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Dean's Message

Welcome to the last newsletter of 2007. In addition to a few wrap-up student recognitions, I want to wish everyone good luck with exams. I hope that you all have the calm confidence of one who is really prepared. Each final pales beside the pressure and length of the bar exam, but attitude has a lot to do with success on both and the best attitude comes only when you know you have done everything you can do.

Thanks to Angel Jacobs for getting us mentioned in the November issue of the ABA's Student Lawyer, in a short piece about the student chapter of the Georgia Association of Women Lawyers. Also, Angel and all the students who planned the program for the recent GAWL meeting at the law school are to be congratulated. They did a great job.

Thanks to our students who were panelists earlier this semester for the Color of Justice Program, sponsored by the DeKalb County School System and the Georgia Committee on Access and Fairness in the Courts. Dean's Awards for: Amber Saunders, Tiffany Simmons, Amit Patel, and Alpa Amin. And, congratulations to Tiffany Carter who was awarded a scholarship from the Committee on behalf of the National Association for Women Judges.

Finally, congratulations to Peter Acker and Roy Yunker for representing the law school so effectively at the regional competition of the 57th National Moot Court Competition. They thrashed a few schools, Professor Jewel says, although she says it much more delicately.

After exams, have a great holiday break! I look forward to seeing everyone again in the New Year.

Dean Lynn

This week's announcements:

- Atlanta Spirit Speaker's Bureau Breakfast
- 2008 Judicial Clerkship Job Fair
- Hot Jobs

ATLANTA SPIRIT SPEAKER'S BUREAU BREAKFAST

The Atlanta Spirit Speaker's Bureau Breakfast is a monthly executive speaker event geared to the Atlanta business professional to stay updated, informed, and educated on the Atlanta area business scene. Come join us to hear two of Atlanta's true power brokers give their perspective on business, as well as tips that have helped them succeed within their respective fields.

Date: Wednesday December 12th

Time: 7:30am - 9:00am

Location: Philips Arena Center Club Restaurant – Suite Level C

Moderated By: Hawks TV Personality Bob Rathbun

Admission: \$60 (Cost includes breakfast, speaking event and lower level Atlanta Hawks ticket of \$85 value to your choice of 1/5/08 New Jersey Nets or 1/15/08 Denver)

Purchase your tickets to this event by calling 404-878-3782

2008 JUDICIAL CLERKSHIP JOB FAIR

Open to all 3L's interested in a *paid* Judicial Law Clerk position *after* graduation!

Interviews will be conducted Tuesday, January 22, 2008 at the Georgia Center for Continuing Education in Athens, Georgia. Parking and other information can be found at <http://www.georgiacenter.uga.edu>. Additionally, information regarding judges and/or courts can be found at www.georgiacourts.org.

To apply or for more information, please stop by the Career Development Office to pick up an application and get answers to your questions!

The deadline is Monday, December 10th at 12:00 noon.

HOT JOBS

Following is a sample of some recent JMLS student job postings. For more information on these or other postings, go to: http://www.johnmarshall.edu/career/job_post.php . Be sure to bookmark the site for easy access.

Job #1472 & #1473

Employer: Molden Holley Fergusson & Thompson, LLC

Job Title: Law Clerk (2 Positions)

Year Student: 2L, 3L

Location: Atlanta, GA

Job Description: Molden Holley Fergusson & Thompson, LLC has an exciting career opportunity available for 2 current law students (a 2L and a 3L). The 3L *Law Clerk* would work part-time during the school year in a position designed specifically to mold/train them for a permanent Associate position following the Bar exam. The 2L *Law Clerk* would work part-time during the school year and full time during the summer. Firm practice areas include: business transactions, business litigation, commercial real estate, and labor and employment.

Qualifications: Interest in business litigation and or commercial real estate.

Salary: \$8.00 per hour

Job # 1296

Employer: Georgia Department of Agriculture

Job Title: Law Clerk

Year Student: 2L, 3L

Location: Atlanta, GA

Job Description: Candidate will be expected to perform duties including, but not limited to legal research, grant writing, attending settlement conferences, administrative orders, compiling evidence and administrative duties.

Qualifications: Interest in Georgia Department of Agriculture.

Salary: \$7.00 per hour

Deadline: Tuesday, December 4, 2007