinics are offered for a minimum of four credits. The Economic Justice Clinic allows for enrollment of up to six credits. If you are applying for the Economic Justice Clinic, how many credits are you seeking (4-6).

1. Why do you want to enroll in the clinic?
2. What are your professional goals and how do you believe the clinic will help you to achieve those goals?
3. During the semester in which you will be enrolled in the clinic, list any activities (other than classes) that will require a substantial commitment of your time (**such as Moot Court, Law Review, outside employment or family demands**).
4. Please list any language other than English you speak fluently.

5. Have you ever been charged, arrested, or convicted of a crime, or pleaded Nolo Contendere? If yes, please explain. **(Please include incidents that occurred when you were a juvenile.)**
6. Have you ever been stopped, and/or detained by a law enforcement agent (i.e. police officer) and/or charged with a traffic violation that resulted in a fine of \$200.00 or more, charged with a traffic violation that resulted in time spent in jail, or had your driver license or your driving privileges revoked or suspended? If yes, please explain.
7. Have you been or are you presently being prosecuted or, to your knowledge, being investigated for a criminal offense or Honor Code violation? If yes, please explain.
8. Are you or have you been a party to any legal or administrative proceeding (e.g. divorce, domestic violence, bankruptcy, lawsuit, foreclosure)? If yes, please explain.
9. Are you or have you been accused of a violation of trust or fiduciary duty? If yes, please explain.
10. Are you delinquent on any federal debt? If yes, please explain.

IF YOU RESPONDED “YES” TO ANY OF THE ABOVE QUESTIONS:

Have you disclosed this information on your law school application?

Have you disclosed this information on your Bar Application?

**If you have NOT disclosed this information on either application, you must request that application be amended BEFORE you can be approved for enrollment in the Clinic. Email [registrarCOL@famu.edu](mailto:registrarCOL@famu.edu) if you need information on amending your law school application.**

**If you disclosed information in questions 5 through 10, attach an addendum letter addressed to the Legal Clinic Program with a statement explaining each event/incident including dates and disposition. The statement must be signed and include this clause at the end “I verify that all information provided is true and accurate.” Attach all supporting documents, (i.e. final judgments, decrees, dispositions, sentence, notice of nolle prosequi), for each event/incident, or a letter from the court or agency verifying that the documents are not available.**

If you have any special needs or require reasonable accommodations to participate in the clinic, please provide CEDAR accommodation letter with this application.

## APPLICATION CHECKLIST:

Completed & Signed Application Form (with supporting documentation for questions 5-10)

Current Resume

Current Transcript (unofficial)

Cover Letter addressed to Prof. Dorosin, Clinic Director

Clearance Letter from Florida Bar (if applicable)

CLI application form (if applicable)

CEDAR accommodations letter (if applicable)

## CERTIFICATION & SIGNATURE

I hereby certify that the information in this application is complete and accurate.

I agree to meet the weekly and semester hour requirements and the mandatory weekly seminar attendance requirements. **Fall/Spring:** 4 credits= 13 hours/wk; 5 credits= 17 hours/wk; 6 credits= 19 hours/wk.

**Summer: 4 credits= 17 hours/wk; 5 credits= 23 hours/wk; 6 credits= 26 hours/wk.** I understand that enrollment in a clinic and the Field Placement course in the same semester is not permitted.

I understand that I will be automatically registered for the clinic if my application is approved and I accept the offer to enroll. I understand that if I withdraw from a clinic course after registration, I may not be able to participate in any future clinic offerings.

I acknowledge that I am bound by the Rules Regulating The Florida Bar, including but not limited to Chapter 4 (Rules of Professional Conduct) and Chapter 11 (Rules Governing the Law School Practice Program). I understand that my role in the clinic is governed by the same ethical and professional standards applicable to licensed attorneys. I commit to upholding these rules at all times, maintaining the highest standards of professionalism, confidentiality, and integrity in all clinical activities. I further agree to comply with any additional professional rules, requirements, policies and procedures applicable to and/or set forth by the Legal Clinic Program and my supervising faculty and attorneys.

I understand that I will not be compensated in any manner for participation in the clinical program. I understand that I have a continuing duty to disclose any employment or pro bono work I do while enrolled in the clinic work to ensure there are no conflicts of interest.

I consent to the FAMU College of Law Legal Clinic Program using any photographs or videos taken in the clinic workshops, conferences, or on clinic premises that contains my person, voice, or likeness in the publication of newsletters, brochures, promotional materials, press releases, announcements or informational material.

NAME

SIGNATURE

DATE

## APPLICATION FOR CLI CERTIFICATION

To become CLI certified pursuant to the Rules of the Florida Bar, a student must:

- a) have completed legal studies amounting to at least 2 semesters for which the student has received not less than 24 semester hours of academic credit ;
- b) be certified by the Dean as being of good character and competent legal ability and as being adequately trained to perform as a legal intern;
- c) certify in writing that he/she has read and is familiar with the Rules of Professional Conduct as adopted by the Florida Supreme Court and will abide by the provisions thereof.
- d) Have their CLI Clearance letter from the Florida Board of Bar Examiners

**NOTE: CLI CERTIFICATION IS ONLY AVAILABLE TO STUDENTS ENROLLING IN THE GUARDIAN AD LITEM OR ECONOMIC JUSTICE CLINIC. THE MEDIATION CLINIC IS *NOT* A CLI-ELIGIBLE CLINIC**

If you are seeking CLI certification, please certify your eligibility by initialing and signing below.

I will have completed at least 2 semesters and 24 credits hours before enrolling in the clinic.

I am of good character and competent legal ability, and am prepared to work in the clinic.

I have read and am familiar with the Florida Rules of Professional Conduct and will at all times abide by them.

I have received and attached my CLI Clearance letter from the Florida Board of Bar Examiners.

**Student's Signature**

**Name Printed**

**Address**

**Email**

**Telephone Number**