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Upcoming Programs

Air Force JAG Informational Interviews Wednesday, March 15

1pm - 2:30pm and 3:45 - 4:45pm

Major Strong of the Air Force JAG will be here on Wednesday, March 15th for informational interviews between 1:00 – 2:30 p.m. and 3:45 - 4:45 p.m. Informational interviews will last a half-hour. You will be scheduled for a particular time, based on availability. RSVP on Symplicity by March 10th to request an informational interview time slot.

Toastmasters Monday, March 20

Noon in Room 1012

Do you want to become a confident public speaker and strong leader? If so, Toastmasters is the place for you. You'll find a supportive learn-by-doing environment that allows you to achieve your goals at your own pace.

Public speaking is an essential skill for any lawyer, so make sure to RSVP on Symplicity by Friday, March 17th to reserve your spot.



SBA/TBA Bowling Wednesday, March 22

6:30pm at Southwyck Bowling Lanes in Maumee.

Come bowl and help fundraise for the Toledo Bar Association's pro-bono legal services. For \$10.00 you get two games, shoes, and pizza! There will also be a 50/50 raffle. The teams will consist of students and local lawyers and judges.

RSVP on Eventbite: https://www.eventbrite.com

Mindfulness Session

Session 1: Thursday, March 23 Session 2: Thursday, March 30

Noon in SLK Lounge

Join Attorney Michael Leizerman and Jay Rinsen Weik as they teach the art of mindfulness and meditation. Please plan to attend both sessions. The first one will focus on how to meditate and become mindful, while the second session will expand on what you learned in the first session. This will be a great workshop for students who want to be trial lawyers or work in high-stress areas of the law, and is open to all students.

Job Fairs

To review information on these and other job fairs on the OPD's Job Fairs page, click here. Students who register for any job fairs should also send an e-mail to Kelly Tomlinson at kelly.tomlinson@utoledo.edu to notify her that they have registered.

National LGBT Bar Association:

The National LGBT Bar Association would like to invite you to attend its annual Conference and Career Fair, Lavender Law®, taking place at the Hyatt Regency in San Francisco, California, August 2-4, 2017.

- 1. <u>CAREER FAIR:</u> We offer the best legal career fair in the country. Last year, over **170 employers** joined us to recruit! Click <u>here</u> for a list of last year's recruiters.
- 2. <u>CAREER COUNSELING:</u> Students can receive individual career counseling from NALP volunteers throughout the day during the career fair.
- 3. <u>WRITING SCHOLARSHIPS:</u> Students are eligible to compete in the Michael Greenberg Writing Competition, which awards \$1,000 in prize money and a complimentary trip to the LGBT Bar's Annual Conference & Career Fair, as well as a publication in the *Tulane Law School Journal of Law and Sexuality*.
- 4. <u>CUTTING-EDGE CLE's:</u> These workshops provide law students and attorneys with an education on an array of legal topics, many with an LGBT focus.
- 5. <u>NETWORKING OPPORTUNITIES:</u> Attendance at the Conference & Career Fair provides a unique opportunity for our law student attendees to network with attorneys from all sectors of the legal field, as well as judges and other legal professionals!

To register, p	lease	visit	our	website.
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IndyBar Diversity Job Fair:

August 14 – 15, 2017 Hilton Indianapolis

Are you passionate about starting your career in a Midwestern city that has both cosmopolitan style and small-town charm? Looking to meet legal employers from large, medium and small firms, as well as government agencies, corporations and members of the judiciary? Get a jump start on creating lasting relationships at the 2017 IndyBar Diversity Job Fair.

Employers will be hiring clerks or interns, not offering permanent placement; they will expect to interview 2Ls or those graduating spring 2019/2020 based on full or part-time status.

Over the course of 24 hours, there will be:

- Numerous networking opportunities available for students through a reception, interviews and a luncheon
- More than 25 firm, government, court and corporate legal employers conducting hundreds of interviews with students
- A student workshop focusing on presenting oneself in interviews and social media

For more information and to register, please go to the student registration page at: https://law-indybar-

csm.symplicity.com/students/?signin_tab=0&PHPSESSID=c3b1b477a3e4d41cac9dc9abc4 <u>f70cfe</u>. Registration opens March 1, 2017.

Student Eligibility:

The Diversity Job Fair seeks candidates who represent all aspects of diversity and who are looking for a one-of-a-kind legal community in a Midwestern city that has both cosmopolitan style and small-town charm. We invite fall 2017, full-time 2L law students (graduating May 2019) or part-time 2L and 3L law students (graduating 2019/2020) to participate in the fair.

OPD Evening Hours

The OPD staff is available in the evenings by appointment. If you would like to make an appointment, please contact us at opd@utoledo.edu or 419-530-2851.

Additionally, the office will be open until 6:00 p.m. on the following evenings

- Wednesday, March 15
- Tuesday, April 4
- Monday, April 24

Other Events and Notices

<u>Public Interest Summer Fellowship and ADR Fellowship Applications (Deadline 3/28 at 5:00 pm)</u>

Students who will be working as volunteers or for nominal pay in a public interest position this summer are invited to apply for Public Interest Summer Fellowships through Toledo Law. The amounts and number of the fellowships may vary depending on available funding (awards for summer 2017 may be up to \$4,000 each). For the purpose of the Public Interest Summer Fellowships, a public interest position includes working for a non-profit organization providing services to underrepresented clients/groups/interests, or working for a government entity. Please note that *before applying* you must have secured a qualifying public interest position.

Additionally, a fellowship is available for individuals interested in Alternative Dispute Resolution.

Deadline: Tuesday, March 28, 2017 at 5:00pm

Click here for eligibility and application information.

If you have any questions about the Public Interest Fellowships contact Kelly Tomlinson at kelly.tomlinson@utoledo.edu or the Alternative Dispute Resolution Fellowship contact Professor Maara Fink at maara.fink@utoledo.edu.

Chief Justice Thomas J. Moyer Fellowship Grant Program (Deadline 4/10/2017) ***Please contact Kelly Tomlinson at kelly.tomlinson@utoledo.edu if you are interested in applying.***

The Ohio State Bar Association Chief Justice Thomas J. Moyer Legacy Committee, with the support of the Ohio State Bar Foundation, has created an annual fellowship to be awarded to two exceptional first or second year students enrolled in an Ohio law school.

The fellowship award will be for \$5,000 to fund a summer opportunity advancing one of Chief Justice Moyer's primary initiatives. These include:

- providing citizens with improved access to the courts, alternative dispute resolution, and advanced technology;
- advancing the tenets for which he stood: civility, ethics, judicial independence and the rule of law;
- working with national and international organizations to promote the principles of judicial independence and the rule of law within the United States and throughout the world; and
- promoting or sustaining civic education.

The award requires that the student devote a minimum of 320 hours over the course of the summer to employment or supervised independent research. In evaluating Moyer Fellowship applications, the selection committee will give priority to projects and activities that involve original research and scholarship, consistent with the stated purpose of the Fellowship Program and legacy of Chief Justice Moyer.

The fellowship grant process is competitive and law students must submit a:

- Law Student Application, including a comprehensive description of the proposed summer employment, or independent as outline in the attached application materials
- Current Resume, and
- Supervisor Agreement

Deadline: Monday, April 10, 2017

AAJ Women for Justice Education Fund's 2017 Mike Eidson Scholarship

The Mike Eidson Scholarship Fund was established by the AAJ Women Trial Lawyers Caucus in 2008, in honor of AAJ Past President Mike Eidson, whose vision and generosity inspired it. The Scholarship, traditionally given in the amount of \$5,000, is awarded annually to a rising 3L (or rising 4L in a night program) female student who has demonstrated a commitment to a career as a trial lawyer, along with dedication to upholding and defending the principles of the Constitution, and to the concept of a fair trial, the adversary system, and a just result for the injured, the accused, and those whose rights are jeopardized.

Deadline: Monday, May 1, 2017 and the Scholarship will be awarded at the AAJ Annual Convention, which will take place this year on July 23, 2017 in Boston, Massachusetts.

Find out more information and the application here.

Become an ABA Liaison

Deadline: Wednesday, March 15, 2017

The ABA student liaison program immerses students into ABA leadership by placing them in ABA entities. There's no better way to make connections with experienced ABA lawyer members!

The liaison's entire goal is to build a relationship with the leadership of an ABA entity; help that group develop content, programs and events for law students focused on that group's special expertise; and report progress back to the Division.

Not only will you interact with experienced ABA lawyer leaders, but many groups subsidize participation by funding liaison travel to entity meetings. To be appointed as a liaison, you must be an enrolled for the 2017-2018 law school year and you must be an ABA Law Student Division Premium member.

Apply Here: http://abaforlawstudents.com/why-join/become-a-leader/entity-liaisons/?utm_source=LSD-Marketing&utm_campaign=Liaisons-2017&utm_medium=Email

Bergstrom Child Welfare Law Training - Ann Arbor, MI

Apply by March 15, 2017

The University of Michigan Law School is pleased to announce the 2017 Bergstrom Child Welfare Law Training, which will be held at the law school from May 15, 2017 - May 17, 2017. For the past twenty years, the University of Michigan Law School has invited students interested in child welfare law to spend three days in Ann Arbor, prior to starting their summer internship at a child welfare office, to participate in a comprehensive training on child welfare law and practice. The Bergstrom Foundation will fund travel expenses for the participants, housing during the training, and meals. For more details and to apply, go to: www.law.umich.edu/bergstrom.

2L/3L/4L Jobs of the Week

Below are a few select job postings for 2L and 3L/4L students. For the full posting and to view other positions go to Symplicity. Apply as soon as possible!

Legal Department Summer Internship Program (8647)

Cube Hydro

Legal Department Summer Internship Program

Summary:

Cube Hydro Partners (Cube Hydro) is hiring a Summer Associate to assist with general c and energy regulatory compliance, and transactional legal diligence.

Cube Hydro, a portfolio company of I Squared Capital, is a hydropower development and

Deputy Court Administrator (8649)

Toledo Municipal Court

DEPUTY COURT ADMINISTRATOR

The Toledo Municipal Court is accepting applications until 4:30 p.m. on March 21, 2017 ADMINISTRATOR.

The Deputy Court Administrator works closely with the Court Administrator in directing judicial municipal court operations. The Deputy Co ... <u>view details</u>

2017 1L Internship Program/2L Summer Law Clerk (8648)

The Liberty Mutual Insurance Group (Boston, MA)

Position Changes: National LGBT Bar Association 2017 1L Internship Program/2L Summer Law Clerk The Liberty Mutual Insurance Group – A Fortune 100 Company

The National LGBT Bar Association has extended the deadline for the Liberty Mutual In Law Clerk Program and opened additional internship positions for 1Ls. ... view details

Administrative Clerk I - Part Time, Adult Probation Department (8645)

Lucas County Common Pleas Court Administrative Clerk I - Part Time Adult Probation Department

Greets and assists visitors and clients. Receives and directs incoming telephone calls and and the general public. Interacts with Probation Department clients on a daily basis.

ESSENTIAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE POSITION:

These a ... view details

Summer 2017 Law Clerks (8630)

Legal Services of South Central Michigan

Legal Services of South Central Michigan: Summer 2017 Law Clerks

Legal Services of South Central Michigan (LSSCM) is seeking applicants for the position offices:

1. Legal Services of South Central Michigan (LSSCM): These offices provide civil legal with an emphasis on home ... <u>view details</u>

2017 Fall Law Clerk Position (8613)

U.S. Department of Justice, Environment and Natural Resources Division

Fall 2017 applications will be accepted from March 1st - April 22nd.

The Division is divided into nine litigating sections: Appellate, Environmental Crimes, E Enforcement, Indian Resources, Land Acquisition, Law & Policy, Natural Resources, and

Nearly one-half of the Division ... view details

2017 Summer Associate (8643)

Stimpson & Associates PC

Toledo Law Resume Collect

2017 Summer Associate/Law Clerk

Small general practice law firm is seeking a summer associate/law clerk for the summer c

Qualifications

- 2L Full Time or 3L Part Time student
- strong research and writing skills

Interested students must upload a cover letter, resume, writing sample and tra ... view det

Summer Judicial Clerk (8568)

Washtenaw County Trial Court (Ann Arbor, MI)

Judge Darlene O'Brien is accepting applications for a summer judicial clerk in the Washt Michigan. The clerkship would be for the summer of 2017 and involve domestic and crin students interested in working as a volunteer, for credit through the Public Service Extern

2017 Summer Law Clerk (8514)

Kisling, Nestico & Redick, LLC

Toledo Law Resume Collect

2017 Summer Law Clerk

Kisling, Nestico & Redick is currently seeking a second or third year law student for a pa Toledo location.

Responsibilities

- Filing, researching, and writing motions, brief deposition summaries, and medical treatr
- Attendi ... view details

Legal Manager (8644)

Lucas County Children Services

LEGAL MANAGER

Lucas County Children Services in Toledo, Oh is looking for a Legal Manager to efficien Department.

ACCOUNTABILITIES:

To provide advice and counsel to agency administrators and staff on all court cases specified dependency/neglect/abuse of children; to ensure effective pro ... view details

Attorney (8651)

Nicholas, Perot, Smith, Koehler & Wall, P.C.

Attorney

Trial litigation firm in Erie, Pennsylvania seeks attorney with 1-3 years' experience, for a This is a great financial opportunity for the right lawyer.

Passage of Pennsylvania Bar is required.

The firm also has offices in New York state and handles cases in several western Pennsyl

2017 Summer Environmental Scholarship (8629)

Cleveland Metropolitan Bar Association

Since 1994, the Environmental Section of the Cleveland Metropolitan Bar Association has working in the public or non-profit sectors in unpaid summer internships. Scholarships at law school in northeast Ohio or those who wish to work in the region. The scholarship an

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Comprehensive Fellowship Guide - Now Available on PSJD

The 2016-2017 edition of the <u>Comprehensive Fellowship Guide</u> is now available online on PSJD. The Guide provides a portal to the database, which features over 300 fellowship opportunities. Because the Guide is available online, it will always reflect the most recent updates and is available to job seekers and career development offices 24/7. PSJD also provides tips on applying for <u>fellowships</u> as well as a <u>primer</u>, including how to search by fellowship type, geographic location, or deadline. Many fellowship application deadlines are quickly approaching.

Bar Exam Info

For links to state bar exam websites, click here.

Ohio Bar Exam Info

MORE ABOUT OHIO DEADLINES

2017

- April 3 **Deadline:** Application to take the July 2017 bar examination Note: The dates for the July 2017 bar examination are July 25, 26, and 27 April 28 Release of results of the February 2017 bar examination May 10 **Deadline:** Late application to take the July 2017 bar examination Admissions Ceremony for successful February examinees who have met May 15 all admission requirements The May 15 Bar Admissions ceremony will be recorded as a service for the newly admitted attorneys, their families and guests. The video will contain coverage of the entire event, including all speakers and the presentation of wall certificates. If you would like to order a DVD, please visit the Ohio Channel Online Store.
- July 25 27 Administration of the July 2017 bar examination
- Aug. 15 **Deadline:** Late Application to register as a candidate for the February 2018 bar examination
- Nov. 1 **Deadline:** Application to take the February 2018 bar examination **Note:** The dates for the February 2018 bar examination are February 27, 28, and March 1

Nov. 15 **Deadline:** Timely <u>Application to Register as a Candidate for Admission</u> to the Practice of Law (for applicants in the second year of law school)

Dec. 11 **Deadline:** Late Application to take the February 2018 bar examination

IMPORTANT: Every applicant who intends to take the Ohio bar examination shall file with the Office of Bar Admissions of the Supreme Court an Application to Register as a Candidate for Admission to the Practice of Law by November 15 of the applicant's second year of law school. (This means in your second year of law school, whether you are on the Full-Time or Part-Time track, no matter when you plan to graduate!) Click here for more details.

Michigan Bar Exam Info

MORE ABOUT MICHIGAN DEADLINES

Applications for the **July 2017** exam will be accepted after January 15, 2017, and must be electronically submitted prior to midnight EST, May 15, 2017.

DEADLINES FOR OTHER STATES VARY, PLEASE CHECK WITH THE STATE IN WHICH YOU PLAN TO TAKE THE BAR EXAMINATION FOR MORE DETAILS.



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