

MDRC's Legal Department, consisting of 3.2 full-time equivalent positions, is interested in hosting a 2009 graduate whose employment has been deferred. MDRC currently hosts a Community Service Fellow from Dewey & LeBoeuf. This would be a pro bono opportunity. This opportunity would begin in September 2009 and would last a minimum of four months.

MDRC is a nonprofit, nonpartisan education and social policy research organization that designs programs and conducts research to determine what works to improve programs and policies that affect the poor. Working nationally, we evaluate new approaches to problems confronting public education; low income children, families and communities; and low wage workers and people facing barriers to employment. MDRC's principal office is located in New York City and its regional office in Oakland CA. The position would be located in New York.

The legal issues handled by MDRC's Legal Department are varied and complex: transactional and corporate matters; data acquisition challenges; and research security and confidentiality questions

Please submit a cover letter, resume and writing sample to the attention of Mariella Quimoyog, Senior Legal Assistant, at mariella.quimoyog@mdrc.org. MDRC will contact you if your skills and qualifications match the opportunity.