

Hawkeyes in the Hub: Law Careers in Boston

January 8-10, 2008

Application and Homestay Request

Please complete the information below and submit to Career Services by 5:00 p.m. Thursday, December 6, 2007

PLEASE PRINT!

Name: _____

Year: ___1L ___2L ___3L

Address: _____

Cell phone: _____ Land line: _____

Email: _____ (please list an email address that you will check both before the end of the semester, during the winter break and during the Hawkeyes in the Hub program)

Office Sponsor Information

Following are attorneys who have agreed to host students at work. Please **rank order from 1-6**, with 1 being your first choice, your preference for an office match with one of the attorneys. We will do our best to match you with one of your top choices. However, all of the sponsors will be available to talk with you on Tuesday evening.

_____ Stefan Jouret @ Donovan Hatem, LLP

- Business Litigation; Professional Practice

_____ Travis McCready @ Massachusetts Convention Center Authority

- Chief Operating Officer

_____ Renie Herman @ Regional Counsel Department of Social Services

- Two positions, one with General Counsel, other TBD Office Sponsor

_____ Evan T. Lawson Senior Partner @ Lawson & Weitzen, LLP

- Civil Litigation Federal and State Court

_____ John Weltman @ Lawson & Weitzen, LLP

- Litigation surrogacy, art law, construction

_____ Dan Poteet @ Donovan Hatem, LLP

- Litigation; Professional Practice

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Housing Information

Some alumni have offered to provide free housing for this program. Do you wish to participate in the homestay program for your housing? _____ YES _____ NO (skip to next section)

We have three homestay opportunities. Please rank order your preferences from 1-3 with one being your first choice. We will do our best to match you with your preference.

_____ Tanya Gisolfi

- Sponsor 2 (blow-up mattress and king-size bed downstairs and its own bath)

_____ Natalie Kanellis

- Sponsor 2+ (not posh, but no one has to share bed, might be blow-up mattresses though)

_____ Dan Poteet @ Donovan Hatem, LLP

- Sponsor for 1 Student

Do you have any special needs that would be helpful for your host to consider?

If you DO NOT wish to participate in the homestay program please let us know how we can reach you during the program.

Boston address: _____

Boston phone: _____ Cell phone: _____

Will you be travelling to Boston specifically for this program? _____ YES _____ NO (I will be there anyway)

If YES, how do you plan to travel?

_____ Fly _____ Train _____ Drive _____ Other _____

Participant Agreement

I understand that I am responsible for all the travel, room and board costs associated with this program. Due to the special nature of the commitment made by the office and homestay sponsors to host you I will participate in all parts of the program and not withdraw from the program except under the most severe circumstance.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Office Use Only: Date submitted: _____ Time: _____ Staff initials: _____

November 29, 2007

To: All College of Law Students

From: Steve Langerud, Assistant Dean

Tanya Gisolfi, Class of 1996 and Program Coordinator

Re: Hawkeyes in the Hub: Law Careers in Boston (January 8-10, 2008)

The Boston area alumni are pleased to announce a pilot program to help students explore legal careers and establish professional relationships in Boston. Hawkeyes in the Hub is designed to help students learn more about what it means to use your J.D. in Boston, create new networks for summer and full-time work, and explore life in the city. We hope you will consider joining us for this program.

Hawkeyes in the Hub is part of the LEAP: Legal Exploration and Practice (formerly Partner for a Day) program. It will occur January 8-10, 2008 in Boston. The schedule

Day 1 begins with an early evening social, introduction to the legal community in Boston and program introduction for all alumni and student participants hosted by Dean Langerud and Tanya Gisolfi;

Day 2 matches students with alumni and friends of the law school for a full day of work where they will shadow, conduct information interviews or complete short work projects;

Day 3 is half-day tour of Boston. The program ends at noon on Thursday.

Participation in this pilot program is limited. Participants will be prioritized on a first-come, first-served basis with a wait list. We will do our best to match you with your choice of alumni work sponsors and accommodate students on the wait list. Student participants are responsible for all travel and incidental costs related to the program.

A descriptive powerpoint and program application are attached. Please print the attached copy of the application. Complete and submit the application to Dean Langerud in the Career Services Office by 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, December 6, 2007.

For more information, please contact Dean Langerud at steve-langerud@uiowa.edu or 319-335-9011.

