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**LEGAL SERVICES CENTER OF HARVARD LAW SCHOOL SEEKS TO
SPONSOR AN APPLICANT FOR PUBLIC INTEREST FELLOWSHIP IN
LOW-INCOME TAXPAYER ADVOCACY**

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Tax Law Fellowship Opportunity: The Legal Services Center (LSC) of Harvard Law School seeks to sponsor an applicant for the Christine A. Brunswick Public Service Fellowship offered by the ABA Section of Taxation. The Fellowship funds an attorney position for two years at the host organization and supports advocacy on behalf of low-income taxpayers. Graduating law students, recent law school graduates, and judicial law clerks are eligible to apply for the Fellowship. More information about the Fellowship can be found here:

<http://www.americanbar.org/content/dam/aba/administrative/taxation/Awards/psf/Application%202015-2017.authcheckdam.pdf>.

Deadlines: Applications for the Fellowship are due to the ABA Section of Taxation by November 14, 2014. Any persons interested in applying for Fellowship sponsorship from LSC are encouraged to contact us as soon as possible and well before the ABA deadline. To apply for sponsorship, please send a cover letter, resume, law school transcript, list of references and writing sample to Laura Johnston, Program Coordinator, LSC, via email to [ljohnston\[at\]law.harvard.edu](mailto:ljohnston[at]law.harvard.edu). General inquiries and questions can also be directed via email to Ms. Johnson.

Low-Income Taxpayer Advocacy: Founded in 2013, LSC's Pro Bono Low-Income Taxpayer Project connects underserved low-income taxpayers—with a particular focus on low-income veterans and on low-income immigrant communities—to effective representation in IRS tax controversy matters. Leveraging LSC's community-based location in Boston and LSC's existing network of partnerships with veterans' services providers, financial empowerment programs, and organizations serving nearby communities, we engage underserved client populations who otherwise would not have access to representation in tax controversies. We represent low-income taxpayers in the full range of tax controversies, at both the agency and court levels.

About the Legal Services Center: Located at the crossroads of Jamaica Plain and Roxbury in the City of Boston, we are a community-based clinical law program of Harvard Law School. Through five separate clinical offerings—Administrative/Disability Law Clinic, Family Law/Domestic Violence Clinic, Predatory Lending/Consumer Protection Clinic, Post-Foreclosure Eviction Defense Housing Clinic, and Veterans Legal Clinic—and numerous *pro bono* initiatives we provide essential legal services to low-income residents of Greater Boston and in some instances, where cases present important law reform opportunities, to clients outside our service area. Our longstanding mission is to educate law students for practice and professional service while simultaneously meeting the critical needs of the community. Since 1979, we have engaged in cutting-edge litigation and legal strategies to improve the lives of individual clients, to seek systemic change for the communities we serve, and to provide law students with a singular opportunity to develop fundamental lawyering skills within a public interest law setting. To these ends, we actively partner with a diverse array of organizations, including healthcare and social service providers and advocacy groups, and continually adapt our practice areas to meet the changing legal needs of our client communities. We encourage diversity, value unique voices, and pursue with passion our twin goals of teaching law students and advocating for clients. To learn more, please visit <http://www.legalservicescenter.org/>.