University of Massachusetts School of Law – Dartmouth
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UMass Law Clinical Programs

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(Updated 3/18/2022)

Please return this completed form to the Law Enrollment Center (LEC) to be considered for enrollment in the Human Rights at Home Clinic at UMass Law. Please note that there are additional enrollment requirements, such as submitting a separate general clinical programs application form to the LEC and meeting prerequisite/co-requisite course requirements.

Contact Information
Name:  
Address:  

UMass Email Address:  
Alternate Email Address:  
Primary Telephone Number:  
Does this phone have a private voicemail? (Check one):  □ Yes  □ No
Secondary Telephone Number (if applicable):  
Other Contact Information (if applicable):  

Education and Experience
UMass Law Class Year (check one):  □ 2L  □ 3L  □ 4L
UMass Law Program (check all applicable):  □ Day  □ Evening  □ Full-Time  □ Part-Time

Expected Date of Graduation from UMass Law?  

Are you a Joint Degree candidate? (Check one):  □ Yes  □ No
If yes, with which other school?  


Experience is not required, but if you have any experience with human rights issues please provide a general overview below (e.g., legal or non-legal work experience; courses, etc.):

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Have your or anyone close to you been involved in a domestic violence or stalking situation?
☐ Yes ☐ No

Do you have any other skills or interests that may be helpful to this Clinic’s work? (e.g., specialized knowledge in a particular subject area that may relate, etc.) If so, please describe:

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Although this response will not give priority for acceptance into the clinic, please let us know if you speak or read a foreign language (including sign language) by listing below:

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Are you involved in community service activities that you believe would be relevant to Clinic work, or have you been in the past? If so, please describe your participation:

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Do you plan to work outside of the Clinic? ☐ Yes ☐ No Where and for how many hours? ________
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Have you taken a Clinic before? (Check one): □ Yes □ No
If yes, please list:
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How many credits in addition to the Clinic do you plan on taking? __________________________

Why would you like to participate in the Human Rights at Home Clinic and what do you hope to get out of your participation in Clinic?
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Clinics require serious time commitments. The commitment for the HRAH Clinic is between 10-20 hours per week depending on the number of credits for which you enroll. The time commitment includes your work on projects and cases, meetings with your peers or the professor. Time spent preparing for class is not included. Do you expect to participate in any additional activities outside of your normal law school courses during your enrollment in Clinic that will require an extensive time commitment? If so, please describe the activities and whether you feel this involvement may interfere with your participation in Clinic:
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Work History/Resume

Please attach a copy of your resume or additional sheets providing your work/volunteer history for the past five (5) years. The work history information should include the employer/volunteer organization name; city and state; start and end dates of employment (month/year); work title; and brief description of the work you performed. This information will aid in the Clinic’s identification of any potential conflicts with Clients.

In most semesters, applicants will be interviewed as part of the application process.
By signing below, you certify that the information provided in connection with this Application is true and complete to the best of your knowledge.

Signature: ________________________________ Date: ____________________

*We work with facilities that sometimes need to conduct clearance checks. The facility has the discretion to preclude entry of those with a criminal background; this may prevent your participation in this Clinic. If you have this issue, please speak with Professor Drew to have a confidential discussion about the details, and come to an appropriate resolution.

Thank you for your interest in enrolling in the Human Rights at Home Clinic!

Please return this completed Application with required attachments to the Law Enrollment Center (LEC) at UMass Law or to Crystal Desirey, Clinical Programs Coordinator, using the contact information provided below:

Crystal Desirey, Clinical Programs Coordinator
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UMass School of Law – Dartmouth
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