How Does PIPS Work in the 2L Year

Fall Semester

 Student applies for Fellowship, undergoes interviewing/selection process, and is accepted into the program

Spring Semester

- Student adjusts academic program to fit needs of future work
- Some ongoing selection process possible

Summer Between 2L and 3L

- Student can do clinic/externship if mindful of non-classroom credit limits
- Some summer school classroom course(s) are recommended

Year-long

- Student can participate in co-curricular activities if mindful of non-classroom credit limits
- Student MUST fulfill upper class writing requirement during 2L

How Does PIPS Work in the 3L Year

- Fieldwork: Work at partner placement for 4-5 days a week
- Credits: 8 Clinical, 4 Seminar per semester= 12 per semester
- Academic Components
 - Seminar meets twice weekly throughout entire year in the evening
 - Course satisfies Professional Responsibility graduation requirement
 - Can take additional evening courses (up to 4 classroom credits)
- Grades: clinical = pass/fail; seminar = letter grade (small class curve)
- Law school Activities
 - Can receive credit for non-classroom activities up to non-classroom limits
 - Must remain member of journals but cannot hold E-Board office
 - Can withdraw from Moot Court Honor Society

• Can earn academic honors at graduation if no more than 20 credits P/F