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EPIC FELLOWSHIP

The Electronic Privacy Information Center (EPIC) invites applications for the **EPIC Fellowship**, which will begin in September 2012. EPIC encourages applications from interested third-year law students, judicial clerks, and recent graduates.

Fellowship Overview:

EPIC is a leading privacy and civil liberties organization based in Washington, D.C. EPIC works to protect the public interest and to promote the Public Voice in decisions concerning the future of the Internet. EPIC pursues public interest litigation, conducts public education, testifies in Congress, organizes conferences, coordinates grassroots advocacy, and publishes books, reports, and an online newsletter. EPIC also maintains several well-regarded Web sites, such as privacy.org, epic.org, thepublicvoice.org, and privacycoalition.org.

The EPIC Fellow will function as an integral part of EPIC's Washington, D.C. office. The EPIC Fellow will develop expertise in one of the following substantive areas: Appellate Advocacy, Consumer Privacy, Domestic Surveillance, FOIA Litigation, International Privacy, or Voting Privacy. Typical projects include: drafting legal briefs, submitting administrative filings, researching issues for Congressional testimony, creating web pages, and editing publications. The EPIC Fellow will serve for one year, starting September 2012.

Experience and Qualifications:

- JD or expected JD by Fall 2012
- Excellent legal research and writing skills
- Experience and interest in civil liberties issues relating to the Internet, particularly free speech, privacy, open government, and democratic governance
- Energy, enthusiasm, and creativity
- Self motivated with the ability to work independently and handle multiple tasks
- Technical expertise or experience preferred

Compensation:

Salary of \$42,000 plus benefits.

How to Apply:

Please submit a cover letter, resume, unofficial law school transcript, and writing sample. Applications should be submitted via email to fellowship@epic.org with the subject line: "Attention: EPIC Fellowship Application." Please direct questions concerning the EPIC Fellowship to John Verdi, EPIC Senior Counsel, fellowship@epic.org. The application deadline is Feb. 28, 2012. Applications are processed on a rolling basis.