

# Law Student Development & Career Services Office

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## Barrister's Ball 2009

The Barrister's Ball is tomorrow.

**October 3, 2009, 7:30- 12:00 p.m. at the Giant City Lodge.**

Tickets for the event cost \$20. Tickets may be purchased until 1 pm today at the law school or at the door.

A shuttle will be provided from the Law School parking lot on Oakland to Giant City Lodge. The shuttle will start at 7:30 pm and run about every half hour. The Last shuttle will leave the Law School at 9 pm. The shuttle will bring students back to the Law School after the event has ended.



## Law Students Face New Responsibilities in Career Building

...Unlike law students in the past who would take classes or CLE courses to demonstrate their interest in a particular subject, students today can distribute their views in a blog or via Twitter to gain a reputation as a resource. "Many people approach law school as a continuation of the liberal arts education, but the down economy is really offering students an opportunity to use their time in law school to be directed, which also requires them to be more exploratory about what is interesting to them," says Reuter...The new era does not require an extensive contribution of time; it only requires a renewed sense of focus with the time you are already spending. It is a technique-driven era with new methods for distinguishing yourself. For instance, students who develop ways to use technology to profile members of the industry will create tangible demonstrations of their knowledge of the people and subjects, with which they should be familiar. Read the article in Room 104 or at [www.law.com](http://www.law.com)

## Fall Résumé Collection

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2Ls Summer 2010 Law Clerk  
**Bamberger, Foreman, Oswald and Hahn, LLP** Deadline: 12/11/09

## Loan Forgiveness and Repayment

Join us on **Monday, October 5, 2009, from 11 am to 12 pm in the Auditorium** for a Free Webinar Program presented by Admissions and Law Student Development.

This **free webinar** explains how you can benefit from the College Cost Reduction and Access Act.

From this webinar you will learn about: How Income-Based Repayment and Public Service Loan Forgiveness work, what you need to know about loan forgiveness while you are in school, and what steps to take after you graduate to manage high student debt. **You can't afford to miss this information!!!**

## Conference Notices

For further information, see us in room 104

### **PILI - Public Interest Law Initiative**

John Marshall SOL ,Chicago.  
Saturday, Oct 17, 2009. Free.

### **Young Lawyers Association Pro Bono & Community Service Fair - Chicago**

Thursday, Oct 29, 2009, 5-7pm. Free

**MS. JD's Third Annual Conference on Women in the Law: Avenues to Advancement. Northwestern University, Chicago, IL** November 20-21, 2009, \$50.00

### **1Ls and 2Ls!! The AFL-CIO Law Student Union Summer Internship Program**

is a 10 week internship program for students interested in labor law. Housing and travel costs are covered. Weekly stipend of \$600.00. Positions throughout the US are available. **1Ls applications are due January 26, 2010. 2Ls application are due October 20, 2009.** See us in room 104 for details.

### **Writing Competition: ASECA Securities Law Writing Competition.**

**Topic: Any subject in the field of securities Law. 1st place: \$5000; 2nd place \$3000; 3rd place \$2000. Due by November 13, 2009**

Check the large Events/Conferences/Symposiums, Scholarships, Writing Competitions, and Fellowships Notebooks in the Career Library for details and deadlines. Our main bulletin board is located by the main staircase on the second floor, and a second board is located outside our office in room 104. Newsletters are archived on the SIU School of Law website at [www.law.siu.edu/studentlife.asp](http://www.law.siu.edu/studentlife.asp)