



Career News

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Fall Distinguished Jurist Lecture Series: You are invited to attend Judge Jennifer Mascott's Distinguished Jurist Lecture on **Wednesday, September 9, from 12:10-1:10 pm in the Moot Court Room**. Panera lunch will be served. Please [RSVP](#) by Tuesday, September 1st.

Breakfast with Federal Appellate Judge Mascott: Wednesday, September 9th, 9:00 am at Taverna Banfis, Statler Hotel. This opportunity is open to six JD students on a first come, basis. Please note that if you [RSVP](#), it is a *firm commitment* and you can NOT miss a class to attend the breakfast.

Equal Justice Works Career Fair: This is the largest public interest legal career fair in the country—which brings together thousands of law students, recent graduates, public interest employers, law school faculty and staff, and public interest practitioners from across the United States and its territories for two days of prescheduled interviews. This year's event will be held on **October 8th and 9th** from 9:00 am-6:00pm on both dates. There is a detailed list of the employers and positions they are hiring for [here](#). The registration fee for this year's event is \$25.00. Cornell Law School will cover the cost of your registration fee for the event, but you **MUST APPLY AND SUBMIT MATERIALS FOR AT LEAST ONE POSITION**. Please email al992@cornell.edu if you need the registration code or with any questions/concerns.

Volunteer with the Tenants Advocacy Program (TAP): Cornell Law students, including 1Ls and LLMS, can gain hands-on experience providing free legal assistance to local tenants under attorney supervision. Remote, flexible, 4–6 hrs/week. Hours count toward the New York bar's 50-hour pro bono requirement. *For more details and how to apply, [click here](#). Info session on Thursday, 9/17 at 5:30pm in MTH279.*

1L's

Symplicity: The Career Office activated Symplicity accounts last week and you should have received an email with information on your username and password. Our team regularly posts positions on Symplicity, including 1L and 2L internships. These can be found in the Jobs > Search, and you can search for jobs within a certain radius of a given city, and/or filter by position type.

Student Handbook: Head to the Student Handbook for a comprehensive guide to career matters, including the 0L Resources to get you started on revising your resume, cover letter, and creating an application tracker.

Summer Associate Hub: See below for resources shared at Orientation and other upcoming Summer Associate Hub Offerings that may be useful.

- [Orientation PowerPoint & Resources](#)
- [First Look Program | October 12th](#)
- [2026-2027 Live Virtual Series](#)
- [National Interview Program | January 19th](#)
- [IP Virtual Interview Program | January 2027](#)

2Ls & 3Ls:

Equal Justice Fellowship: Applications are currently open and are due **September 17th**. Be sure to use their [applicant guide](#) to help you put together your application and materials. Please email al992@cornell.edu if you would like assistance with your application materials or would like them reviewed prior to submission.

Harbor Group Summer 2027 In-House Paid Legal Internship Opportunity: Harbor Group International (HGI) is a leading global real estate investment and management firm with more than 40 years of experience acquiring, managing, and enhancing commercial and residential properties. For legal professionals, HGI offers the opportunity to support complex real estate transactions, asset management initiatives, and business operations within a sophisticated, growth-oriented organization. If you're still seeking a Summer 2027 internship opportunity, be sure to check this out!

LLMs:

LLM Mock Interview Program: Participating students will be matched with a Cornell Law School alum who will conduct a mock interview and provide you with feedback. If you are interested in participating, please sign up [here](#) by **5:00 p.m. on September 7, 2026**. Because the number of alumni volunteers is limited, interview slots will be filled on a first-come, first-served basis. Students who are successfully matched will receive additional information about their interviewer, instructions for scheduling the interview, and guidance regarding materials to share in advance.

LL.M. Career Resources Box: Explore the [LL.M. Career Resources Box](#). This includes guides on how to prepare resumes, cover letters, and other application materials, information on how to update your LinkedIn, and a sample tracker to keep tabs of your progress. You can also access the presentation from 8.10.26 if you missed it and the LL.M. Career Development Checklist. We encourage you to begin preparing your resume and updating your LinkedIn as soon as possible.

Appointments: Individual advising appointments open next week. You can make an appointment through the [Bookings Page](#). If you would like your appointment to include a review of your resume, please review the resume guidebook and template resumes available in the [LL.M. Career Resources Box](#) before your appointment and update your resume accordingly. At least 24 hours before your appointment, please email your resume to erb268@cornell.edu.

Resources: We encourage you to explore [LinkedIn](#), [CUeLINKS](#), [CILAN](#), and [Firm Prospects](#). Here are guidelines for updating your [LinkedIn](#).

International Student Interview Program (ISIP): Keep an eye on your inbox for additional information coming in September regarding ISIP. For those that missed the orientation session with the Career Development Office, ISIP provides foreign-trained lawyers pursuing graduate degrees in the U.S. with the opportunity to be considered for internships and permanent positions worldwide. More information can be found [here](#). There is also a [google calendar](#) available to help you track the many dates.

Upcoming Events

- [From Imposter Syndrome to Professional Confidence Virtual Workshop](#) | TODAY Wed. September 2nd | 12:15-1:15PM | L28 Hughes Hall Zhu Faculty Workshop
- [Public Service Committee Annual Walk to Beebe Lake](#) | Thurs. September 3rd | 5PM | Courtyard
- [Careers in Compliance for LLM Candidates](#) | Tues. September 8th | 6-8PM | Virtual
- [Breakfast with Federal Appellate Judge Mascott](#) | Wed. September 9th | 9AM | Taverna Banfis | [RSVP](#)
- [Fall Distinguished Jurist Lecture Series](#) | Wed. September 9th | 12:10PM | Moot Court Room | [RSVP](#)
- [City Bar Webinar: How Associates Build Business Development Instincts](#) | Wed. September 9th | 12:30-2PM | Webinar
- [Tenants Advocacy Program Info Session](#) | Thurs. September 17th | 5:30PM | MTH 279
- [Simpson Thacher 1L Reception](#) | Wed. September 23rd | 6:30-8:30PM | Argos Warehouse | [RSVP](#)
- [Weil Cornell 1L Reception](#) | Thurs. October 1st | 6-8PM | Argos Warehouse | [RSVP](#)
- [City Bar Annual Program and Reception for International LLM Students](#) | Thurs. October 15th | 6-8PM | NYC | [Register](#)

Additional resources and opportunities in [Symplicity](#), [PSJD.org](#), and the [Arizona Guide](#).

Contact our office for the Arizona Guide password.

Selected Opportunities:

- [2027 Entry Level Associate](#) | Sidley Austin NY | 3Ls
- [2027 Capital Markets First Year Associate](#) | Davis Polk & Wardwell NY | 3Ls
- [Bingham Fellowship](#) | Institute for Justice Washington, DC | 3Ls
- [2027 2L Summer Associate Patent Litigation](#) | Perkins Coie Seattle WA | 2Ls
- [Entry Level Attorney Positions](#) | Attorney General's Honors Program | 3Ls
- [Experience Latham Europe](#) | Latham | LLMs
- [In-House LLM Job Fair](#) | Cleary Gottlieb | LLMs



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