



Legal Internship

At the Representation for EU Affairs, Belgium, Luxembourg, Ireland and the Netherlands

UN Refugee Agency, Brussels

What we offer

- Experience with a UN agency and one of the largest humanitarian organizations in the world
- Work in a dynamic, international environment and opportunity to use languages (English, Dutch and French)
- Learning about asylum refugee and statelessness including through presentations and meetings
- First-hand accounts of refugee situations, via presentations given by staff assisting refugees
- A variety of interesting tasks

The intern will receive a Food and Local Transportation Allowance (FLTA), up to USD 1,000 per month, payable in local currency. The FLTA is provided to non-sponsored interns only. In cases where a sponsored intern receives funding (less than the amount of allowance described above) from the sponsoring institution or another sponsor, UNHCR will pay the difference between this amount and the above allowance, if any.

General description of internship

- Geographical coverage: Belgium, Luxembourg, the Netherlands and Ireland
- Monitoring and analyzing asylum law and practice
- Researching country information and a variety of refugee and statelessness issues
- Drafting documents including reports and correspondence
- Writing, editing and translating texts (from Dutch to English)
- Assisting with general office tasks

Requirements

- In order to be eligible for this internship, candidates must:
 - a. Be a recent graduate (i.e. have completed studies within one year of applying) from a university or higher education facility accredited by UNESCO; and
 - b. Have no direct family ties with a UNHCR staff member (including Temporary Appointment holder) nor with a member of the Affiliate Workforce.

Other criteria:

- Availability from Mid-February to Mid-August (6-month internship)
- Excellent command of written and spoken English
- Dutch and/or French an asset
- Masters in Law
- Evidence of previous experience or a strong interest in refugee matters or human rights appreciated

How to apply

Please e-mail your CV and cover letter in English **by Monday, 3 February 2020 at midnight** to belbrhr@unhcr.org with the subject **MCO Legal Intern February 2020**. **It is important to use this as the subject of your email.**