

Spark LLP, Windsor Law LTERC Lab Social Justice Fellowship on Cyber Justice

Project description:

Summer 2019: 10 weeks (full time) \$5,000.00

The successful selected student will work on a summer project that will examine pressing social justice issues in cyberspace. More specifically, the student will conduct research in collaboration with Jacqueline Horvat and her partners at Spark LLP, and under the additional supervision of Professor Myra Tawfik (Windsor Law LTERC Lab) on the state of the law in Ontario and other provinces in Canada on the unauthorized online disclosure of intimate or sensitive photographs, videos or other material, and eventually other cyber torts or crimes. The research project may include developing legal arguments for claims that would be eventually brought by victims of unauthorized disclosure of intimate or sensitive information (e.g., privacy, tort, copyright law), and considering various policy options to improve the legal protection of those victims (or of other cyber torts or crimes). The research project may also include conducting a survey and analysis of the literature pertaining to the delivery of legal services to victims of similar cyber torts or crimes (e.g. through legal clinics or pro-bono work).

The selected student will produce research report(s) based on the research project scope to be mutually agreed to by the selected student, Jacqueline Horvat and Professor Myra Tawfik. The student may also be required to produce fellowship experience report(s) upon completion of the fellowship.

Interested students can [apply online](#) until January 21, 2019 at 4:00 pm

Applicants will need to submit the following:

- A cover letter explaining why you are applying for this social justice fellowship;
- Resume;
- Three references;
- University transcripts, including Windsor Law transcripts (unofficial);
- Writing sample (e.g. law school research paper, legal memorandum, etc.)

The selection process may include an interview.
