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The Official Newsletter of Student and Career Services

WELCOME TO SPRING SEMESTER !!!

The Office of Student and Career Services is here to partner with you in planning your career, both during and after law school. This month's publication covers important topics related to your professional development and student experience.

Week of January 24-30



Tues. 1/26 @noon - Solo Practice: Q&A with Current and Former Incubator Tenants

Did you know that C|M|LAW has dedicated resources to helping you to launch your own solo practice? Join three current and former tenants of our solo practice incubator, along with Prof. Daiker-Middaugh and C|M|LAW alum and incubator liaison Ashley Jones to hear what it is like to launch and sustain a solo practice immediately after graduation! Click to join: <u>https://csuohio.zoom.us/j/86105243361</u>

Wed. 1/27 @noon - Introduction to Experiential Skills Requirement

You know that the American Bar Association requires 6 total credits of experiential skills credits and that 3 of the 6 MUST be in an externship or a clinic. How will you fulfill that requirement before graduation? Join clinical faculty and the Office of Student and Career Services to learn more. This session will provide critically important information before the **February 1** date for reaching out to clinical faculty about Fall 2021 clinic spots. This is a very important session for our 1Ls, 1LEs, 2Ls, 2LEs, and 3LEs, especially if you are planning to graduate in December 2021 or May 2022 and have not met the experiential requirement. For first-year students, this is very important for planning your law school experience.

Click to join: https://csuohio.zoom.us/j/84253276751

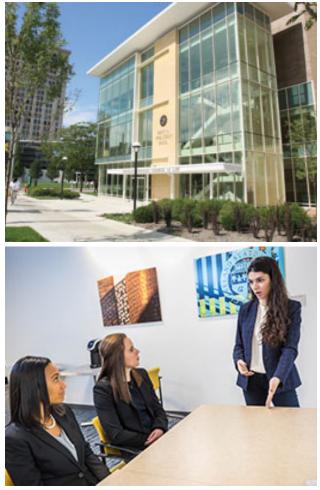
Thur. 1/28 @5pm - Student Town Hall

This is the first student Town Hall of the semester. We will cover initial Spring 2021 updates and take questions from all students. Following these items, we will open the floor for input and questions from graduation students about the May 2021 graduation.

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Click to join: <u>Town Hall</u> Meeting ID: 873 9134 6883; Pass Code: 015791 Dial by your location: 929 436 2866

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Additional Town Hall Dates & Times:

Tuesday, Feb. 9th @noon Thursday, Feb. 25th @5pm

Tuesday, March 9th @noon Thursday, March 25th @5pm Tuesday, April 6th @noon Thursday, April 15th @5pm Tuesday, April 27th @noon

Thursday, May 13th @5pm

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Thur. 1/28 @1pm (60 min) - CEO Innovation Roundtable: How to survive during a pandemic and thrive post-pandemic. In this session, McDonald Hopkins Intellectual Property Department Chair David Cupar will lead a CEO roundtable discussion with two innovative companies to examine how to survive during a pandemic and thrive postpandemic.

Click to register: McDonald Hopkins CEO Roundtable

Thur. 1/28 @4pm; Tues. 2/2 @10am - Navy JAG Recruiting

Join the Navy for either info session on their student and direct appointment programs.

Click to join via Microsoft Teams: Jan. 28 or Feb. 2.

Apply Now at: <u>https://onlineapplication2.jag.navy.mil/Recruit</u>. Email Lt. Wink for more info: melisa.j.wink1@navy.mil.

Fri. 1/29 @noon - Mental Well-Being Forum: Provide Input for Counseling Center Staff on the Law School Experience

Meet and talk with Counseling Center staff to provide insight about how best to assist Law School students. Ten counselors will briefly introduce themselves, and Counseling Center services will be reviewed, but most of the hour will be for you to give your perspective. What would you want a counselor to know to better help you or a colleague? What stressors are you experiencing as a Law Student, from the pandemic, or from societal events? How can the Counseling Center best support Law School students at this time?

Psychologists: Dr. Katharine Oh, Dr. Bruce Menapace, Dr. Todd Seibert, Dr. Brittany Sommers

Counselors: Nicole Fogwell, Kelli Hess, Christina Iapezzuto, Katerina Istomin, Karina Del Valle, Mengxi Yin

Click to join: <u>Mental Well-Being Forum</u> Meeting ID: 843 6903 0431; Pass Code: 280968

Spring Recruiting Updates

Employers planning to interview during the month of February are being added to the OCI module as they register. To review these employers and submit materials, please click the OCI section of <u>CareerConnect</u> and move the Session to "February 2021 Recruiting (Various Dates)."

U.S. Air Force JAG, recruiting all class years, interviewing February 1, apply by January 28. Avient Corporation, recruiting 1L, 1LE, 2L, 2LE, 3LE students, interviewing February 2, apply by January 28. Flannery Georgalis, recruiting all class years, interviewing February 5, apply by January 28. Lazzaro Luka, recruiting 1L, 1LE, 2LE, interviewing February 8, apply by January 28. Ohio State Legal Services Corporation, recruiting 1L, 1LE, 2LE, 3LE students, Resume Collect (will schedule its own interviews), apply by February 4. Cuyahoga Cnty. Prosecutor's Office, recruiting 1L, 1LE, 2L, 2LE, 3LE students, interviewing sometime after February 26, apply by February 4.

If you have submitted your Participation Agreement (under Surveys) and see the OCI module in <u>CareerConnect</u>, you can view these employers today and begin submitting your materials tomorrow. Please continue to check the Job postings for rolling basis applications (where the employer is scheduling its own interviews and considering candidates on a rolling basis).

Reach out to your Student & Career Services Staff

Sarah Dylag Beznoska <u>s.beznoska@csuohio.edu</u> Assistant Dean, Student and Career Services 216-687-2260

Sarah leads the Student and Career Services staff in providing students a variety of assistance including career and academic advising, resume guidance, professional development programming, externship program development, and employer outreach.

Jaime Gay j.gay21@csuohio.edu Assistant Director of Student and Career Services 216-302-8295 (temp. remote number)

Jaime works directly with students. She performs career and academic advising, including revising application materials, interview preparation, and course selection. She also provides direct support to Sarah regarding programming, student life, and the externship program.

Marcie J. Rechner <u>m.rechner@csuohio.edu</u> Student Records Administrator 216-687-2289

Marcie is your first point of contact for all documentation that you may need from C|M|Law. She oversees all student records and processes all forms and paperwork for the Bar Exam, as well as transcript requests.

Layla Davis <u>l.m.davis82@csuohio.edu</u> Administrative Secretary 216-687-2396

Layla is the primary point of contact within Student and Career Services for matters related to exam scheduling, exam re-schedules, and accommodations approved by the Office of Disability Services. She also assists with Records requests and responds to emails sent to academic.services@law.csuohio.edu.



In order to provide one-on-one advising, students will be admitted one at a time from the waiting room in the order you arrived. You may drop in at any time during the session!

Jaime's drop-in hours for Spring 2021 are every Friday from 10am-noon.

Click: https://csuohio.zoom.us/j/89396189617

Sarah's drop-in hours are every Tuesday from 11am-noon. Click: <u>https://csuohio.zoom.us/j/4956357744</u>

Jeremy's drop-in hours are Mondays from 11:30am-12:30pm & Thursday from noon-1pm. Click: <u>https://zoom.us/j/9378682528</u> Pass Code: yi2EEb

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AccessLex MAX Financial Programming: Scholarship Drawing February 1st

Cleveland-Marshall College of Law is now a MAX school! We have partnered with AccessLex Institute[®], the largest nonprofit organization in the country focusing on access, affordability, and the value of legal education, to bring you MAX by AccessLex[®], an innovative personal finance program created exclusively for law students.

Available at no cost to you or our law school, MAX drives the knowledge gain and behavior change essential to improving your financial well-being and offers scholarship incentives, awarding over \$300,000 to MAX users during the 2020-21 academic year through MAX Scholarship drawings on October 1, February 1, and April 1!

To be eligible for the February 1 scholarship drawing, please complete the following activities by January 27, 2021, and plan to attend the Financial Planning for Law School Students webinar tentatively scheduled during the week of January 25 (stay tuned!).

- View the brief MAX info video at: <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?</u> <u>v=4fuR5rux_1A</u>
- Create your MAX account at: <u>https://www.accesslex.org/maxonline</u> to take advantage of the quick lessons and resources, earn entries in the scholarship drawings and reduce stress/empower yourself through financial knowledge!
- Complete Lessons 1-8 (each lesson takes approx. 10-15 min.) and the survey **specific to your class year** (approx. 5 min.) no later than Jan. 27, 2021.

Dean Fisher and Peggy Zone Fisher to be honored by the Cleveland Metropolitan Bar Association on February 13th.

Dean **Lee Fisher** and **Peggy Zone Fisher** are the recipients of the 2021 Richard W. Pogue Award for Community Leadership and Engagement - the Cleveland Metropolitan Bar Foundation's highest honor - for their unparalleled history of leadership in business, government, law, and community service. They are the first couple to receive the Pogue Award.

Their incredible careers include a shared focus on justice, equity, diversity, and inclusion (JEDI), as well as a devotion to empowering students to be our next generation of leaders. They will be honored at the 16th **Rock the Foundation** Virtual Gala on Valentine Eve on Saturday, February 13, 2021, broadcast live from the Music Box Supper Club. The evening's theme is "Sweet 16/Valentine's Eve."

We would love to see a great turnout of Cleveland-Marshall students, faculty and staff. Cleveland Marshall students are **FREE**. Contact Caitlin Peterson at <u>cpeterson@clemetrobar.org</u> or 216-539-3735.







Click the link for more info - <u>Rock the Foundation</u>.

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Curated Articles on the Future of the Legal Profession

Understanding the legal marketplace - the knowledge of trends and industry analysis - is every bit as important as the knowledge you are gaining in the classroom. An attorney's thorough understanding of the law paired with an insight into the environment in which they practice (or are about to practice) will give them an advantage in the marketplace.

Spend some time reading and reflecting on the following articles.

From Lawsiteblog.com

During the Clio Cloud Conference in October 2020, practice management company Clio released its annual Legal Trends Report, based on analysis of data from tens of thousands of legal professionals and surveys of legal professionals and legal consumers, and it shows that the coronavirus crisis has resulted in a decided shift in legal practice, away from brickand-mortar offices and towards cloud-based technologies and virtual delivery of legal services.

From Bloomberglaw.com

Analysis: Four Questions That Are Transforming the Legal Industry.

Certain questions long absent from legal industry analysis are being asked more and more frequently, and Covid-19 concerns have made analysts thing hard about what is needed from legal professionals and whether they are actively seeking innovative and creative solutions.





