### Connecticut General Assembly JOB OPPORTUNITY

# GRADUATE SCHOOL FELLOWSHIP Office of Legislative Research

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**Open To:** The Public

**Location:** Hartford

**Hours:** 15-20 hours per week

**Salary Range:** \$157.56/day (at six hours/day)

Closing Time & Date: 5:00 pm on October 14, 2024

The Connecticut General Assembly's Office of Legislative Research (OLR) seeks qualified, current graduate school students to help its staff conduct nonpartisan policy and legal research for the 2025 legislative session, which runs from January 8, 2025, to June 4, 2025. Selected candidates will perform timely research for legislators proposing new laws and policies during the legislative session. Seasoned OLR analysts, who are either attorneys or hold other graduate degrees, will provide the fellows with training, and review all draft research reports and other work products. Finished reports will be delivered to legislators and published on the OLR website. Fellows' published work provides a great source of writing samples for future professional use. OLR fellows have gone on to employment in all three branches of Connecticut state government, with federal agencies, and in private law practice or industry.

#### **Preferred Skills & Abilities**

Candidates for the fellowship should possess excellent writing and analytical skills and, by the start of the fellowship, must have completed at least one semester of course work in a graduate degree program in public administration, government, law, public policy, political science, criminal justice, or a related field.

Selected students will be required to work 15 to 20 hours per week. The fellowship is paid, and participants may also earn credit from their college or university.

#### **Application Instructions**

Qualified students should apply via <a href="https://www.governmentjobs.com/Careers/CGA/">https://www.governmentjobs.com/Careers/CGA/</a> by 5:00 pm on October 14, 2024. Please be sure to submit your cover letter and resume in the application process.

### AN AFFIRMATIVE ACTION/EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER

The State of Connecticut is an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer and strongly encourages the applications of women, minorities, and persons with disabilities.