MIGRANT FARMWORKER LEGAL CLINIC

Role: Volunteer Student

The Position

The Migrant Farmworker Legal Clinic is coordinated by Justice for Migrant Workers and the University of Windsor Faculty of Law. It is the first known Clinic in Canada that works almost exclusively with migrant agricultural workers. The clinic uses a "law and organizing" mandate, meaning its legal work supplements the systemic advocacy and community organizing of the clinic and J4MW. It is <u>not</u> a service provision-focused clinic.

The Clinic is working to develop its social media profiles, particularly on X (formerly Twitter), Instagram, and TikTok to engage migrant farmworkers. Students would have the opportunity to develop content for these channels to provide information, debunk myths about Canada's migrant worker programs, and foster solidarity.

The Clinic also has several different projects on the go and may have new projects arise during the time of the student's involvement. The student is welcome to get involved with projects such as: research, helping to plan public actions, developing flyers, participating in community outreach, and much more.

<u>You do not need to be an aspiring law student to apply!</u>

The ideal candidate:

The ideal candidate for the Migrant Farmworker Legal Clinic is someone who merges academic qualifications with a strong passion for community organizing, possesses excellent research and analytical skills, and demonstrates the ability to communicate effectively and manage projects. They should be driven by a desire to create meaningful social change and capable of working collaboratively to address community needs. Knowledge of the community that we organize with, in addition to strong social media skills, is an asset.

How to apply:

NOTE: When submitting your application, please describe why you are interested in volunteering with the Clinic and any pertinent experience (e.g. community organizing, labour/union experience, and social media experience).

For information about the application process, go to: https://www.newcollege.utoronto.ca/cel-courses/cel-how-to-apply/

Application deadline: Friday, July 4, 2025

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