

CSO NEWS

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THE CSO WILL SEE YOU ON OCTOBER 8TH!

After Student Services presents their Curriculum Planning information, the CSO will give you a brief tutorial on Pearson's job board and Appointments feature. After this tutorial, all present students will be given access to both features.

In the meantime, please complete your Pearson profile with contact information, application materials, and practice areas of interest. Make sure to familiarize yourself with the Resource Library

WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU ON THE 8TH!

SAVE THE DATE - NOVEMBER 7 EXPLORE LEGAL PRACTICE AREAS WITH THE CSO!

Join the CSO for an informal networking event, featuring Alumni working in a variety of practice areas.

PRACTICE AREAS MAY INCLUDE:

- Family law
- Corporate law
- Public Interest
- Civil Litigation
- Government
- Estates and Trusts

KEEP AN EYE ON PEARSON FOR MORE DETAILS!

CLASS OF 2025

Do you have a post-grad job offer? Report it on Pearson!
Navigate to your Pearson Profile and click "Add Experience or Status"

Unsure of post-grad plans? Check out these resources!

JD Advantage Resources

3L/4L Resources

Out-Of-State Job Searching

Judicial Clerkship Information

Schedule an Advising appointment

Networking and Interviewing Advice

LAW SCHOOL MENTAL HEALTH DAY IS OCT. 10!

Here are a few tips that can help anyone in law school:

Focus on what you can control: You can't predict the job market, the grading curve, or many other factors that may impact you. What you can control is prioritizing your own well-being and how you react and adapt to the challenges you face. **Get enough sleep**, stay connected to your support system, and **find mentors** to support your goals.

You are more than your grades: It can feel like grades are the only factor employers consider, but in fact, many employers are looking at your character, skills, experiences, and **competencies** to grow as an attorney. It can be hard to keep this in perspective, but most law students and attorneys have stories to share on how they **kept their grades in context**.

Pursue your definition of success: It's easy to feel pressured to pursue what others think success looks like (a certain GPA, a high salary, etc). Most students come to law school with a vision of what they want to accomplish. Don't lose sight of your own vision. Start good practices while in law school to **keep your happiness as a priority**.

- If you would
- like a guided
- experience,
- here are some
- meditation
- apps:
- [Insight Timer](#)
- [Healthy Minds](#)
- [Calm](#)
- [Headspace](#)

WRITING A COVER LETTER DOESN'T HAVE TO BE SCARY

Writing a good cover letter can be the hardest part of applying to any job. If you're stumped about how to craft a succinct letter that highlights everything you bring to the table, check out the CSO's Cover Letter Workshop - recorded and saved in the [Webinars](#) folder of the [Pearson Resource Library](#).

While you're there, take a look at the other recorded programs that are available!

PRO BONO WEEK

OCTOBER 20-26, 2024

Launched in 2005 by the Chicago Bar Association and the Chicago Bar Foundation, Pro Bono Week celebrates and encourages pro bono work and educates both the public and the legal community about how lawyers and legal professionals are improving the lives of the less fortunate.

Story Slam

10/23, 6-9 pm
Revolution Brewpub
(2323 N. Milwaukee Ave) [Learn more here.](#)

Pro Bono & Community Service Fair

10/24, 5-7 pm
Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP
(320 S. Canal St.) [Learn more here.](#)

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ABOUT EVENTS
HAPPENING IN
ILLINOIS**

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THE U.S.**

UPCOMING INTERVIEW VIA ZOOM OR PHONE?

Students in need of a quiet spot for a Zoom or phone interview can book the CSO conference room by emailing law-career@luc.edu.

TIPS FOR ZOOM INTERVIEWS

TIPS FOR PHONE INTERVIEWS

UPCOMING DIVERSITY OPPORTUNITIES

Just the Beginning Summer Judicial Internship

[Opens 10/13 - Click here to learn more!](#)

ABA Judicial Intern Opportunity Program

[Opens 11/4 - Click here to learn more!](#)

ABA Business Law Section Diversity Clerkship

[Open now - Click here to learn more!](#)

Check out [Pearson](#) for more Diversity resources!

Keep an eye on the [Pearson job board](#) for more diversity opportunities!

VAULT LAW

Vault is the leader in career research, exploration, and discovery for professionals and students interested in forging a career in law. Through their proprietary rankings & verified partner and associate reviews, they have been the trusted provider of career intelligence solutions for emerging talent for over two decades.

SIGN UP FOR VAULT

REMOTE ALUMNI ADVISORS

This is an easy and effective way to network with Loyola alumni! The program provides students the opportunity to connect with over 80 alumni who practice law in a variety of settings. They look forward to answering your questions and providing mentoring, coaching and networking. Here are a few of the many reasons to consider contacting Loyola's remote alumni advisors; 1) to learn about a practice area; 2) to learn more about an employer; 3) to prepare for an interview; and 4) to grow your network.

ACCESS THE LIST

CONTACT TIPS

OCTOBER EVENTS

FALL EDUCATIONAL SEMINAR SERIES: WELCOME TO THE FALL 2024 PILI INTERNSHIP October 7 3:00 pm Virtual

PILI is hosting a welcome program for all fall PILI Law Student Interns and their supervisors. This is an opportunity to network with your fellow PILI Interns and meet agency staff, PILI Alumni and staff. This will be an opportunity to ask questions about being a PILI Intern and about pursuing a career in public interest law.



MARSHALL, GERSTEIN & BORUN LLP: AUTUMN HORIZONS 1L MIXER October 17 4:30 pm 63rd Floor of Willis Tower

Marshall Gerstein invites your students to meet practicing attorneys with other 1L students from schools throughout the Chicagoland area. Students are invited to attend for food and drinks and to find out more about all of the exciting opportunities that exist as an IP practitioner.



BENESCH LATINX ERG PRESENTS - LOTERÍA WITH ATTORNEYS October 9 5:30 pm 71 S. Wacker Drive

Join members of Benesch's Latinx ERG and Benesch Attorneys for a night of mingling and Lotería, in recognition of Hispanic Heritage Month. Appetizers and drinks will be served.



LEARN ABOUT CAREER OPPORTUNITIES IN THE ASSET MANAGEMENT INDUSTRY October 17 2:00 pm Virtual

This webinar is designed to introduce students to the asset management industry. Students will hear from recruiters about the skills and qualities they look for and how students can leverage their experiences to stand out. They also will hear employees share what it is really like to work in asset management.



YLS OCTOBER HAPPY HOUR SOCIAL October 10 5:00 pm 505 N. LaSalle Drive

Join the Chicago Bar Association Young Lawyers Section for Happy Hour hosted by the Memmen Law Firm!



SHEPPARD MULLIN LATINO LAWYERS NETWORK: LAW SCHOOL CONNECTION PANEL October 10 6:00 pm Virtual

Join Sheppard Mullin's Latino Lawyers Network for a roundtable discussion! Hear firsthand from attorneys who have navigated the path to Big Law and gain invaluable insights into the recruiting process. This is an opportunity to meet attorneys from across the firm, ask questions in a safe space, and make value connections.



DON'T FORGET!
New events are being added to the Events section of Pearson every day. Check regularly to stay up to date!