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**Fellowship Announcement**  
**Mobilization for Justice Seeks Fellowship Candidate for September 2020**

Mobilization for Justice (MFJ), a non-profit legal services organization that provides a wide range of free civil legal services to low-income New Yorkers, is entertaining applications for a post-graduate fellowship seeking to promote economic justice for taxi and for-hire vehicle drivers. Drivers of yellow taxicabs and for-hire vehicles, including green cabs, street hail liveries, and app-based cars--who are overwhelmingly immigrants and people of color--experience numerous legal problems specific to their profession. MFJ is seeking a Fellow who would address these unmet legal needs by: providing direct representation and assistance with bankruptcy, consumer debt, administrative penalties, and other legal problems; working on legislative and regulatory reform in cooperation with community-based organizations; and developing litigation to address systemic problems facing this underserved population.

To be considered, the fellowship must be funded by a third party, including Skadden, Kirkland & Ellis, or a law school, and can be of one- or two-year duration. Requirements for prospective candidates include: excellent research and writing skills; law school clinical experience or clerkship; and demonstrated commitment to advancing social justice issues. Proficiency in Spanish, Bengali, or another foreign language preferred.

Applicants should email a cover letter, resume and writing sample to Carolyn E. Coffey, Director of Litigation for Economic Justice to [ccoffey@mfjlegal.org](mailto:ccoffey@mfjlegal.org) with "Fellowship 2020" in the subject line. We encourage all applicants to include in their cover letter a statement about how your background or experience might contribute to the diversity and perspective of our office. Applications must be received by **August 30, 2019**. Please note that we will respond only to applicants selected for interviews. No telephone calls please.

For further information about MFJ, please go to [www.mobilizationforjustice.org](http://www.mobilizationforjustice.org).

MFJ IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER. People of color, women, people with disabilities, gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgender people are welcome and encouraged to apply.