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## Making the Most of Your Summer

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A lot is at stake this summer be it a permanent offer, references (both formal and informal) or a general boost in your career. Making a good impression is extremely important to your professional development and career. This presentation will identify potential stumbling blocks, highlight goals to be achieved, identify opportunities to shine, and teach you how to be productive this summer. Please join us to learn how to make the most of your summer.

#### 27th Annual National Black Prosecutors Association Job Fair

EARLY REGISTRATION DEADLINE: APRIL 16, 2010 STUDENT REGISTRATION DEADLINE: JULY 6, 2010 ANNUAL CONFERENCE: JULY 18 - 24, 2010 CAREER SEMINAR: JULY 19, 2010 JOB FAIR / RECEPTION: JULY 20, 2010

The National Black Prosecutors Association (NBPA) invites you to participate in their Annual Job Fair on July 20, 2010 in San Francisco. The goal of the NBPA Job Fair is to promote diversity in prosecutors' offices by providing a forum where law students, recent law graduates, and experienced attorneys can meet and interview with prospective prosecutorial employers at the local, state, and federal levels.

Job Fair participants are invited to attend a free career seminar entitled "Strategies for a Successful Interview." Students and 2010 law school graduates are invited to attend Conference seminars for free. However, other events, such as luncheons, dinners and receptions, must be paid for separately. At the culmination of the Job Fair, there will be a reception for Job Fair participants and Convention attendees.

The early **registration fee** for the Job Fair is \$25.00. **After April 16th, the regular Job Fair registration fee is \$50.00.** For complete information on the job fair and how to register, see the *National Black Prosecutors Association Job Fair* posting on <u>Symplicity.</u>

### 17th Annual DuPont Legal Minority Job Fairs

STUDENT APPLICATION DEADLINE: APRIL 28, 2010 HOUSTON, TX, SATURDAY, AUGUST 7, 2010 LOS ANGELES, CA, SATURDAY, AUGUST 7, 2010 WILMINGTON, DE, SATURDAY, AUGUST 7, 2010

For 17 years DuPont has led the effort to attract talented law students, with an interest in increasing the number of lawyers of color represented in their law firms and primary legal service companies. DuPont has carefully selected the participating employers as part of a program designed to foster partnering and efficiencies between client and law firm. Law firms that meet their criteria will assume significant responsibilities over DuPont's complex litigation docket. These firms are joined by other service providers to create a DuPont Network with representatives throughout the United States.

For complete information on the job fair and how to register, see the 2010 DuPont Legal Minority Job Fair posting on Symplicity.

### **Bay Area Diversity Career Fair**

STUDENT REGISTRATION: MAY 17 – JUNE 11, 2010 WELCOME RECEPTION: JULY 30, 2010, SAN FRANCISCO CAREER FAIR: JULY 31, 2010, SAN FRANCISCO

The Diversity Career Fair brings prominent law firms and government legal departments in the San Francisco Bay Area together with rising second-year law students. A welcome reception that includes prospective employers takes place the night before the interviews, and a breakfast panel the morning of the fair features diverse lawyers from a variety of practice areas.

For complete information on the job fair and how to register, see the *2010 Bay Area Diversity Career Fair* posting on <u>Symplicity</u>.

# Indianapolis Bar Association Diversity Job Fair INDIANAPOLIS, IN, AUGUST 19-20, 2010

The Indianapolis Bar Association (IBA) cordially invites fall 2010, 2L law students (graduating May 2012) to participate in the IBA Diversity Job Fair.

For complete information on the job fair and how to register, see the *Indianapolis Bar Association Diversity Job Fair* posting on <u>Symplicity</u>.



#### **Judicial Clerkships**

2Ls:

If you are interested in applying to judicial clerkships, please be sure to meet with Ali Shinsato to discuss the application process and to e-mail Ali the names of your three recommenders by April 30th.

Ali is holding walk-in hours next week, Tuesday through Friday, 11 AM to 1 PM. You can also schedule an appointment by calling 530.752.6574.

#### **CSO Walk-in Hours**

#### **All Students:**

Have a quick career-related question? Come to the office between 11 AM and 1 PM any weekday and talk to the designated career counselor.

#### 3Ls:

Lisa Carlock, Graduate Employment Specialist, has walk -in hours for you every Tues, Wed, and Thurs from 10-11 AM.

## Assess Your Interests & Abilities

The UC Davis Internship & Career Center is offering a Myers -Briggs Type Indicator on May 13th at 3PM. RSVP <u>here</u>.

# **Equal Justice Works 2010 Summer Corps**

The summer program provides a \$1000 Education Award to law students upon completion of 300 hours of service. Visit the <a href="Summer Corps">Summer Corps</a> page for more information.

### **Employer Outreach**

Mindy Baggish, Director of
Career Services, will be back in
the office after a week of outreach
to employers in Washington,
D.C. and New York City. She met
with many legal employers in all
sectors in both cities. Future
excursions to other locations are
in the works, including an
extensive trip to Southern
California.

## Small Firm Directory

The Career Services Office has developed a new resource, *The Northern California Small and Midsize Firm Directory*, which is now available on the intranet. *The Northern California Small and Midsize Firm Directory* and its accompanying *Small and Midsize Firm Guide* were created to help you identify potential employers throughout Northern California.

To access the Directory and the Guide, please go to: <a href="https://intranet.law.ucdavis.edu/community/career/small-firms.aspx">https://intranet.law.ucdavis.edu/community/career/small-firms.aspx</a>. This link will take you to the login page for the King Hall intranet. Once you have entered your intranet login and password, you will then be connected to the relevant page.

