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**PLACEMENT NEWS:** Wednesday, August 12, 1990 was the last day to register for the North Carolina Bar Association Employment Fair which will be held at the Bar Center in Raleigh on Saturday, October 27, 1990. The participating firms will pre-screen all applicants. The list of students selected for an interview(s) will be posted on the Placement Board as soon as it is received.

**UPCOMING OCI:** The following organizations will conduct on-campus interviews at the law school next week: **OFFICE OF THE BRONX DISTRICT ATTORNEY** - September 17 (Only 2 students are signed up for an interview with this agency. If you would like to interview or just stop by to ask questions/pick up information, please let me know); September 18 - **ADAMS, KLEEMEIER, ET. AL.** (pre-screen results are posted in the Placement Office - students who signed up with this firm should stop by to schedule their appointments); September 18 - **DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES** (pre-screen results will be posted today - students who signed up should stop by to schedule interviews); September 19 - **US ARMY JAGC** (schedule will be posted Monday); September 19 - **PUBLIC DEFENDER ASSOCIATION OF PHILADELPHIA** (schedule will be posted Monday); September 20, 1990 - **BUCHANAN INGERSOLL, P.C.** (schedule will be posted Monday)

Resumes will be forwarded to the following organizations next week: September 17 - **INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE** (students who sign up must submit a resume, application (pick up in Placement Office) and a writing sample (5-10 pgs). This information must be in the Placement Office no later than Monday, September 17); September 19 - **STATE FARM INSURANCE**; September 21 - **NC PRISONER'S LEGAL SERVICES AND MAXWELL & HUTSON.**

PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT THE ABOVE INFORMATION IS POSTED ON THE PLACEMENT BOARD. YOU SHOULD PERIODICALLY CHECK THE BOARD FOR CHANGES OR CORRECTIONS.

**PLACEMENT ("facebook") BOOK:** 45 students had their photos taken on August 17. Since that time only 18 additional students have signed up to have their photographs taken for the "facebook." Our goal was to get at least 50 more students to sign up for this worthwhile project. Notwithstanding this turn out, the Placement Office will arrange a photo session for these 18 students. The time and date will be announced in next week's newsletter. It is still not too late to sign up for the photo session. The sign-up sheet is in the Placement Box.

**RESUMES:** To date, only 11 third year students (class size - 59) and 22 second year students (class size - 90) have resumes on file in the Placement Office. Every student should have resumes on file at this time. The opportunity to sign up for many interviews has already passed; other opportunities will pass next week.

**RESUMES ON DISK:** Less than 10 students have taken advantage of the Resumes On Disk Program. It's easy and very inexpensive. Interested students may pick up a disk in the Placement Office, type the resume in the computer lab, return the disk to the Placement Office. Mrs. Hudson will be happy to print the resume for you.

**INTERVIEWING SKILLS:** 3 second year students attended the interviewing skills session (announced in last week's Weekly) on



Tuesday, September 11. The Placement Director discussed common critique statements made by on-campus recruiters last year as well as other points regarding interviewing skills. If you have questions about interviewing, please stop by the Placement Office.

**FAIRS:** The SOUTHEASTERN PUBLIC INTEREST JOB FAIR will be held in Atlanta, Ga on Saturday, November 10, 1990. The student registration material has not yet arrived. You should periodically check the Placement Board for new information.

The U.S. JUSTICE DEPARTMENT HONORS & SUMMER PROGRAM is now accepting applications from first, second and third year law students. The information booklet and applications are available in the Placement Office. The applications must be received in Washington by September 28, 1990. NCCU School of Law is the regional site for the Justice Department Interviews (fourth consecutive year) on Monday, November 5, 1990. All students are encouraged to apply for a position with one or more of the numerous federal agencies involved in this program.

**WESTLAW & PLACEMENT:** You can now access the NALP Directory of Legal Employers on Westlaw (database identifier - NALP-DIR)). This database provides pertinent information on thousands of legal employers (number of attorneys/billable hours/areas of practice, etc.) WESTLAW also provides a Legal Directory (database identifier - wld) which contains biographical information on hundreds of attorneys. The Placement Office has not yet received all of the detailed information about each of these new databases, however, students are encouraged to use them to identify law firms in particular areas and to get some background information on the firms. More information will be made available as soon as it is received.

**PIZZA SALE:** Tuesday, September 18, 1990, Noon - 1:30 p.m. Sponsored by 3L Class.

**LAW JOURNAL:** The following is a list of candidates to the North Carolina Central Law Journal:

Marilyn Bowens	Michael Jones
George Braddy	Jeff Langenderfer
Bobby Campbell	Sharron Mann
Horace Crump	Michael Maultsby
Lori Dumas	Regina Mitchell
Patrick Durkin	Victor Modic
John Ebersole	Fenita Morris
Sandra Ellis	Cherie Morrison
Constance Foster	Jon Parce
Michael Hale	Carol Schmidt
Phillip Hayes	Susan Sheehy
Melissa Henderson	Scott Thomas
Wilton Hyman	Amos Tyndall

Brian Welch

**CONGRATULATIONS!!**

Furthermore, a mandatory Law Journal meeting will be held on Monday, September 17, 1990 at 5:30 p.m. This meeting will be held at Golden Corral Steakhouse on Highway 55. All Board Members and Candidates are expected to attend. If you want to eat dinner, you will need to bring at least \$7 or \$8. If there are any problems or questions, see Josie Serracin in carrel #26 or in the Law Journal office. Thank you.

**WOMENS' CAUCUS:** Womens' Caucus will have a general meeting Thursday, September 20th at 5 p.m. A guest speaker from the Durham/Orange County Coalition for Battered Women will be present. The speaker will be Gwen Gardner a 1984 graduate of NCCU School of Law, who is now the director of the coalition. All persons Welcome !!! **LAW SCHOOL ITEMS WILL BE SOLD.**

**IS THERE LIFE AFTER LAW SCHOOL?** The School of Law Alumni



Association is sponsoring a panel discussion for students on life as a solo practitioner on Wednesday, September 26th, at 7:00 p.m. in the Moot Court Room. The panel will be made up of Law School graduates engaged in solo practice in North Carolina. Please make plans to attend.

**THE LAW WEEK COMMITTEE:** The Law Week Committee wishes to thank everyone who participated in the fundraising bake sale September 6, 1990. Your support is greatly appreciated. Please continue to support Law Week activities.

**ATTENTION CHRISTIAN LAW STUDENTS:** There will be a brief meeting of the Christian Law Students Association on Monday September 17, 1990 at 5:00 p.m. in Room 100. The purpose of this meeting is to identify Christian Law Students and plan an agenda for the semester. All Christians are urged to attend.

**CONGRATULATIONS:** Congratulations are in order for the First Year Class Officers and Representatives:

President - Jennifer Rierson  
Vice-President - Pamela Fulton  
Secretary - Teresa L. Walker  
Treasurer - Perry Paylor

SBA Representatives  
Stephany C. Hand  
Alex Mendaloff III

Congratulations are in order to the Night School S.B.A. Representatives:

Michael A. Jordan  
Florence McCloskey

#### **BLSA NEWS**

**VOTER REGISTRATION:** Ms. Thelma Clay, a member of the Durham Committee on the Affairs of Black People, will register voters for the fall election on **Friday, September 14 from 10:00 am - 1:00 pm.** If you are unable to vote in your state or county, you may register in Durham County in order to place your vote on November 6. Bring a valid school i.d. or driver's license for identification. Every vote is important; be sure to register!

**CHAPTER MEETING:** The next chapter meeting will be held on Wednesday, September 19 at 5:00 pm in Room 100. Dues and money for chapter t-shirts will be collected then **and** on September 14 at the voter registration drive.

**FUNDRAISER:** Get ready for great Jamaican food! We'll be serving curried chicken and rice, fruit punch and gingerbread on Thursday, September 20 beginning at noon. Bring your appetites and, most importantly, your **MONEY!**

**PLACEMENT INFORMATION:** Summer and graduate job announcements are posted on the BLSA Board. Many of these mailings contain information too bulky to place on the board. BLSA members -- see Kathryn Washington for additional information. Ms. Gayle Moses, Placement & Recruitment Director, may also have this information.

**BLSA LIBRARY:** The BLSA Library opened this week. Dues must be paid in full to access the materials. Contact Wayne Yancey for library hours.

Watch the BLSA Board for upcoming activities! **AMANDLA!!**

**CONGRATULATIONS:** Congratulations to IL Class Representatives, Alex Mendaloff and Stephany Hand; Evening Program Representatives, Michael Jordan and Florence McCloskey. Welcome to the S.B.A. Executive Board.



Thanks to everyone who helped to make the Annual SBA Picnic a success. Special thanks to Lori Dumas and John Perry for doing an excellent job in planning and organizing the event.

The members of the North Carolina Central Law Journal are pleased to announce the appointment of Professor Charles E. Smith as Faculty Co-Advisor to the Journal.