

ATLANTA BAR PRO BONO ORGANIZATION CONTACT SHEET



American Civil Liberties Union of Georgia
Contact: Andrea Young
770-303-8111 | www.acluga.org

The American Civil Liberties Union is a national non-partisan organization dedicated to preserving and defending the principles embodied in the Bill of Rights. The GA chapter relies on the contributions of volunteers for its work.

Atlanta Legal Aid Society, Inc.
Contact: Angie Tacker
404-524-5811 | www.atlantalegalaid.org

Since 1924, the Atlanta Legal Aid Society has represented Atlanta's poor in civil legal cases helping clients deal with some of life's most basic needs – a safe home, enough food to eat, a decent education, protection against fraud, and personal safety.

Atlanta Volunteer Lawyers Foundation
Contact: Marty Ellin
404-521-0790 | www.avlf.org

The Atlanta Volunteer Lawyers Foundation, Inc., was created in 1979 to offer lawyers an opportunity to provide civil legal representation for the poor. AVLF creates safe and stable homes and families by inspiring attorneys to fight for equal justice.

Atlanta's Table, Atlanta Community Food Bank
Contact: Val Mathis
404-892-3333 x1234 | www.acfb.org

Atlanta's Table collects and distributes thousands of pounds of food every month which is collected from over 200 hospitality industry donors. The food is distributed to approximately 40 partner agencies that operate meal service programs.

Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Atlanta
Contact: Amy Fairchild Haer
678-222-3932 | www.catholiccharitiesatlanta.org

Catholic Charities Atlanta is an advocate and friend for individuals and families facing adversity. The organizations delivers a unique, holistic combination of accredited life-skills education, counseling, family stabilization and immigration legal services.

Everybody Wins! Atlanta
Contact: Tiffany Tolbert
470-355-4078 | www.everybodywinsatlanta.org

Everybody Wins! is devoted to improving the reading skills of children in Title I public elementary schools through a one on one reading program named Power Lunch. Volunteers are needed to serve as Reading Mentors to students in public elementary schools.

Georgia Appleseed
Contact: Talley Wells
404-685-6704 | www.gaappleseed.org

Georgia Appleseed is a nonpartisan, non-profit organization devoted to law that serves the public interest. Using the skills of hundreds of volunteers, Georgia Appleseed focuses on achieving systemic changes to laws and policies that unfairly impact children, the poor and the marginalized in our state.

Georgia Asylum & Immigration Network
Contact: Monica Modi Khant
404-572-2609 | georgiaasylum.org

GAIN provides pro bono legal representation through volunteer attorneys to asylum seekers, immigrant victims of human trafficking, domestic violence, sexual assault and other crimes.

Georgia Innocence Project
Contact: Matt Holbrook
404-373-4433 | www.georgiainnocenceproject.org

GIP is a nonprofit organization dedicated to helping individuals who have been convicted of crimes they did not commit. The Project works to secure post-conviction DNA testing for Georgia and Alabama inmates where DNA analysis could prove guilt or innocence and adequate DNA testing was not available at trial.

Georgia Justice Project
Contact: Molly Scott
404-827-0027 | www.gjp.org

Georgia Justice Project (GJP) breaks the cycle of poverty by defending the indigent criminally accused and, win or lose, standing with them as they rebuild their lives.

Georgia Lawyers for the Arts
Contact: Meredith Ragains
404-873-3911 | glarts.org

Georgia Lawyers for the Arts exists to serve the legal needs of artists and arts organizations, to promote closer contact and understanding among members of the legal profession and the arts community, and to educate artists about their legal rights and responsibilities.

Georgia Legal Services Program, Inc.
Contact: Ira Foster
404-206-5175 | www.glspp.org

The mission of the Georgia Legal Services Program is to provide access to justice and opportunities out of poverty for Georgians with low incomes.

Gideon's Promise
Contact: Ilham Askia
404-525-4505 | www.gideonspromise.org

The mission of Gideons Promise is to inspire, mobilize and train legal professionals to provide the highest quality defense representation to people unable to afford an attorney.

GreenLaw

404-659-3122 | www.green-law.org

GreenLaw is Georgia-based nonprofit law firm serving environmental and community organizations that have been adversely impacted by pollution which champions the right of every Georgian to breathe clean air, drink clean water and live in healthy communities.

GSU College of Law, Low-Income Taxpayer Clinic

Contact: Ted Afield
404-413-9232 | taxclinic.law.gsu.edu

The Low-Income Taxpayers Clinic primarily employs 2L and 3L students to represent low-income clients. Volunteer attorneys are occasionally needed to assist with cases.

Health Law Partnership

Contact: Pamela Kraidlen
404-705-0000 | healthlawpartnership.org

HeLP provides free legal assistance to patients of Children's and their families. HeLP also partners with volunteer attorneys to prepare wills and obtain minor guardianships on behalf of its clients.

GSU College of Law, Investor Advocacy Clinic

Contact: Nicole Iannarone
law.gsu.edu/clinics/investor-advocacy-clinic

The Georgia State University College of Law's Investor Advocacy Clinic represents investors who have suffered losses resulting from broker misconduct but cannot afford or find private legal representation because of the size of their claim. In addition to representing victims of investment fraud, the Clinic educates investors to prevent them from becoming victims to investment fraud.

Lambda Legal

Contact: Greg Nevins
404-897-1880 x230 | www.lambdalegal.org

Lambda Legal is the oldest and largest national legal organization whose mission is to achieve full recognition of the civil rights of lesbians, gay men, bisexuals, transgender people and those with HIV; through impact litigation, education and public policy work.

Latin American Association

Contact: Elizabeth Sirk
404-638-1836 | thelaa.org

With a focus in the areas of immigration legal assistance, employment and career development, domestic violence assistance, and parenting programs, the LAA offers individualized service and case management and works one-on-one with individuals and families on a long-term basis to help resolve specific needs.

Lawyers for Equal Justice

Contact: Sarah Babcock
404-474-7447 | www.lawyersforequaljustice.org

Lawyers for Equal Justice ("L4EJ") is an incubator program for newer lawyers to start innovative, socially conscious and sustainable law practices providing affordable legal services to low and moderate income clients.

Pro Bono Partnership of Atlanta

Contact: Rachel Spears
404-618-0900 | www.pbpatl.org

*Pro Bono Partnership of Atlanta makes it easy and enjoyable for transactional lawyers at corporations and law firms to do pro bono work by matching them with eligible nonprofits seeking free legal assistance.
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Service Juris

Contact: Jay Cranman
404-979-2829 | www.handsonatlanta.org

Since the inception of ServiceJuris, more than 5,000 volunteers have contributed more than 21,000 hours of service – enriching the learning environments for more than 3,000 public school students, renovating nine neighborhood parks and enabling more than 6,500 people to utilize their community centers.

Southern Center for Human Rights

Contact: Sara Totonchi
404-688-1202 | www.schr.org

The Southern Center for Human Rights advocates for equal justice on behalf of indigent and marginalized people involved with the criminal justice system. The assistance of pro bono attorneys greatly expands the capacity to serve people who are poor and involved with the criminal justice system.

Southern Poverty Law Center

Contact: Willemijn Keizer
404-221-5836 | www.splcenter.org

The Southern Poverty Law Center focuses on labor, employment, and other civil rights cases on behalf of immigrants. Attorneys interested in working on cases with pro bono co-counsel are needed.

State Bar of Georgia Pro Bono Project

Contact: Mike Monahan
404-527-8762 | www.gabar.org

The Pro Bono Project assists local bar associations, individual private attorneys and communities in developing pro bono private attorney/bar involvement programs in their areas for the delivery of legal services to the poor.

State Bar of Georgia Veterans Project

Contact: Christopher Pitts
404-527-8765 | www.gabar.org

This program assists service members and veterans by connecting them to State Bar members who are willing to provide free or reduced-fee legal services.

Truancy Intervention Project

Contact: Jessica Pinson Pennington
404-613-4741 | www.truancyproject.org

TIP provides early, positive intervention when children are noted for excessive school absences. Volunteers address the issues related to absenteeism and serve as an advocate for the child and family.