

# **Indigenous Summer Clerkship - 2018**

The Legal Services Commission provides a range of legal information, advice, education and representation services. As part of our development program we offer paid Indigenous Clerkships for students who identify as Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander. This program provides the perfect stepping stone to a career in the legal assistance sector.

### The Role

As well as a general introduction to the Legal Services Commission you will have an opportunity to spend time in each of the core practice areas (Advice, Criminal Law and Family Law) and undertake a range of duties including:

- Legal research;
- Drafting documents; and
- Observing matters in court.

Placement Date: 29 January 2018 – 23 February 2018 Location: Adelaide

## **Eligibility Criteria**

You are eligible for consideration if you meet the following criteria:

- Live in South Australia;
- Can demonstrate you are of Australian Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander descent
- Identify as an Australian Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander;
- Are accepted as an Australian Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander in the community in which you live or have lived; and
- Are currently enrolled in a Bachelor of Laws degree. Ideally, preferred candidates will have no more than one year remaining to complete their studies.

# **Special Conditions**

The successful applicants must be willing to submit to a Police Records/DCSI check

### **Next Steps**

To apply for this role you will need to:

- Complete and enclose the Application Form
- Enclose a one-page covering letter and résumé
- Enclose a copy of your:
  - Confirmation of Enrolment Statement;
  - o Most recent academic transcript; and
  - o Information that supports your identity as an Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander person

All applications must be submitted by email to Lisa Moore <a href="https://example.com/HR@lsc.sa.gov.au">HR@lsc.sa.gov.au</a> by 5.00pm Friday, 6 October 2017.

Should you require further information please contact Paula Meegan - Clerkship Coordinator.

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