

Fellowship Sponsorship 2026-2028

Deadline for Applications: July 31, 2025

Pro Seniors seeks interested third year law students (graduating in 2026) or those finishing clerkships in 2026 for a 2026-2028 post-graduate fellowship application. The applicant selected will have Pro Seniors' support as a "host organization" for the Ohio Access to Justice Foundation Fellowship. Read more: Ohio Access to Justice Foundation:

https://www.ohiojusticefoundation.org/grantees/fellows/

Pro Seniors is a nonprofit law firm dedicated to advocating for the rights of older low-income Ohioans. Pro Seniors provides extended legal services in Brown, Butler, Clermont, Clinton, Hamilton, Highland, and Warren Counties in Southwest Ohio. Pro Seniors' clients and their communities face many challenges. Candidates for Fellowships are encouraged to bring forward proposals for work in an area of interest, such as housing or heirs' property. In addition to other proposals, we are open to fellowship proposals focused on the needs of clients in our three rural counties: Brown, Clinton, and Highland. If you want to make a difference in our community through dedicated service to our most vulnerable neighbors, we want to hear from you.

Qualifications/Requirements:

- Applicants must be graduating from law school in 2026 or finishing a judicial clerkship. Individuals must have a commitment to public service. Experience working with people with low-income, knowledge of poverty law, and fluency in Spanish are a plus. In addition, applicants should demonstrate the following:
- Candidacy for the Ohio Bar Exam in 2026, or already be barred in the state of Ohio,
- Appreciation for and experience with diverse cultures and communities,
- Excellent legal writing, research, and advocacy skills,
- Excellent written and verbal communication,
- Strong organizational and time management skills,
- Ability to work independently and as part of an interdisciplinary team, and
- Willingness to take initiative and solve problems

We will accept applications until July 31, 2025. The salary for 2026 law graduates will be \$65,000 or as provided by the Fellowship program. Pro Seniors offers an excellent benefit package, including health insurance, 401(k), and generous PTO. Loan repayment assistance may also be available.

Applicants should submit all items listed below to info@proseniors.org with "Fellowship Application" as the subject-line of the email:

- A one-to-two-page cover letter explaining the proposed fellowship project,
- Your resume,
- Law school transcript, and
- A writing sample.

Pro Seniors will arrange interviews. Please do not call.

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