

NALP ANNUAL EDUCATION CONFERENCE 2021
BEYOND ARTICLE III COURTS – STATE & SPECIALTY FEDERAL CLERKSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

STATE SPECIALTY COURTS - CLERKSHIP HANDOUT

<u>Types of Specialty Courts for Students and Alumni to Consider</u>	<u>States</u>	<u>Court Notes</u>	<u>Court Hiring Notes</u>	<u>Clerk Hiring Notes</u>
Anti-Human Trafficking Courts	FL, TX			
Business Courts	AL, AZ, CA, CO, CT, DE, FL, GA, IL, IN, IA, KY, LA, ME, MD, MA, MI, MN, MS, NV, NH, NJ, NC, TN			
Collaborative Justice Courts or Therapeutic Courts or Problem-Solving Courts: 1) Drug Courts / DUI Courts 2) Homeless Courts 3) Mental Health Courts 4) Reentry Courts 5) Veterans Courts 6) Warrant Courts (quashed)	All	Courts combine judicial supervision with rehabilitation services that are rigorously monitored and focused on recovery to reduce recidivism and improve offender outcomes.	Apply through court websites in most cases. Clerkships are on a temporary, term, or career clerk basis. Gathering more information on hiring procedures through Westlaw, The Vermont Guide, and NALP's Insight and Inside Information for Select State Court Clerkships is recommended. Students should consider joining and participating in relevant professional organizations such as the National Association of Drug Court Professionals.	Good for students with dual degrees in social work, public health. Good for students with interest in policy and indigent defense work. Good for students who are Veterans or current military.
Domestic Relations Courts	All			Good for students interested in family law and/or juvenile law.
Early Childhood Courts	FL			

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Juvenile Courts	All			Good for students interested in family law and/or juvenile law.
Probate Courts	All			Good for students interested in Wills, Estates, and Trusts.
Tax	AZ, CT, HI, IN, MD, MN, NJ, OR, TX			
Tribal Courts	<u>AL</u> , <u>AK</u> , <u>AZ</u> , <u>CA</u> , <u>CO</u> , <u>CT</u> , <u>FL</u> , <u>ID</u> , <u>IA</u> , <u>KS</u> , <u>LA</u> , <u>ME</u> , <u>MA</u> , <u>MI</u> , <u>MN</u> , <u>MS</u> , <u>MO</u> , <u>NE</u> , <u>NM</u> , <u>NY</u> , <u>NV</u> , <u>NC</u> , <u>ND</u> , <u>OK</u> , <u>OR</u> , <u>SD</u> , <u>TX</u> , <u>UT</u> , <u>WA</u> , <u>WI</u> , <u>WY</u>			
Water Courts	AL, CO AL, GA, IN, NC, OH, OK, OR, TN, VT, VA			