

**MFY LEGAL SERVICES, INC.**

**Fellowship Opportunity**

**Patterson Belknap Webb & Tyler Fellowship**

MFY Legal Services, Inc. (MFY), a 48-year old nonprofit public interest law firm, seeks applicants for its Patterson Belknap Webb & Tyler Fellowship to begin in November 2011.

MFY is seeking fellowship proposals that complement or enhance MFY's existing work in the areas of landlord-tenant law, foreclosure, consumer law, disability rights, workers rights, the rights of the elderly, public benefits and family law. Fellowship proposals may also address legal and/or policy responses to emerging areas of legal need in our existing practice areas or in related areas. In particular, we are seeking proposals addressing issues around three-quarter houses, foreclosure or health law matters.

MFY's 45-person staff is comprised of attorneys, paralegal, social workers and support staff. It is a diverse, unionized, and collegial workplace. Staff caseloads balance advice and individual representation with law reform advocacy and litigation. MFY does not receive federal LSC funding. For more information, visit [www.mfy.org](http://www.mfy.org).

Requirements: Excellent research, writing and interpersonal skills; clinical experience in MFY's core practice areas. Proficiency in a language spoken by a major immigrant community in New York City is preferred.

Salary and excellent fringe benefits are pursuant to a collective bargaining agreement.

Applicants should e-mail a proposal (no longer than 3 pages) describing the proposed project, a cover letter, resume and writing sample by October 24, 2011 to [eperez@mfy.org](mailto:eperez@mfy.org), addressed to:

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MFY Legal Services, Inc.  
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No telephone inquiries, please. Only those scheduled for interviews will be contacted.

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