

# INDIAN LAW RESOURCE CENTER

## CENTRO DE RECURSOS JURÍDICOS PARA LOS PUEBLOS INDÍGENAS

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### Barbara L. Anthony Fellowship 2017

The Indian Law Resource Center is a non-profit legal advocacy organization that provides legal advice, assistance, and representation to Indian tribes and indigenous communities throughout the Americas. We are seeking an individual with a serious interest in non-profit, public interest work. This individual will assist with and learn about the work of the Center including fund raising, communications, and other work to protect and promote the rights of Indian and Alaska Native nations.

To this end, we are offering a fellowship in our Helena, Montana, office during the summer of 2017. The fellowship requires a minimum eight week commitment and includes research, writing, and other work on Indian rights issues related to current projects of the Indian Law Resource Center. The fellowship offers a \$2,500 stipend paid over the course of the summer. Applicants are welcome to supplement this stipend with additional financial support through their school's public interest program. Legal training is not required.

#### About the Indian Law Resource Center

Founded in 1978, the Indian Law Resource Center is a non-profit law and advocacy organization established and directed by American Indians. We provide legal assistance to tribes and other indigenous peoples in the United States and in Central and South America who are working to protect their land, resources, human rights, environment, and cultural heritage. The Center seeks to overcome threats to indigenous peoples by establishing national and international legal standards that uphold indigenous human rights and dignity, strengthen indigenous self-determination, and protect indigenous lands and resources. For further information about the Center, visit our website, [www.indianlaw.org](http://www.indianlaw.org).

To apply for a fellowship, please email the following application materials to Melanie Dayton at [mt@indianlaw.org](mailto:mt@indianlaw.org):

- Cover letter;
- Resume;
- School transcript;
- Writing sample; and
- Two letters of recommendation (preferably from a current or former employer and/or professor/instructor).

Please combine your application materials into one PDF attachment. Fellowship applications must be received by April 17, 2017. Applicants will be notified by April 30, 2017.

**Barbara L. Anthony**, 1956-2012, was the Center's Development Director from 2009-2011, and served Helena's non-profit community in many ways during her life. She was widely known and loved for her generosity, leadership, cheerfulness and energy in serving others. She was very committed to encouraging professional opportunities for women and young people. This Fellowship is intended to foster and encourage the values Barbara exemplified.