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A Sample of Online Resources for the Environmental Law Job Search

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There are many helpful online sites available to law students conducting job searches within the environmental field. Some require a subscription fee, but most of those listed below are either broadly subscribed to by law career services offices or free to the public. Some sites feature few legal positions but could be helpful to those seeking law-related or alternative opportunities.

Environmental Career Opportunities

<http://www.ecojobs.com> (school or individual subscription required)

This online subscription service features a wide variety of current job openings in environmental policy, communications & advocacy, conservation, science/engineering, and education in non-profits, corporations, and the government.

Government Honors and Internship Handbook

<http://www.law.arizona.edu/career/honorshandbook.cfm> (school subscription required)

This online handbook produced by the Career & Professional Development Office of the University of Arizona Rogers College of Law lists many environmental law opportunities in federal and state agencies, including positions with the Environmental Protection Agency, the Department of Energy, the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, and the Department of Justice.

Internships USA

<http://www.internships-usa.com> (school subscription required)

Internships-USA provides contact information for organizations offering legal and non-legal internship opportunities for college and law students. The site features two directories specific to the environmental law job search: Green Law and The Big Green Internship Book. Internships-USA offers the volumes online and in booklet form with a subscription.

PSLawNet

<http://www.pslawnet.org> (school subscription required)

PSLawNet, NALP's Public Service Law Network Worldwide, provides a comprehensive clearinghouse of public interest organizations and opportunities for lawyers and law students, many within the environmental field. Users can perform customized searches of opportunities ranging from short-term volunteer and paid internships to full-time jobs, fellowships, and pro bono opportunities. There is also an organization database, which can be searched using a variety of criteria. Yale Law School's Career Development Office offers their "Environmental Law" booklet free of charge on PSLawNet's home page under "Helpful Resources for Law Students." The publication is an excellent guide for students interested in pursuing a career in environmental law.

EcoEmploy

<http://www.ecoemploy.com> (free)

Various environmental jobs are posted on the site, which also features an environmental employer website directory searchable by state and organized by the categories of firms, government agencies, non-profits, and private companies.

Environmental Career Center

<http://www.environmentalcareer.info> (free)

This site features a searchable job database and various other resources for those seeking jobs within the environmental field. A range of employers have job postings on the site, such as environmental consulting firms, private industries, conservation organizations, educational institutions, and state environmental agencies. Users can register with the site for free to post resumes and use the job search agent feature.

Environmental Careers Organization

<http://www.eco.org> (free)

This non-profit organization's website features a variety of paid internship opportunities with government and public interest environmental employers.

EnviroLink Network

<http://www.envirolink.org> (free)

This site includes an excellent directory of environmental organizations.

Green Dream Jobs

<http://www.sustainablebusiness.com/jobs> (free)

This site posts jobs related to green building, renewable energy, organic products, social investing, and sustainability. A wide range of "environmentally responsible employers" have job postings on the site. In addition to the job posts, the site features a resource directory with links to other interesting websites.

High Country News Online

<http://www.hcn.org/unclassifieds.jsp> (free)

High Country News is a bi-weekly newspaper that reports on natural resource and public land issues of the West. The publication includes a classified section, and many environmental non-profits, especially those in the West, post job openings.

Idealist: Action Without Borders

<http://www.idealist.org> (free)

Many public interest jobs, internships, and volunteer opportunities within the environmental arena are featured on this site, which includes a searchable job board.

Land Trust Jobs

<http://www.lta.org/resources/ltjobs.htm> (free)

The Land Trust Alliance's website lists current openings for jobs and internships at non-profit land trusts and land conservancies.