

25TH ANNIVERSARY

DePaul University
Asylum & Immigration Clinic

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Clinic Participation:
2018-2020

Graduated:
2020

What do you remember most about your time in the Clinic?

I enjoyed the opportunity to take an asylum case before the immigration court for the first time. It was a great experience to get to advocate for my client while still in law school.

What lessons from the clinic do you still use today or have used in your professional career?

I took my client interview skills, brief writing skills, and research skills from the clinic with me to my practice.

How did your involvement with the clinic help you connect with other professionals in the field?

Having the clinic experience was helpful for me in interviews for job opportunities.

What would you tell current or future DePaul law students about the clinic?

The clinic is an excellent opportunity to work with real clients and understand the day-to-day work of an immigration attorney. It is an invaluable experience if you intend to work in immigration post-law school.