



Finding a Job: Environmental & Natural Resources Law

This guide focuses on natural resources or environmental law careers. Other job search resources are available in our library through subject guides

<http://www.law.du.edu/index.php/library/research/subject-guides/employment-subject-guide/>.

GRADUATE PROGRAMS:

American Bar Association: <http://www.abanet.org/legaled/postjdprograms/postjdc.html>.

Click Post-J.D. Programs by Category and review listings for Energy/Environment/Natural Resources.

Abate, Randall. Directory of Environmental Law Education Opportunities at American Law Schools, 2nd ed., Durham, N.C.: Carolina Academic Press, 2008. **Level 3 Reference KF277.E5 A23**

Environmental & Natural Resources LLM Program, University of Denver Sturm College of Law, <http://www.law.du.edu/index.php/enrgp>

U.S. News & World Report rankings:

<http://grad-schools.usnews.rankingsandreviews.com/grad/law/environ>

DIRECTORIES:

Use these resources to locate organizations or agencies that might offer internship or employment opportunities:

CSG State Directory. Lexington, KY: Council of State Governments. Directory I: Elected Officials, Directory II: Legislative Leadership Committees, and Directory III: Administrative Officials, 2008. **Level 3 Reference JK 2403 .B65**.

Conservation Directory. Washington, D.C.: National Wildlife Federation, 2005-2006. **Level 3 Reference S 920 .C64**. "A list of organizations, agencies, and officials concerned with natural resources use and management."

Directory of Environmental Websites on the Web. St. Paul, MN: U.S. Environmental Directories, Inc., 2007. **Level 3 Reference GE20 .D57**

United States Government Manual. Washington, D.C.: Office of the Federal Registrar; Superintendent of Documents, GPO. 2007-2008. **Level 3 Reference JK 421.A31** or <http://www.gpoaccess.gov/gmanual/index.html> (search current and previous editions from 1995 on).

LOCATING ATTORNEYS BY SPECIALIZATION:

Martindale-Hubbell Lawyer Locator: <http://www.martindale.com>.

Search worldwide for lawyers and law firms specializing in environmental or natural resources law.

JOB LISTINGS:

Check the following sources for advertised positions:

Career Development Center, University of Denver Sturm College of Law

<http://www.law.du.edu/index.php/career-development-center/student-resources>

Colorado Department of Personnel and Administration.

[http://www.gssa.state.co.us/announce/Job+Announcements.nsf/\\$about?OpenAbout](http://www.gssa.state.co.us/announce/Job+Announcements.nsf/$about?OpenAbout).

Review state government job announcements.

The Colorado Lawyer: <http://www.cobar.org/tcl/>.

Click Classified Ads.

Council of State Governments: <http://www.csg.org/about/employment.aspx>

Prepares research analysis of environmental issues and more.

EcoEmploy.com: <http://www.ecoemploy.com/>.

Browse environmental job and career listings.

The Environment Directory: Earth's Biggest Environment Search Engine:

<http://www.webdirectory.com>. Click Employment for environmental employers.

Environmental Career Opportunities (ECO): <http://www.ecojobs.com/index.php>.

Find environmental advocacy and outreach jobs.

LawJobs.com. New York, NY: New York Law Publishing Co.

<http://www.lawjobs.com>

National Conference of State Legislatures: <http://www.ncsl.org>.

Job clearinghouse of opportunities with state legislatures or other public policy groups.

Post-News Marketplace: <http://www.postnewsjobs.com/>.

Search categories or by keyword for thousands of Colorado jobs in The Denver Post and Rocky Mountain News.

U.S. Department of the Interior (DOIJOBS) <http://www.doi.gov/doijobs/jobs.html>

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency - <http://www.epa.gov/careers/>. Visit EPA's employment information website and click Find Jobs.

OPENING YOUR OWN PRACTICE

Somach, Stuart. How to Build & Manage an Environmental Law Practice. Chicago, IL: ABA Section of Environment, Energy & Resources, and Law Practice Management Section, 2000. **Level 3 KF300 .S66**

Subject Guide # 3: Opening a Law Office, University of Denver, Westminster Law Library
<http://law.du.edu/images/uploads/library/03OpeningaLawOffice.pdf>

FURTHER INFORMATION:

American Bar Association,
Section of Environment, Energy, and Resources
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Chicago, IL 60611
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<http://www.abanet.org/environ/>.

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