

CAREERS

Clerkship Program

The Norman Waterhouse Clerkship Program is a great opportunity for final and penultimate year law students to gain hands on, paid experience within a leading Adelaide commercial law firm. Our program offers students the opportunity to spend four weeks working within their chosen area of law.



WHY NORMAN WATERHOUSE

Norman Waterhouse is a full-service commercial law firm that has been providing strategic advice and practical solutions to a broad range of public and private clients, nationally and internationally, for over 100 years. A number of our practitioners began their careers with the firm as Clerks, becoming valued members of our team with many continuing on to build long-term and successful careers at the firm.

CLERKSHIP PROGRAM

Our four-week clerkship program places you in your chosen area of law to maximise the value of your experience. This focused structure allows you to gain hands-on exposure to matters from start to finish, strengthen your practical legal skills, and build confidence in building and managing client relationships.

What you will experience

- performing a range of duties, including drafting correspondence and advice, conducting research, attending client interviews, and participating in firm meetings.
- receive mentoring and professional guidance
- work alongside highly regarded practitioners who are experts in their respective areas of practice
- observe court attendances and pre-trial stages, including mediations, negotiations, and hearings
- be involved in staff social events

OUR PRACTISE AREAS

- Employment, Governance & Regulatory Services;
- Family Law;
- Planning, Development & Environment;
- Native Title, Resources, & Renewable Energy;
- Commercial Dispute Resolution;
- Commercial, Tax & Property;

JOIN OUR TEAM

We consider driven, engaged, well-rounded individuals who are committed to embracing new challenges and experiences. At Normans, our advice and representation is timely, effective and always focused on the strongest strategic outcome for you and our clients. If this appeals to you, we encourage you to apply.

CLERKSHIP DATES

Applications open
Monday 22 June 2026

Applications close
Friday 17 July 2026

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