

## Externship Program

## Placement Profile

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ORGANISATION/FIRM:	Canadian Environmental Law Association
LOCATION:	55 University, Suite 1500 Toronto, ON M5J 2H7
WEBSITE:	www.cela.ca
DESCRIPTION of ORGANISATION:	CELA works to protect human health and our environment by seeking justice for those harmed by pollution and by working to change policies to prevent such problems in the first place. For almost 50 years, CELA has used legal tools to increase environmental protection and safeguard communities. As a Legal Aid Clinic, our top priority is to represent low income individuals and communities and to speak out for those with less influence and who receive less of a say in decision-making.
NUMBER OF PLACEMENTS AVAILABLE:	1
ON-SITE SUPERVISOR NAME:	Theresa McClenaghan
ON-SITE WORKSPACE AVAILABLE:	⊠ Yes □ No
ON-SITE COMPUTER AVAILABLE:	☑ Yes ☑ No, student needs own laptop
HOURS:	Students will primarily complete work during typical office hours (9am - 5pm). Please include additional information about hours of work in the space that follows:
REQUIRED PLACEMENT COMPETENCIES:	Students must have a demonstrated interest in social justice.
PREFERRED COMPETENCIES:	
REQUIRED COURSES:	Environmental law, administrative law

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REQUIRED PRE-PLACEMENT READING	<ul> <li>Law Society of Ontario materials clarifying "legal information" v. "legal advice"</li> </ul>
ANTICIPATED AREAS OF LAW:	Environmental Law
DESCRIPTION OF WORK ASSIGNMENTS:	Research on law reform or litigation, as needed. Students will be invited to attend hearings or other presentations as they come up over the course of the term.
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POLICE CLEARANCE REQUIRED:	☐ Yes, type of Police Clearance: ☐ No
	If yes, what type of police clearance is required
TRAVEL REQUIRED:	Yes, type of travel required:
	If yes, please provide a description
CAR REQUIRED:	Yes, description as follows:  No
	If yes, please provide a description
LODGING REQUIRED:	Yes, description as follows:
	If yes, please provide a description
OTHER REQUIREMENTS:	Normally we suggest students do their shifts at the office in Toronto for purposes of connecting with the team, although alternative arrangements can be made if necessary. Given the fact that we are working remotely at present, and that this placement is in southwest Ontario we are more than willing to make arrangements for an alternative location for the student to work as needed.
	List any supplies a student is required to have
NOTES REGARDING ACCESSIBILITY:	This is an accessible worksite.  Please include other notes regarding accessibility in the space that follows:
	Please discuss your individual needs with the Externship Program Director.
OTHER NOTES ABOUT THE ORGANISATION (optional):	

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