1L Professional Development Curriculum

Tuesday, October 20, 2009
Career Center Open House
8:30-10:30AM, Law School Room 2015
Stop by before or after your morning class to meet the staff of the Career Center over coffee and donuts and hear just a bit about the ways we can help you launch your career.

Thursday, October 22, 2009
1L Core Skills Workshop
4:30 PM, Law School 3041
This event is the one you don't want to miss. We will go through resumes, cover letters, interviewing, and much more with professionals from government, public interest, private practice and the judiciary.

Tuesday, October 27, 2009
2L/3L Panel for 1Ls
12:15 PM, Law School 3041
An informal panel of 2Ls and 3Ls offers time-tested career advice to 1L students.

Wednesday, October 28, 2009
From Private Practice to Foreign Services
12:15 PM, Law School 4045
Meet Jason Ullner JD/LLM '99, who worked as foreign service officer at the U.S. Embassy in Tel Aviv, Israel and political officer at the U.S. Embassy in Baghdad, Iraq for the past three years.

Thursday, October 29, 2009
Finding and Funding a Summer Public Interest Job
10:00 AM, Law School 4047
This program will provide an overview of the many resources for finding summer public interest jobs and how to fund those that are unpaid.

Summer Employment Recognition Day - Table Talk and Peer Counseling
12:15 PM, Law School Blue Lounge
Students who worked in the non-profit and government sectors over the summer share how they obtained and financed their positions. Hosted by the Office of Public Interest & Pro Bono.

Tuesday, November 3, 2009
Take the Work Out of Networking
12:15 PM, Law School 4047
Join us for a discussion on the fundamentals of building new professional relationships that will serve as the foundation of your job search.

Thursday, November 5, 2009
Post Graduate Fellowships Information Session
12:15 PM, Law School 4047
Planning for a post graduate fellowship can begin as early as your 1L year as you think about upper class courses, summer jobs, and pro bono activities. Join CPDC to learn how to start building your strengths.

Tuesday, November 10, 2009
Preparing for Summer Judicial Internships
12:15 PM, Law School 4047
Come hear from Rob Barton, Duke Law’s Clerkship Manager, about how best to secure a summer judicial internship, as well as plan and prepare for the post-graduate clerkship process.