

The Pittsburgh Office Summer Associate Program

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The Facts

Year Opened: 1996

Number of Lawyers: 8 Partners | 3 Counsel | 14 Associates (*as of March 2012*)

Office Managing Partner: Marlee S. Myers

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Practice Areas

- Business and Finance
- Employee Benefits and Executive Compensation
- Labor and Employment
- Litigation

Program Components

- Firmwide orientation held offsite
- Mentors for each Summer Associate
- Professional development and training opportunities
- Mid-summer and end-of-summer reviews
- Opportunity to take assignments in all practice groups; no formal rotation
- Optional Public Interest and Community Service (PICS) Program offered to all Summer Associates

Our Public Interest and Community Service Program

Summer associates are given the opportunity to participate in the Public Interest and Community Service (PICS) Program. Every summer associate has the option of either participating in the Firm's traditional summer associate program for the full summer or spending the first part of the summer (at least six weeks) in the traditional program, followed by a full-time assignment at a public interest or community service organization.

2011 Pittsburgh Summer Program Events

- Attorney dinner at Monterey Bay Fish Grotto
- Lunch and learn programs
- Denim days for Charity
- Family event at Kennywood Park
- Happy hour and Friday lunches in the MLB Café
- Pittsburgh Pirates baseball games
- Lunches with associates
- Office ice cream social
- Community Service and Pro Bono Day
- End of summer soiree at PaPa J's Ristorante

What Former Morgan Lewis Summer Associates Say

- *Everyone I came in contact with was extremely helpful and accessible at all times.*
- *I was completely satisfied with my summer experience and the firm exceeded my expectations.*
- *"Everyone was friendly, inclusive, and extremely welcoming and helpful (both personally and professionally). No complaints."*
- *"The office camaraderie was fantastic and really made this a wonderful experience."*
- *"The people at the office were just amazing, seriously just a fantastic bunch. I felt so welcome and included at all times, whether it was partners, associates, support staff, anyone; it's just a great feeling when you feel like you really know everyone at the office and are never afraid to just sit down at a Friday lunch with someone you don't really know and still feel confident that you'll have a great conversation."*
- *"Good reputation, obviously high caliber of work, great salary, and talented people (factors that influenced decision to accept summer offer)."*
- *"Thanks for a wonderful experience! Couldn't be happier."*

Firm Milestones

- Ranked #1 in the Mid-Atlantic in the **2012 Vault Guide to the Top 100 Law Firms**
- Three partners named "**Client Service All-Stars**" by BTI Consulting Group in 2012
- 2012, 2011 and 2010 Best Places to Work for LGBT Equality, **100 percent rating from the Human Rights Campaign Foundation in its Corporate Equality Index 2010 – 2012**
- Named as a **Top Law Firm for Diversity** by *MultiCultural Law Magazine* in 2012

- Morgan Lewis ranked 5th in the country in *The American Lawyer Magazine's 2011 Summer Associate Survey*
- Labor & Employment Law Practice named *The American Lawyer Magazine's Litigation Department of the Year – Labor and Employment Law* Finalist 2004, Winner 2006, Finalist 2008, and Finalist 2010 and 2012
- More than 150 Morgan Lewis lawyers have been included in the 2011 edition of *Chambers USA: America's Leading Business Lawyers*
- Ranked as **the top law firm** in *Corporate Counsel* magazine's 2011 listing of "**Who Represents America's Biggest Companies?**"
- Marlee Myers honored by the National Diversity Council as one of the "**Most Powerful and Influential Women of Pennsylvania**" in 2010
- Recognized as one of the **Top 25 Law Firms by Pro Bono Hours** in 2010 by the *Washington Business Journal*
- Ranked as one of the "**Most Prestigious Firms**" – *2008 Vault Guide to the Top 100 Law Firms*
- Ranked among the top 10 U.S. law firms with the **best growth prospects** in BTI Consulting Group's survey 2008
- Morgan Lewis was one of only 50 firms to be recognized by Working Mother Magazine as one of 2008's "**Best Law Firms for Women**"

Summer Associate Program Application Process

- Submit cover letter, resume, and transcript through career services office or directly to Morgan Lewis at morganlewis.com
- On-campus (if available) or in-office screening interview, 20-30 minutes
- In-office callback visit (morning or afternoon) to meet with members of the recruiting committee and attorneys in the practice area of interest