

**JUDICIAL EXTERNSHIP**  
**ASSIGNMENT FOR THE FIRST CLASS**

**Fall 2010**  
**Thursday 9 – 9:55**  
**Room 100A**

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- 1. Sign up for the TWEN website for this course.**
- 2. Contact your judge if you have not yet done so to discuss your work schedule for the semester.** Remember that you must spend at least 100 hours at the placement over the course of the semester, but you shouldn't spend more than 10 hours per week. **You cannot accept pay for the externship hours.**
- 3. Read pp. 1-10 and 85-87 from the Cochran text.** Rebecca Cochran, *Judicial Externships: The Clinic Inside the Courthouse*, (Lexis-Nexis 3<sup>rd</sup> ed. 2005). These assigned readings are excerpts from the article "Law Clerks: For Better or Worse?" If you're interested in reading the entire article, it's at 54 Brook. L. Rev. 321 (1988), and there's a link to it on my TWEN page.
- 4. Read pp. 1-2 of the *Law Clerk Handbook* (§§ 1.1 and 1.2).** You can find the *Law Clerk Handbook* at [http://www.fjc.gov/public/pdf.nsf/lookup/lawclhbk.pdf/\\$file/lawclhbk.pdf](http://www.fjc.gov/public/pdf.nsf/lookup/lawclhbk.pdf/$file/lawclhbk.pdf). It is also available as a link on my TWEN site.

I will give you a schedule of readings for the rest of the semester at our first class meeting.