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Diversity News for the Washington, D.C. Office Summer/Fall 2006

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR 2006 MINORITY FELLOWSHIP RECIPIENTS

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UPCOMING EVENTS

August:

SEMJF Job Fair Hyatt Regency Suites, Marietta, GA August 4-5, 2006

The Hispanic National Bar Association 2006 Annual Convention, San Francisco August 30-September 2, 2006

September:

Lavender Law Conference and Career Fair Omni Shoreham Hotel, Washington, DC September 7-9, 2006

MABLSA Job Fair September 9, 2006

IMPACT Career Fair for Law Students and Attorneys with Disabilities Doubletree Hotel, Crystal City, VA September 15, 2006

DIVERSITY CELEBRATED DURING 2006 SUMMER SEASON:

- On May 16th, The Women's Bar Association of the District of Columbia celebrated their 89th year of advancing women in the profession. Summer Chair, Daniel Donovan, along with Pamela Auerbach, Jennifer Atkins, Susan Engel, Barbara Harding and Kate O'Scannlain and summer associates Ester Kim and Ellen Lin were among the attendees at this annual event.
- The Diversity Committee sponsored two Cooking Classes at Lebanese Taverna on May 30th. Summer Associates and attorneys prepared and sampled many Mediterranean dishes at this "yummy" event.
- The Diversity Committee was a sponsor of the Minority Corporate Counsel Association's Mid-Atlantic Diversity Dinner. Firmwide Diversity Committee Co-Chair, Walter Lohmann, along with attorneys Zhonette Brown, Tobias Chung and Alexander Nguyen and summer associates Laura Durity, Ritu Kelotra, Esther Kim, Ellen Lin, Sajjad Matin and Lartease Tiffith were among the attendees at this event.
- On June 12th, Firm-wide Diversity Committee Co-Chair, Walter Lohmann, along with summer associate Lartease Tiffith attended the Washington Area Legal Recruiting Administrators Association's Diversity Reception. This annual event, which focuses on celebrating the embracement and enhancement of diversity in the legal profession, was sponsored by the Diversity Committee.
- The annual WLI sponsored Women's Dinner was held on July 18th at Acadiana.
- The annual Diversity Dinner took place on July 27th. Diverse attorneys and summer associates, along with Summer Chair, Daniel Donovan, and Firmwide Diversity Committee Co-Chair, Walter Lohmann, used this opportunity to address specific issues faced by students and attorneys of color.