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To Join Our Team



## Recent Graduates

Start your legal career with the Missouri Attorney General's Office. Join a team known for its tradition of excellence in public service and receive hands-on experience, mentorship, and immediate responsibility.

## Law Students

Build your skills while you're still in law school. If you attend a Missouri law school, sign up for on-campus interviews during the fall or spring. Our Office interviews at Missouri's four law schools. If you're studying outside of Missouri apply online.

## How to Apply

Recent graduates and out of state law students can apply by submitting your cover letter, résumé, writing sample, and unofficial transcript online at:

<https://agomo.applicantpro.com/jobs/>

Additional information about our Office and its opportunities can be found at [ago.mo.gov](https://ago.mo.gov).



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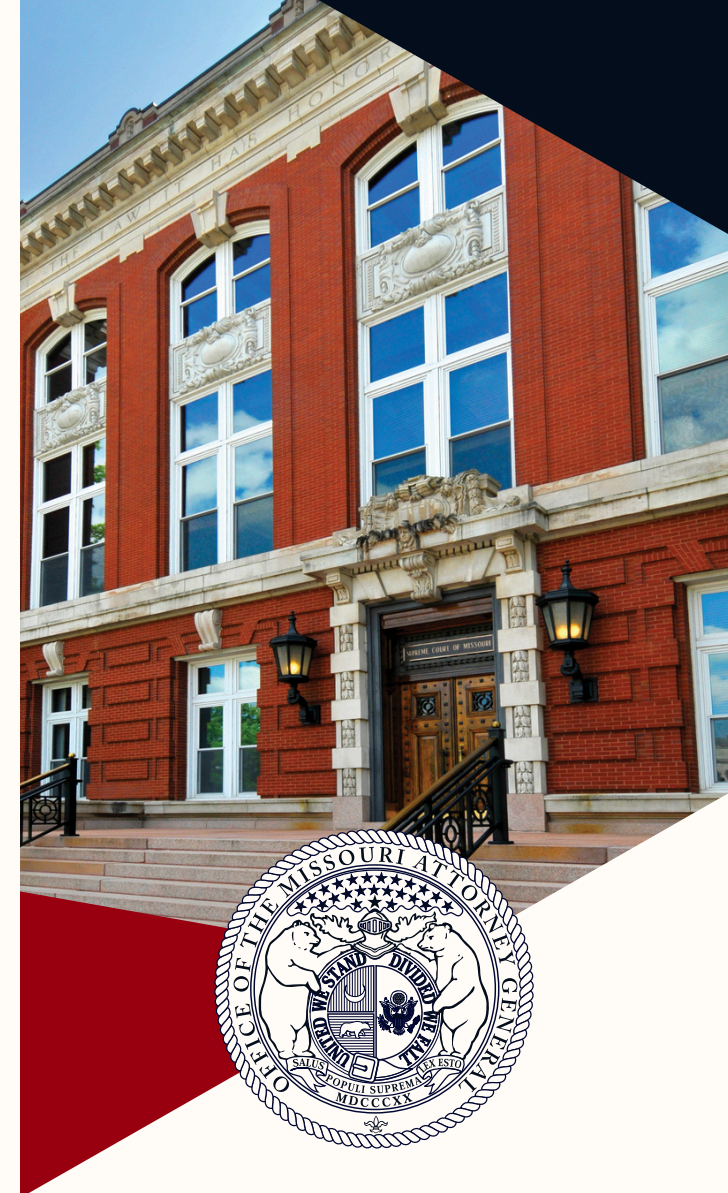
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# THE AGO ADVANTAGE

Begin your legal career with one of Missouri's most respected public-service law offices. At the Attorney General's Office, you won't just observe – you'll practice law from day one. Our attorneys manage their own caseloads, gaining courtroom and litigation experience while serving the people of Missouri.

## Other AGO advantages include:

- Individualized Mentoring: Work one-on-one with experienced attorneys who will guide your professional growth.
- Comprehensive Training: Build trial, deposition, and appellate skills through structured programs for new lawyers.
- High-Impact Cases: Contribute to litigation and policy matters with statewide and national significance.
- Direct Client Interaction: Collaborate with state agency leaders and government officials.
- Competitive Benefits: Access state health and retirement benefits and qualify for Public Service Loan Forgiveness.

## Career Options

The Missouri Attorney General's Office is one of the state's largest and most dynamic legal employers. It offers law students and new attorneys the opportunity to gain meaningful courtroom experience, receive mentorship from seasoned litigators, and serve Missourians through a proud tradition of public service. Beyond the Civil and Criminal Divisions, opportunities are also available in Administration, including the Solicitor General's Office, Special Litigation, Policy, Communications, and Constituent Services.

For more information, please email [recruitment@ago.mo.gov](mailto:recruitment@ago.mo.gov).

## Civil Division

### Civil Trials Section

Defend the State of Missouri, its agencies, officials, and employees in state and federal lawsuits. This section offers unmatched courtroom and jury trial experience early in your career.

### Consumer Protection Section

Work on the front lines of protecting Missourians from fraud and deceptive practices. Law clerks and new attorneys build, mediate, and litigate cases, and learn firsthand how to secure real results for victims.

### Financial Services Section

Gain regular courtroom appearances while representing state agencies in actions to recover funds and defending them in judicial reviews, including collections and child-support enforcement cases.

### Governmental Affairs Section

Develop administrative law and appellate advocacy skills by representing state agencies, boards, and commissions before administrative tribunals and in state courts.

### Labor Section

Provide counsel and litigate claims for the Second Injury Fund and workers' compensation cases. Build specialized expertise while serving the public interest.



## Criminal Division

### Criminal Appeals Section

Write briefs and argue felony and post-conviction appeals before the Missouri Court of Appeals and Supreme Court. Play a key role in shaping the Criminal law for the State of Missouri.

### Medicaid Fraud Control Unit

Investigate and prosecute Medicaid provider fraud and abuse, neglect, or exploitation in Medicaid-funded facilities. Gain investigative and trial experience while protecting vulnerable Missourians.

### Public Protection Section

Partners with local prosecutors and law enforcement to prosecute violent crimes. This section includes various teams that work to keep Missourians safe and defend convictions from collateral attacks. New attorneys build strong trial skills while pursuing justice for victims and communities.

### Internship & Externship Opportunities

The Missouri Attorney General's Intern Program offers law students hands-on experience across a variety of practice areas. As one of Missouri's largest legal employers, the Office provides summer internships in Jefferson City, St. Louis, Kansas City, Springfield, and Cape Girardeau, with both paid and for-credit options. Interns work alongside attorneys, gaining skills and mentorship that exemplify the Office's commitment to public service.

### Assistant Attorneys General Opportunities

The Missouri Attorney General's Office is seeking motivated, responsible, newly barred attorneys who want to make a difference in our state to join our next class of Assistant Attorneys General. New members train alongside peers following graduation and receive specialized instruction and mentorship from experienced litigators. Positions are available in multiple sections within the Civil and Criminal Divisions across our offices in Jefferson City, St. Louis, Kansas City, Springfield, and Cape Girardeau.